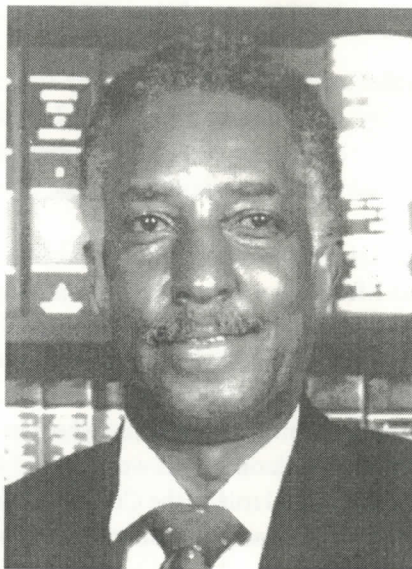


Going Home Celebration
of



John Arthur Webb

*Sunday, December 22, 1996
2:00 p.m.*

*CONCORD MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
Curtis Road
Batesville, Mississippi*

*Rev. John Snow, III
Pastor & Officiating*

Obituary

On December 4, 1930, John Arthur Webb was 5th of 8 children born to Godfrey, Sr. and Willa B. Webb in the Concord Community of Batesville, Mississippi. Three siblings preceeded him in death; Zenobia, Godfrey, Jr., Bennie Milton.

John accepted Christ at an early age at Concord Missionary Baptist Church.

Upon completion of training at Okolona Junior College, he taught school for several years. John then enlisted in the U.S. Armed Forces where he served 3 years. After discharge, he made his home in Detroit, Michigan.

John was united in holy matrimony to Alice Trammell. To this union, three sons were born.

Throughout John's life, his spiritual realm has always been a significant factor in his life and the upbringing of his sons.

John was active in various church and community activities.

During his 30 years of service with the U.S. Postal Service, he sang and toured with the Detroit Post Office Male Chorus.

Upon retirement, John returned home where he received great joy in raising his farm animals, gardening, and working in his yard.

John played an integral role in the Concord Homecoming festivities each year. He shared his antiques, he shared his animals, and he shared remembrance of days of old.

John will be remembered and respected for the profound allegiance he held for family, friends, and community.

John departed this life on December 18, 1996 in the Baptist Memorial - DeSoto Center.

His memory will be cherished by three sons, John, Jr. and Gregory of Detroit, Michigan and Christopher (April) of Horn Lake, Mississippi; one daughter, Donna; four sisters, Georgia (Elgie), Willeva, Anna (John), and Ruby Jean all of Detroit, Michigan; one aunt, Ruby James; three grandsons; one granddaughter; and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.