

FUNERAL SERVICES

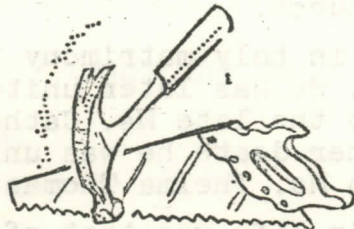
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MR. ERNEST CHILDRESS

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SUNDAY, OCTOBER 1, 1989

1:30 P.M.

MACEDONIA BAPTIST CHURCH
Batesville, Mississippi

REV. ZANNIE LELAND, JR.
Pastor

OBITUARY

Mr. Ernest Childress was born January 17, 1904 in Grenada County, Mississippi to the parentage of the late Mr. Robert and Mrs. Roxanne Childress.

He confessed and accepted Jesus Christ as his personal Saviour at an early age. Later in his adult life he moved to Batesville, Mississippi, and united with the Macedonia M.B. Church. There he remained a loyal and devoted member until death; serving as a member of the Deacon Board and was totally supportive of the entire program of the church.

He was united in holy matrimony to Ms. Mealie Commander. He was later united in holy matrimony to the late Ms. Cathedral Johnson. After her death he was united in holy matrimony to Ms. Thelma Thomas Glover.

His vocation in life was that of Carpenter. And he worked diligently until his failing health forced him to retire. He was a member of Panola Lodge #6-A of Batesville, Mississippi.

He had a jovial sense of humor and a witty personality that endeared him to all who knew him. He was "Pop" to all his children; step-children; grandchildren; and great grandchildren; and was "Cuz" to his numerous friends.

He was preceded in death by three step-daughters whom he reared: Including: the late Mrs. Johnnie Flwoers. He exchanged mortality for immortality on September 28, 1989, at 4:00 A.M. at the South Panola Community Hospital, Batesville, MS.

In memory, with love, he leaves: a de-

voted wife: Mrs. Thelma T. Childress of
Batesville, Sons: Mack Williams, Barry
Glover of Batesville, MS; Howard Harris of
Chicago, IL; Daughters: Eva Lee Moore, Ft.
Riley, KS, Mrs. Annie Ruth Jamison of Marks,
MS, six grandchildren whom he helped rear:
James Earnest Flowers, Robert L. Flowers,
Leslie E. Flowers, Betty J. Flowers all of
Chicago, IL; Harvey Flowers, Joyce Ann
Flowers Turner of Batesville, one brother:
Robert Childress of Stockton, CA, and
numerous other grandchildren, great-grand-
children, nieces, nephews, relatives and
friends.

ORDER OF SERVICE

Processional

Scripture Lesson

Invocation

Selection

Resolution and Acknowledgements

Obituary Soft Music
(Read Silently)

Solo Mr. Lester Haynie

Eulogy Rev. Zannie Leland, Jr.

The Parting View

Recessional

