

Acknowledgment

The family of Earnest Jackson wishes to acknowledge your kindness and thoughts with this verse:

"Perhaps you sent a lovely card or sat quietly in a chair. Perhaps You sent a funeral spray; if so, we saw it there. Perhaps you spoke the kindest words, that any friend could say. Perhaps you were not there at all, just thought of us that day. Whatever you did to console our hearts, we thank you so much, whatever the part."

The Family

Honorary Pallbearers

Earnest B. Jackson	Cedric Jackson
Jimmy Marlow	Randall Spann
Mark White	Sean Johnson

Active Pallbearers

Prince Hall Grand Lodge

Flower Bearers

Family & Friends

Committal and Interment

Harmonia M.B. Church Cemetery
Park Place Road
Como, Mississippi

Professional Services & Arrangements Entrusted To

Relix Gauthen Funeral Home

13653 Highway 4 West
Senatobia, Mississippi 38668
662-562-4773



Don't

Don't spend too much time in mourning,
Tears are for the sad.
I left to be with Jesus,
And that should make you glad.
Don't waste your time in grieving,
No need to feel distressed;
I'm tired of life's frustrations,
And had to get some rest.
Don't fix yourself with questions
Or try to reason why.
Life for me has ended,
It came my time to die.
Don't lose the love I gave you,
Feed it with your care;
Grow it with devotion
And spend it everywhere.
Don't fret because my leaving
Came in such a way.
We will have another meeting
On God's Great Eternal Day.

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Obituary

Sixty-eight years ago, October 3, 1931, God allowed the late Bennie Lee Jackson and Lucinda Matlock Jackson to be the proud parents of Earnest Jackson (better known as "Tiny") in Sardis, Mississippi. Between the years of 1931 and 2000, Earnest Jackson, Sr. made his contribution to life and the world around him.

During the early morning of August 30, 2000, the anxious efforts of physicians at the North Mississippi Medical Center gave way to the will of the "Greatest Physician"—the God of Life, who gave Bro. Earnest Jackson birth into eternity.

Earnest Jackson, Sr. (Tiny) was baptized at an early age at Harmonia Missionary Baptist Church in Sardis, Mississippi where he remained a faithful member until his health failed. There he served as Senior Deacon, Treasurer, Adult Sunday School Teacher, and Soloist. He was also a member of Prince Hall Grand Orient Lodge #11, where he served as Worshipful Master and Grand Junior Warden.

Music was his ministry. He sang at various churches and was a long time member of the Harmonia Harminers in which he served as Chapter and First Leader.

Professionally he was a farmer and owner of a brick masonry business.

God was kind to Earnest and blessed him with a loving Christian wife of 43 years, Lue Ella Stewart Jackson—who stood by him and with him until death came on August 30, 2000. He was blessed with seven daughters and three sons. His daughter, Marie Johnson and son, Bobby, preceded him in death.

He leaves to cherish his memories: six daughters, Jocelyn Jackson of Clarksville, Tennessee, Marilyn Jackson of Seoul, Korea, Wyvetta (Jimmy) Marlow of Jacksonville, Florida, Valerie (Randall) Spann of Jacksonville, Florida, Keshia (Mark) White of Como, Mississippi, Lois Roseborough of Senatobia, Mississippi; two sons, Earnest (Josephine) Jackson, Jr. of Como, Mississippi; Cedric Jackson of Jacksonville, Florida; one sister, Annette (Sweetie Mae) Green of Chicago, Illinois; one brother, George (Bubba) Jackson of Chicago, Illinois; two special friends, Larry Waites and Earnest Love; eight grandchildren; nieces, nephews, cousins and friends whom he touched.

Order of Service

Sis. Hilda Williams, Mistress of Ceremonies

Processional

Selection.....Jesus Keep Me Near The Cross".....Choir

Scripture.....Rev. R.S. Bachus

Prayer.....Rev. Mack Taylor

Solo.....Deacon Jimmy Gipson

Expressions.....3 Minutes Please

Lifelong Friend.....Rev. Mack Taylor

Church Member.....Deacon Fred Williams

Prince Hall Grand Lodge

Friends or Family

Selection.....Choir

Acknowledgments

Obituary.....Soft Music.....Read Softly

Solo.....Minister Harlen Harris

Eulogy.....Pastor Winfred Bailey

Benediction

Recessional.....Cauthen Funeral Home

The family requests no viewing of remains after the Eulogy.

Repass'

Immediately following the burial - Harmonia M.B. Church

Sweet Rest At Last

God saw the road was getting rough,
The hills were hard to climb;
He gently closed those loving eyes,
And whispered, "Peace, be thine".
The weary hours, the days of pain,
The sleepless nights are passed;
The ever patient worn out frame
Has found "Sweet Rest At Last."

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