

FLOWER BEARERS

Nieces and Friends

PALL BEARERS

Nephews and Friends

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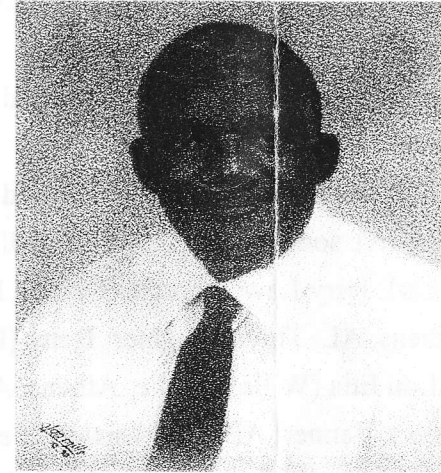
Acknowledgement

We gratefully acknowledge the love and kindness you have shown during these sorrowful hours. Your prayers, calls, visits, and concerns have been a source of strength and shall always be remembered.

The Family

Homecoming Celebration for

Bro. Walter Russell, Sr. (Tub)



1925-2001

Wednesday, July 18, 2001

1:00 p.m.

New Hopewell M.B. Church

Dogwood Flat Road

Tanner, AL

Pastor Larry R. Lockett, Officiating

OBITUARY

WALTER RUSSELL SR. (TUB) was born on December 25, 1925 in Limestone County, AL to Coleman and Pearl Russell. Hedeparted this life on Saturday, July 14, 2001.

He confessed hope in Christ in 1939, and joined Living Water C.P. Church under the leadership of Pastor Hosea Garrett, and later he joined Mount Zion C.P. Church under the leadership of Pastor Pearl Dancey. He moved to Athens, AL and joined the New Hopewell M.B. Church. Walter loved singing and he also managed several Singing Groups in Limestone and Morgan County.

He leaves to cherish his memory a devoted and loving wife, Effie Mae Russell, five sons: Walter (Ella) Russell Jr. of Newnan, Georgia, James Earl, Jerry Lewis, Fredic (Diane), Kedric (Darla) Russell all of Athens, AL. Three daughter: Betty (David) Edwards, Huntsville, AL, Lou Ella (Willie) Leslie, Athens, AL and Gwendolyn (Blender) Shoulders, Tanner, AL. Two sisters: Pearl Lee Holley and Curlie Mae Erskine both of Madison, AL. Nine sister-in-laws: Bernice Russell, Indiana Russell, both of Decatur, AL. Rev. Lela Parham, Mary (Bruce) Harvell, both of Madison, AL. Annie (David) Robinson, Ella Parham, Minnie (Frank) Wilson, Lizzie (Roosevelt) Toney, all of Huntsville, AL. Etlean (Leonard) Gordon of Decatur, AL. Three brother-in-laws: Moses Parham Jr. of Madison, AL, Larry (Annie) Chisom of Huntsville, AL, and Shelley Ratliff of Selma, AL. Fifteen grandchildren, four great grandchildren, and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

If a man die, shall he live again? all the days of my appointed time will I wait, till my change come.
Job 14:14.

Program

PROCESSIONAL

SELECTION CHOIR

PRAYER.....Dea. Jessie Mayberry

SELECTION.....CHOIR

SCRIPTURES..... Minister Charlie Holley
(Old Testament, New Testament)

TRIBUTE..... Minister Montez Shouldres
AS I KNEW HIM Dea. John Long

SOLO Dea. Blender Shoulders
OBITUARY.....(Read Silently)..... Soft Music

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS/ Mother Vivian Lockett
RESOLUTION

SELECTION..... CHOIR

EULOGY.....Pastor Larry R. Lockett
New Hopewell M. B. Church
SOLOMinister Clara Byrd

PRAYER.....Dea. Fred Houston

RECESSIONAL