

FUNERAL RITES

of

MR. BENNIE LEE GRISBY

of

LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA



Saturday, August 10, 1968 – 1:00 P.M.

St. Luke M. B. Church

Athens, Alabama

Rev. Gurly Woods, Officiating

Interment – Cemetery Hines Street

Mason Funeral Home, Directing

OBITUARY

Death is inevitable. Man is born to die. All must die, how soon, we cannot tell. Your employment may be lovable, your aim good, your motive right; when the time comes to die, you must leave all. Whereas death has come to one whom we have known and loved, Sunday, August 4, 1968 at Los Angeles, California, our devoted husband and son passed away.

He was born May 4, 1931 to Mrs. Grace Grisby Allen and the late Mr. Clint Grisby; grew up in Athens, Alabama and attended the Miller Elementary and Trinity High School here. He left here in 1958 and made his home at Detroit, Michigan. He confessed a hope in Christ there and joined the First Glory Baptist Church there and was baptized. He attended his church and supported it financially and spiritually. He left Detroit in 1960 and went to Los Angeles, California and was married to Mrs. Wilma Grisby.

He leaves to mourn his passing a wife, Mrs. Wilma Grisby, Los Angeles, California, two sons, Delrich, Los Angeles, California, Bennie Harold, Rockford, Illinois, a mother, Mrs. Grace Allen, a step father, Mr. Dock Allen, one sister, Mrs. Ada Mae Strawter, Detroit, Michigan, four aunts, Mrs. Martha Grisby, Detroit, Michigan, Mrs. Lucille Brown, Cleveland, Ohio, Mrs. Lella Redus, Athens, Alabama, Mrs. Ethel Mae Horton, Rockford, Illinois, two uncles, Mr. Melvin Norman, Detroit, Michigan, Mr. Nell Grisby, Louisville, Kentucky, one niece, Patricia Horton, Detroit, Michigan, one brother-in-law, Mr. Robert Strawter, Detroit, Michigan, Mr. and Mrs. Marabrush, Los Angeles, California and a host of other relatives and friends.

Servant of God, well done,
Rest from thy labor employ.
The battle is fought, the victory won.
Enter thy Master's joy.

PROGRAM

Processional

Song Choir

Song and Prayer Bro. Earl Murrah

Scripture Rev. M. P. Burke

Song Rev. Hezziah Crutcher

Acknowledgements Miss Geneva Malone

Obituary Read Silently

Eulogy Rev. Gurly Woods

Solo Miss Mary Dell Crutcher

Viewing of Remains

Mr. Carinus Carter, National Funeral Director & Mortician

FLOWER GIRLS

Mrs. Arnell Howell
Mrs. Johnnie Wilson
Miss Mary Frances Hammond

Mrs. Phillip Smith
Miss Martha Rivers
Miss Rose Hicks

PALL BEARERS

Mr. James Mixon
Mr. George Davis
Mr. Fred Allen

Mr. Willie King
Mr. Charles Brown
Mr. Loudon David

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The family wishes to thank their many friends for the kindness shown during their hours of sorrow.