

# In Loving Memory

—OF—

MR. ROBERT LEONARD SANFORD

1989  
1917  
81



†SERVICES†

Wednesday, November 29, 1989

11:00 A.M.

Second Mission Baptist Church

Corsicana, Texas

Rev. Charles Kelly Officiating

Pastor, Rev. Paul Curry

## OBITUARY

Robert Leonard Sanford was born February 24, 1907 in Kelm, Texas to the parentage of Will Sanford and Mary Williams Sanford. He confessed Christ at an early age and worked faithfully until death. He served as worshipful master of Blooming Banner Lodge No. 279 and District Deputy Grand Master for many years and did a superb job.

He married Ola Mae Allen on September 25, 1929. To this union eight children were born.

He leaves to mourn a loving wife, Mrs. Ola Mae Sanford; one son, Robert Prince Sanford of Houston; seven daughters, Mrs. Evelyn Faye Bufford of Dallas, Mrs. Lillie Marie Walker, Mrs. Alice Jean Donnell and Ms. Judy Sanford all of Ft. Worth, Mrs. Amelia Warren and Mrs. Betty Lue Parker both of Houston, and Mrs. Joan Washington of Duncanville; 25 grandchildren; 25 great-grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Lillian Major of Dallas; two brothers, Ervin Sanford of Irving and Johnny Sanford of Ft. Worth; a host of other relatives and friends.



*Eccl. 3:1 & 4 – To everything there is a season and a time for every matter or purpose under heaven. (4) A time to weep and a time to laugh; a time to mourn, and a time to dance.*

*On November 25, 1989, Robert fell asleep in death. He left his earthly temple and was carried by angels to be with the Lord.*

*Blessed are they who die in the Lord that they may rest from their labors, for their work do follow them.*

*He lived past the 80 years we can live because he was one of God's saints.*

*Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of His saints.*

*This death he died was physical because he who has Jesus has eternal life.*

*Robert died at a good old age, an old man satisfied.*

## ORDER OF SERVICE

M. C. .... Rev. Paul Curry

PRELUDE ..... Soft Music

PROCESSIONAL ..... Ministers & Family

SELECTION ..... "Because He Lives"

SCRIPTURE ..... Appointee  
Old and New Testament

PRAYER ..... Appointee

OBITUARY ..... (Read Silently) Soft Music

RESOLUTIONS ..... Church, Lodge, Others

REMARKS ..... 2 Minutes, Please

SELECTION ..... "Precious Lord"

EULOGY ..... Rev. Charles Kelly  
Pastor, Goodwill Baptist Church, Streetman

FINAL TRIBUTE ..... Funeral Directors  
"When We All Get to Heaven"

RECESSIONAL ..... Soft Music

**HONORARY CASKET BEARERS**

Sons-In-Law

**ACTIVE CASKET BEARERS**

Grandsons

**INTERMENT**

Woodland Cemetery  
Corsicana, Texas

**APPRECIATION**

*With grateful hearts, the family extends a sincere "Thank You" to everyone who expressed care and concern during our bereavement. May God bless each of you.*

Will those driving in the procession please  
turn on headlights for safety.



JOSEPH JOHNSON

**ROSS & JOHNSON  
MORTUARY**

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