

Order of Service

Organ Music and Silent Meditation

Processional

Selection

Scriptural Readings:

Old Testament - Psalm 91

New Testament - I Corinthians 13:1-7

Prayer of Comfort Rev. Dr. Mattie Walden

Solo Ms. Marie McFadden

Acknowledgements ~ Condolences Mrs. Martha Gray

Obituary..... *Read Silently* Soft Music

Selection

Remarks Rev. Helen Glover

Mr. Alexander Graves

Solo Mr. Carlton Brooks

The Eulogy Pastor Barry R. Gray

Recessional

You Will Never Know What I'm Feeling...

*Even though we lost each other,
You have reunited with our brother.
Now what am I supposed to do?
I have lost the both of you.*

~LaShanda



Floral Bearers
Classmates and Friends

Pall Bearers
*Members of the Socially United, LLC
Members of the Forty-Niners Road Club*



Committal and Interment Rites
First Missionary Baptist Church Cemetery
Siler City, North Carolina



Acknowledgement

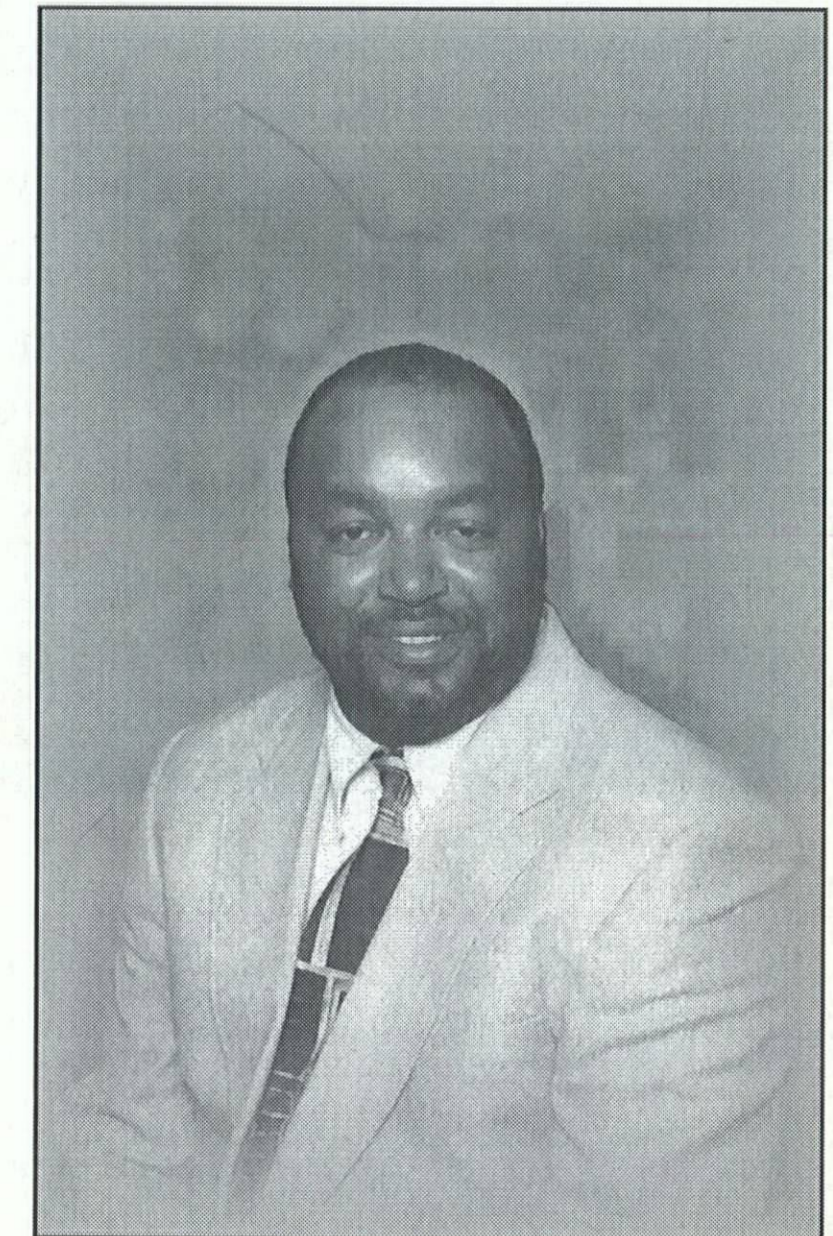
*The family would like to express their appreciation for your prayers,
cards, flowers, and visits during the passing of our loved one.*



Professional Service Entrusted To:
*Knotts & Son Funeral Home
1501 Martin Luther King, Jr. Blvd.
Siler City, North Carolina 27344
(919) 742-4602*

In Loving Memory Of Mr. Leo Stepvohn Lane

Sunrise
May 17, 1961



Sunset
July 2, 2000

Friday, July 7, 2000
Four O'Clock P.M.
First Missionary Baptist Church
914 Martin Luther King, Jr. Blvd.
Siler City, North Carolina 27344
Pastor Barry R. Gray, Officiating

Obituary

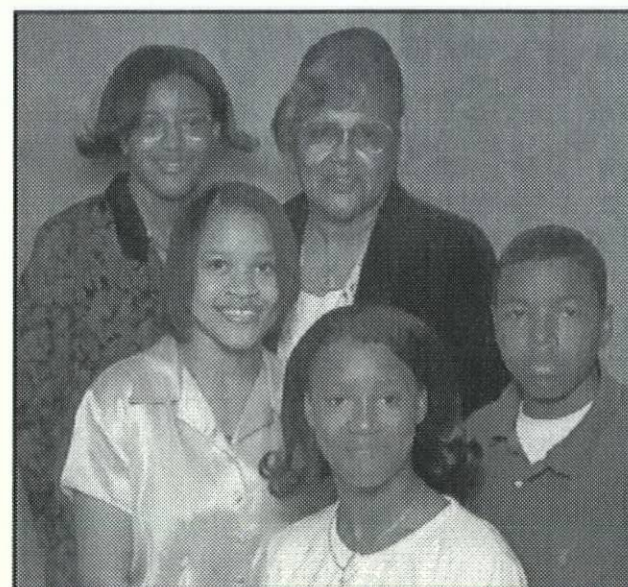
Mr. Leo Stepvohn Lane, son of Mr. Leo W. Lane and Mrs. Linda M. Siler, was born in Siler City, North Carolina on May 17, 1961, and departed his life in Chatham Hospital on July 2, 2000. Leo had a brother, Diffie, who preceded him in death.

At an early age, he professed hope in Christ and joined the First Missionary Baptist Church of Siler City, North Carolina and participated in Sunday School activities. When he became an adult, he was not active in the church, but later he reunited with the church and remained a member until his untimely death.

Leo was a graduate of Jordan Matthews High, Siler City and later attended Fayetteville State University. He was a member of the Socially United, LLC and Forty-Niners Road Club.

He was a supervisor at Superior Components, Inc. in Liberty, North Carolina, and he was also employed at Advance Auto Parts in Siler City, North Carolina. Leo was the father of two loving daughters and a loving son.

Among those left to cherish his precious memory are: a loving mother, Mrs. Linda M. Siler of Siler City, North Carolina; a father, Mr. Leo W. Lane of Sanford, North Carolina; two daughters, Avis and Amy Wiley and a son, Brandon McFadden, all of Siler City, North Carolina; two sisters, LaShanda Lane of Sanford, North Carolina and LaDoné Johnson of Siler City, North Carolina; a grandfather, Fred Siler (Lillie Mae), of Siler City, North Carolina; a loving aunt, Mrs. Louise Moffitt of Siler City, North Carolina; a devoted cousin, De'Borah Moffitt of Siler City, North Carolina; a loyal and faithful companion, Loretta Johnson of Siler City, North Carolina; two lifelong childhood friends, Max and André Glover, both of Siler City, North Carolina; and a host of other relatives and friends.



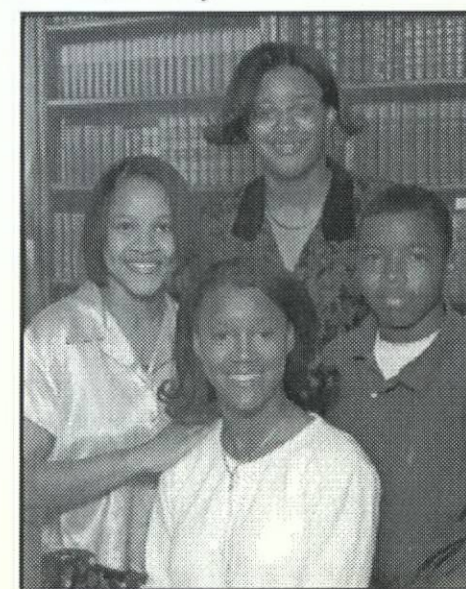
~The Family

Dear Daddy,



We can't believe the time has come for us to say "goodbye" and let you rest in the arms of our Heavenly Father. For the past year, God has watched you work hard to build a stable home for yourself and support your family. He also watched as your body got tired and He decided that it was time for you to rest. God wanted you to go to a place that you could rest peacefully without worrying and working all the time. While you rest, we will continue to keep your spirit alive. No one can ever forget the type of father, son, brother, and friend you were. The one thing we will miss about you the most is hearing you say "I love you" at the end of our phone calls. Avis and I really wish you could be here for the arrival of your first granddaughter, but I know you will be watching over her. We will tell her how wonderful a grandfather you would've been and the type of loving father you were. It is hard to express in words how much we will miss you, but we know we could never forget you or stop loving you. Even though times may get hard, the road may get rough, and we may continue to ask the question "Why?", we will always look to Heaven and realize you are in a better place. Rest in peace, Daddy.

Love always,
Avis, Amy & Brandon



Leo Loretta

One day two hearts combined that had been apart for years. Seeking happiness and a desire to become one.

A love so young, a love so true.
Two hearts separated a love so blue.
And then God said this shouldn't be
You two deserve each other and to live happily.

There has always been a vision
There has always been a sign
That one day our hearts would be combined
To everything there is a season and a time
To every purpose under the heaven
A time to be born, A time to die.
(Ecclesiastes 3:1-2)

And though times were short
Our hearts separated by death
One day our souls will rise
And meet again and become **EVERLASTING**.

Until We Meet Again
Love, Loretta



"STEP"

"Step", even though you are gone from our presence forever,
Know the storm of your death is raging in us.
But know the memories of you will never depart.

"Step", while you take your eternal rest with Jesus
and as you cross to the other side
We can feel your presence looking down on us,
Telling us not to hurt, not to grieve, not to cry no more.

"Step", losing you is so hard to bear
Because we never had a chance to say goodbye.
What helps us is for you to know that we will miss you
And you are now with God in your new home on high.

"Step", what also gives us comfort is knowing
We will one day see you again.
Just know that the love we have for you is forever
And the memories are endless.

Love,
Your Aunt,
Audrey Lane

DEAR

God SAW him GETTING TIRED
AND A CILRE WAS NOT TO BE
SO HE PUT HIS ARMS AROUND him
AND WHISPERED "COME TO ME"
A GOLDEN HEART STOPPED BEATING
HARD WORKING HANDS AT REST
God BROKE OUR HEARTS
TO PROVE TO US
HE ONLY TAKES THE BEST

LOVE & PEACE

Gen. 31 Ch Verses 32-35

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