

Pall Bearers

Sons and Sons-in-law

Flower Bearers

Friends of the family

Interment - Elkmont Cemetery

The People's Funeral Home
Athens, Alabama
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FUNERAL SERVICES

For The Late

MR. LOUIE WASHINGTON

Wednesday, September 28, 1966

1:00 P.M.

Willow Grove Missionary Baptist Church

Bethel, Tennessee

Rev. James Shoulders and Rev. Willie Coleman
Officiating

Life is but a working day.
A time to work and a time to pray,
Then comes death that comes to all.

On Sunday night, September 25, 1966 at 8:30 the death angel silently came to Giles County hospital and with chilly fingers sealed the lips of Deacon Lonie Washington. He was born July 9, 1893. He was the son of the late John and Molly Johnson Washington. At an early age he confessed in Christ at Willow Grove Missionary Baptist Church under the pastorship of Rev. Walter Washington. He was married to Mrs. Bessie Coleman. To this union ten children were born. He showed signs of having genuine religion and qualification for deacon. He was ordained as a deacon and proved faithful to that office. He was a soldier. He was ever ready to wage war with the enemy and stand firm until the battle was ended. He was deacon who was ever ready to go forward and help in every way he could to bring things to pass. He made this way by his work. He was known as a friendly deacon of Willow Grove Church. He leaves to mourn his passing a devoted wife, Mrs. Bessie Washington; five daughters, Mary Johnson of Prospect, Tenn., Christine Johnson of Pulaski, Tenn., Nell Ruth Birdsong of Pulaski, Tenn.; two sons James Washington of Nashville, Tenn., and J. D. Washington of Eleventh, Ohio; a devoted step-mother, Georgia Washington; four brothers, Booker T., Dave, Will, George Washington; one sister Rosie B. Wilson; four sons-in-law, one aunt and one uncle, 18 grandchildren, 12 great grandchildren, ten nieces and five nephews and a host of relatives and friends. But some day we will meet again all our loved ones who have gone before. Someday we will reach that happy land where parting will be no more.

Processional

Hymn Deacon Robert Gilbert

Prayer Bro. Gaines Nelson

Song Choir

Scripture

Solo Bro. James Horton

Acknowledgements

Resolution Sis. Mary Nelson

Solo Sis. Virginia Gilbert

Words of Solation Rev. James Shoulders

Obituary Read Silently

Eulogy Rev. Willie Coleman

Viewing of Remains

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In Charge

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