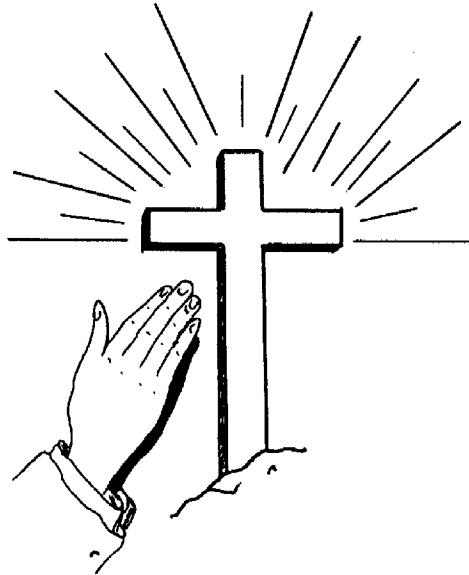


OBSEQUIES
of the late
MR. JOE CARTER, SR.



Sunday, January 29, 1978
2:00 P.M.
Walton Chapel C.M.E. Church
Sardis, Mississippi

Rev. C. Buchanan, Pastor
Rev. W. R. Young officiating

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age 85

OBITUARY

Life's journey ended peacefully for Mr. Joe Carter Sr., Wednesday, January 25, 1978, at 1:45 p.m. at the Veterans Administration Hospital, Memphis, Tennessee.

He was born May 10, 1893, to the late Annette Lyons Carter and Joe Carter. He accepted Christ as his personal Saviour at an early age and joined the Walton Chapel C.M.E. Church, Sardis, Miss. He served as a steward, treasurer, on the trustee board, and held many other offices until his health failed. He also served as a World War I veteran and was a member of the Batesville American Legion.

He was united in holy matrimony to Miss Marri Mose Etta Nunley. To this union fourteen children were born — six daughters and eight sons. Three preceded him in death; Betty Loyce Carter, Dempsey Rudolph Carter, and Bryant W. M. Carter.

He leaves to cherish his memory a lovely wife, Mrs. Marri Mose Etta Nunley Carter; six sons, Mr. Ottawa Every Lee Carter Sr., Mr. Joe Carter Jr., Mr. Malachi Carter, Mr. Frank Perry Carter and Mr. Albert Thomas Carter, all of Sardis, and Mr. McAuthor Carter of Chicago, Ill.; five daughters, Mrs. Edna Carter Jackson, Preston, Miss., Mrs. Nennie Carter Reed, Coldwater, Miss., Mrs. Velma Joyce Carter Walker, Memphis, Tenn., Mrs. Mattie Carter Brownlee, Batesville, Miss., and Miss Annette Carter of Fayette, Miss.

He also leaves two sisters, Ms. Veola Carter of Detroit, Mich., and Mrs. Alice Carter Taylor, Memphis, Tenn.; 21 grandchildren, four daughters-in-law, four sons-in-law, and a host of nieces, nephews, and other relatives and friends to mourn his passing.

TO SOMEONE SPECIAL

We do believe that God above
Created you for us to love.
He picked you out from all the rest,
Because He knew we'd love you best.
We had hearts and they were true,
Now they're gone from us to you.
So care for them as we have done,
For you have many, and we have none.
If we should die and go to heaven
And you're not there
We will wait for you at the golden gate.