

I Am Free

Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free.
I'm following the path God has laid you see.
I took His hand when I heard Him call.
I turned my back and left it all.

I could not stay another day,
To laugh, to love, to work or play.
Tasks left undone must stay that way.
I found that peace at the close of the day.

If my parting has left a void,
Then fill it with remembered joys.
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,
Oh yes, these things I too will miss.

Be not burdened with times of sorrow.
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.
My life's been full, I savored much,
Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.

Perhaps my time seemed all too brief.
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.
Lift up your hearts and peace to thee.
God wanted me now; He set me free!

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Repast: Church Fellowship Hall
Interment will follow in McKeesport and
Versailles Cemetery in McKeesport.
Arrangements by Robert E. Waters Funeral
Home 2326 Jenny Lind Street, McKeesport PA
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Frank Mikell

Sunrise
May 6, 1930

Sunset
June 28, 2009

Calvary United Methodist Church
1915 Bailey Avenue
McKeesport, Pa 15132
Pastors: Keith C. Kaufold
Paul D. Taylor

Celebration of the Life of Frank Mikell

Presiding: Pastor Keith C. Kaufold &
Reverend Paul Taylor
Pianist: Mrs. Arlene Coleman

❖ Family Processional & Final Viewing

❖ Music : When We All Get to Heaven

❖ Words of Grace and Greeting

❖ Selection Blessed Assurance
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Prayer

❖ Old Testament Reading: Psalms 31:1-5

❖ New Testament Reading: John 14:1-7

❖ Selection When I See Jesus, Amen
Beatrice Wyley
❖ Expressions of Comfort Visiting Clergy

❖ Acknowledgments Carlos Pettigrew
❖ Reflections Delores "Lolo" Fox
Chenits Pettigrew, Jr.

❖ Reading of the Obituary Gaetan Pettigrew

❖ Selection Harvey Grant
The Rough Side of the Mountain

Eulogy

❖ Selection Harvey Grant
Your Grace and Mercy

❖ Recessional Soon and Very Soon

OBITUARY

Frank Mikell, the son of the late Eugene and Sadie (Qualles) Mikell departed this life on Sunday, June 28, 2009 in McKeesport, Pa. Born on May 6, 1930 on Johns Island, South Carolina he was one of nine siblings

Frank was the proud owner and operator of Mikells' Barber Shop for over fifty years and was deeply woven into the threads of the McKeesport community. A lifetime member of Calvary United Methodist Church he served in various capacities which included a financial committee member, choir member and former lay leader.

A joyful family man, **Frank** leaves his most precious gifts to continue to navigate this life. They include his loving wife of thirty-five years, Mary E. (Larkins) Mikell of McKeesport, children Marva Woffort in North Carolina, Cyler (Merci) Mikell of Washington D.C., Kenneth Mikell of Silver Spring Maryland. Sons Dana Mikell, Chaze Martin, Charles Martin, Darnell Martin and Jarell Bostic reside in McKeesport. He is also survived by 20 grandchildren, 4 great grandchildren, 2 brothers, Charles (Jackie) Mikell of Monroeville and Jessie (Dorothy) Mikell of Owego, New York, 2 sisters Melissa Johnson of the Poconos and Delores (Rufus) Fox of Jacksonville, Florida. A host of nieces, nephews, cousins, many friends and loyal customers will also remember his witty humor, neighborhood barbecues and fourth of July firepower.

Pallbearers

Carlos Pettigrew
Chenits Pettigrew
Charles Martin IV
Theo Beau ford

Gaetan Pettigrew
Derrick Mikell
Tyler Langford
Zackary Mikell