

ACTIVE PALLBEARERS

STEWARD BOARD AND TRUSTEE BOARD

BROTHER JAMES ROGERS	BROTHER KEASTON SUITT
BROTHER MATHEW SMART	BROTHER BURCH COLEY
BROTHER JOHN THOMAS	BROTHER RUFUS SLIGH

HONORARY PALLBEARERS

CENTRAL NORTH CAROLINA MINISTERS
INTERDENOMINATIONAL MINISTERIAL ALLIANCE

FLORAL BEARERS

STEWARDESSES BOARD NUMBER I AND II
MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF MOUNT OLIVE A. M. E. ZION CHURCH

HONORARY FLORAL BEARERS

MINISTERS' WIVES OF THE CENTRAL NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE
WEST DURHAM BLOSSOM GARDEN CLUB

The family wishes to thank all those varied expressions of sympathy to them during the sad hours through which they are now passing. Thank you for the lovely floral designs, telegrams, cards and all the expressions of sympathy. These expressions are a testimony to a life so beautifully lived and will be solace to them in the lonely days that lie ahead. May God bless each of you.

THE FAMILY

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In Memoriam



THE REVEREND J. Z. SILER

Pastor - Emeritus

1886—1970

Mount Olive A. M. E. Zion Church
DURHAM, NORTH CAROLINA

Monday, April 20, 1970
3:30 P.M.

THE REVEREND E. H. WHITLEY, *Pastor*

-:- OBITUARY -:-

THE REVEREND JUNIOUS ZACHARIAH SILER, the son of the late Zach and Betty Siler, was born in Chatham County in 1886. He departed this life Thursday, April 16, 1970.

He received his education in his native county and Bennett College of Greensboro, North Carolina.

He was ordained in 1904 in Wadesboro, North Carolina. He has done considerable evangelistic work in the North Carolina Central Conference, and during his career as a minister ten churches have been built on his charges, Saint Paul, Greensboro, Holly Springs, Angier, Kipling, Lillington, Coats, Franklinton, Carthage and Raleigh. He remodeled Mount Olive A. M. E. Zion Church where he pastored for eighteen years and gave great leadership.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Margaret Siler; one daughter, Mrs. Dorothy McClain of Greensboro; two sons, James Siler of Sanford and Simon Siler of New York City; two brothers, The Reverend K. C. Siler of Siler City and The Reverend D. D. Siler of Sanford; fifteen grandchildren and four great-grandchildren, a host of relatives and friends.

-:- CROSSING THE BAR -:-

*Sunset and evening star,
And one clear call for me!
And may there be no moaning of the bar,
When I put out to sea.*

*But such a tide as moving seems asleep,
Too full far sound and foam,
When that which drew from out the boundless deep
Turns again home.*

*Twilight and evening bell,
And after that the dark!
And may there be no sadness of farewell
When I embark!*

*For though from out our borne of Time and Place
The flood may bear me far,
I hope to see my Pilot face to face
When I have crossed the bar.*

THE FAMILY

-:- ORDER OF SERVICE -:-

THE REVEREND E. H. WHITLEY, *Presiding*

ORGAN PRELUDE

PROCESSIONAL

HYMN

SCRIPTURE:

OLD TESTAMENT.....THE REVEREND L. M. GOOCH
Pastor, Saint John Baptist Church
Durham, North Carolina

NEW TESTAMENT.....THE REVEREND L. A. MILLER
Pastor, Saint Mark A.M.E. Zion Church
Durham, North Carolina

PRAYER FOR BEREAVED.....THE REVEREND J. C. GRAY
Pastor, Union Grove A.M.E. Zion Church
Pittsboro, North Carolina

HYMN

BRIEF TRIBUTES:

CENTRAL NORTH CAROLINA.....DR. C. V. FLACK
Presiding Elder, Sanford District

DURHAM DISTRICT.....THE REVEREND D. L. BLAKEY
Pastor, Kyles Temple A.M.E. Zion Church
Durham, North Carolina

INTERDENOMINATIONAL MINISTERIAL ALLIANCE
OF DURHAM.....DR. A. W. LAWSON
Durham, North Carolina

THE REVEREND GEORGE THARRINGTON
Pastor, Kadesh A.M.E. Zion Church
Edenton, North Carolina

BROTHER EARL WOMBLE
Siler City, North Carolina

SOLO—"When I've Come To The End Of My Journey" —
MR. WALTER LILES

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS OF CONDOLENCES —
MISS EFFIE FULLER

OBITUARY.....THE REVEREND M. F. WARD
Pastor, Mattocks Memorial A.M.E. Zion Church
Fayetteville, North Carolina

SELECTION

EULOGY.....THE REVEREND J. A. BROWN
Presiding Elder of the Durham District,
The Central North Carolina Conference

RECESSIONAL