

## HONORARY FLOWER BEARERS

*Mother's Board*

## ACTIVE FLOWER BEARERS

*Deaconess & Senior Missionary*

## HONORARY PALLBEARERS

*Deacons and Brotherhood*

## ACTIVE PALLBEARERS

*Sweet Home Lodge #179*

## ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

*The family of Deacon Horton L. Boone would like to thank God for his life and his inspiration to all of us. To each of you who has shared through prayer, visitation, calls, food and kind thoughts, we are eternally grateful.*

*— The Boone Family —*

## INTERMENT

*Valhalla Memory Gardens  
698 Winchester Road*

### **Arrangements Entrusted to:**

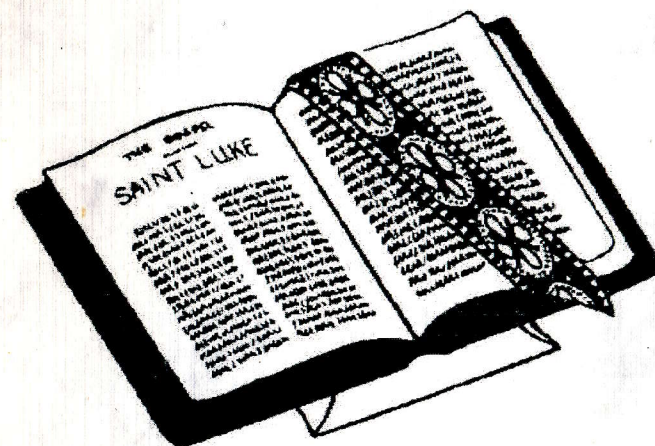
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*"When only memories remain, let them be beautiful."*

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# IN LOVING MEMORY OF

*Deacon Horton L. Boone*



*Sunday, March 28, 1999*

*2:00 p.m.*

*New Jerusalem M.B. Church*

*2562 Bob Wade Lane*

*Harvest, AL*

*Pastor Ricky Sykes, Officiating*

# WHEN I MUST LEAVE YOU

**W**hen I must leave you for a little while,  
please do not grieve and shed wild tears.

And hug your sorrow to you through the  
years, but start out bravely with a gallant  
smile;

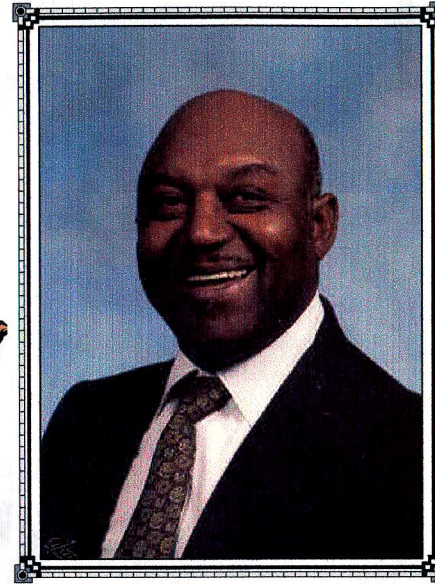
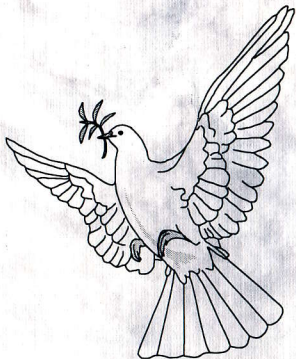
And live for my sake and in my name, live on  
and do all things the same;

Feed not your loneliness on empty days, but  
fill each waking hour in useful ways;

Reach out your hand in comfort and in cheer,  
and I in turn will comfort you and hold you  
near;

And never, never be afraid to die, for I am  
waiting for you in the sky.

— Helen Steiner Rice —



JUL. 19, 1925-MAR. 22, 1999

I salute you, My Darling.  
You have touched the lives of many by  
being an inspiration through your  
experience, wisdom, and patience.  
Many lights have dimmed, but yours will  
forever shine.

— Frances —

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OBITUARY  
POEM

# OBITUARY

## HORTON LEWIS BOONE

was born July 19, 1925 in Madison County to Flora Fuqua and Samuel Lee Allen. He departed this life from his earthly home to his heavenly home on March 22, 1999. He was preceded in death by his parents, his only brother, Luster Boone and by three of his children: Samuel Lee Boone and two who died in infancy, Ronald Kirk Boone and Carol Diane Boone.

He accepted Christ at an early age and was a member of Mt. Lebanon Missionary Baptist Church, where he was ordained as a deacon and served faithfully until the church dissolved, then he joined New Jerusalem Missionary Baptist, where he served faithfully until his death.

He served as a member of the Trustee Board, was a faithful Bible Class member, sang with the Brotherhood Chorus, was presently Chairman of the deacons board, and was a faithful member of the Flint River Missionary Baptist Association, where he also served as Treasurer. He was a member of the Sweet Home Lodge #179 for many years. He served as Junior Warden until his health failed.

He joined the army and served during World War II. After active duty, he joined the Reserve and was assigned to the 926th Engineer Battalion Company "C" until he retired. He also retired after having a lengthy career as a Civil Service Employee.

He was a man of many talents and helped countless people. He especially loved and enjoyed working on cars.

He attended Public School, where he only received a 9th grade education, but as an adult he received his G.E.D. and went on to graduate and receive a dipoloma in Automotive Mechanics from J.F. Drake Technical College.

He leaves to cherish his memory, a loving wife: Frances C. Boone; nine daughters: Callie L. Ayers, Elizabeth B. Cole, Doris F. Torain, Gail Woods (Willie) and Gloria Battle, all of Huntsville, AL; Mary A. Adepoju (Lary); Flora M. Davis and Ella Delores LaSane, all of Fairbanks, AK; Cynthia G. Boone of Decatur, GA; one daughter-in-law: Ormelia M. Boone of Detroit, MI; one godchild: Michelle E. Anderson of Decatur, GA; two sons: Carl Lane (Lydia) of Huntsville, AL and Nunry Williamson of San Antonio, TX; three sisters-in-law: Beulah Campbell of Huntsville, AL; Mary Mason of Homestead, PA and Betty Mullins of Stuttgart, AS; one brother-in-law: Luther Mullins, Sr. of Stuttgart, AS; 22 grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren; many nieces, nephews, cousins and friends and his extended family of New Jerusalem Missionary Baptist Church and the Flint River Missionary Baptist Church Association.

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## JOHN 14:1-4

*Let not your heart be troubled:*

*ye believe in God, believe also in me.*

*In my Father's house are many mansions:*

*if it were not so, I would have told you.*

*I go to prepare a place for you.*

*And if I go and prepare a place for you,*

*I will come again, and receive you unto myself;*

*that where I am, there ye may be also.*

*And whither I go ye know,*

*and the way ye know.*



## ORDER OF SERVICE

### PROCESSIONAL

SELECTION.....New Jerusalem Sanctuary Choir

SCRIPTURE.....Dr. Wayne Snodgrass

PRAYER.....Pastor T.C. Johnson

SOLO.....William Brandon

### REFLECTIONS & TRIBUTES

Deacon Board/Church Member.....Deacon Grant Parris

Friend.....Clarence Jones

Deacon James Burks

Flint River Association.....Minister Hosie Seal

Special Tribute to My Grandfather.....Crystal Boone

SELECTION.....New Jerusalem Sanctuary Choir

EULOGY.....Pastor Ricky L. Sykes

CLOSING PRAYER.....Pastor John Clay

MORTICIAN

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