

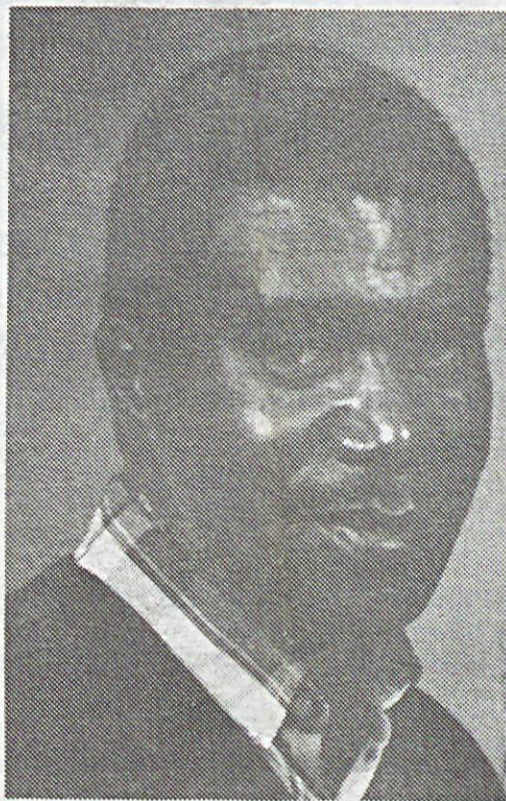
Homegoing Celebration

for

Lewis Gregory Nettles

1951

1993



"Unto Thee O Lord Do I Lift Up My Soul"

Psalms 25:1

Evans Chapel A.M.E. Zion Church

Siler City, North Carolina

Monday, July 12, 1993

The Reverend Ridie Headen

The Obituary

As we gather here today to pay tribute to a loved one and friend, let us remember and hold in memory, and cherish those moments that each of us share in some way with our departed one.

Let us join hands and hearts together in this service so that it may lend comfort and solace to the family and serve as an inspiration to all of us in the months and years ahead.

On July 9, 1993 the death angel came and bore the spirit of Lewis Gregory Nettles away to a land that is free from sickness, sorrow, pain and death. He was born June 29, 1951 to the late Orin Nettles and Marianna Nettles Short in Chatham County.

He leaves to cherish his memory: his wife Mrs. Cheryl Nettles; two daughters, Stacy Nettles and Melissa Nettles of the home; his mother, Mrs. Marianna Short of Chapel Hill, North Carolina; one sister, DeLois Nettles of Pittsboro, North Carolina; two brothers, Orin Nettles of Siler City, North Carolina and Wallace Nettles of Durham, North Carolina; and many aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, and other relatives.

In Memoriam

*God saw that he was getting tired,
And a cure was not to be;
So He put His arms around him,
And whispered, "Come with Me."
With tearful eyes we watched him suffer,
And saw him fade away;
Although we loved him dearly,
We could not make him stay.
A golden heart stopped beating,
Working hands were laid to rest;
God broke our hearts to prove to us,
He only takes the best.*

The Family

The Order of Service

Prelude

Processional

Hymn The Choir

Scripture

Old Testament

New Testament

Prayer of Comfort The Rev. Carrie Pugh

Hymn The Choir

Acknowledgements Mary Alice Peoples

Remarks Irene Glover

Obituary (Read silently with Soft Music)

Solo Mary Alice Peoples

Eulogy The Rev. R. E. Headen

Benediction

Recessional The Choir

Postlude

The Family will receive their relatives and out-of-town friends in the Nettles home immediately following the cemetery rites.

Floral Bearers

Brigal Stone
Patricia Burke
Jean Headen
Wilma Alston
Linda Harrington
Ada Alston
Helen Glover
Linda Sue Alston

Casket Bearers

Vinston Nettles
Albert Alston
Kenneth Burke
David Nettles
Kenneth McIntrye
Steve Alston

Expresssion of Thanks

The Nettles Family wishes to extend their sincere appreciation for the many acts of concern and love including the calls, visits, and prayers. Your concern and support is most appreciated. May God bless each of you.

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