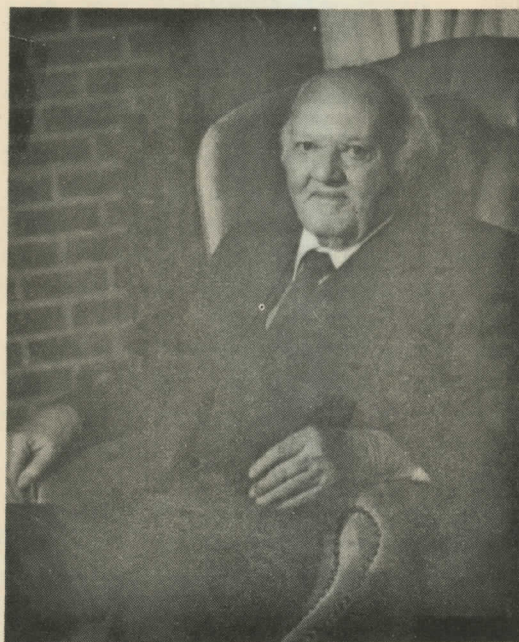


***The Celebration of the Life  
of***



***Walter Houston***

***Service of Remembrance***

***Mt. Oliver M.B. Church  
Saturday, February 1, 1992  
12:00 p.m.***

***Officiating  
Rev. Norwood Burgess***

## Obituary

Walter Houston, was born September 3, 1911, to the union of Douglas and Mariah Houston. He was the youngest of ten children, all of whom preceded him in death. He lived with his family near Charleston, where he was educated.

He professed Christ and was united with Mt. Oliver M.B. Church where he remained an active member until his death.

Walter was united in Holy Matrimony to Glennie Mae Johnson, with whom he enjoyed a warm and loving relationship for fifty years. This marriage was blessed by seven children - one who preceded him in death. In his quiet, loving manner, he was a supportive father while admiring his children's many accomplishments.

Serving as the first black school bus driver for East Tallahatchie County Schools, Walter would encourage and counsel children in his caring and unassuming way as he drove them to and from school for fifteen years. His family life and farm were a constant source of pride throughout his life.

Walter departed this life on January 24, 1992, at Grenada Lake Medical Center, Grenada, MS. He leaves to rejoice in his life and to celebrate his homegoing, his devoted wife, Glennie; six children: Larry and Mark of Charleston, MS; Charles of Grenada, MS; Marva of Boston, MA; Annette of Chicago, IL; and Walter of Washington, D.C.; two daughters-in-law, two sons-in-law, twelve grandchildren, two great-grandchildren, five sisters-in-law, nieces, nephews, and a host of other relatives and friends.

### **Pallbearers**

Andrea Houston  
Eric Houston  
Cedric Jones

Sylvester Kirk  
A.V. Kirk  
Lester Covington

### **Honorary Pallbearers**

Larry Houston  
Charles Houston  
Walter C. Houston  
Mark Houston

Reon Gibson  
Clifford Gibson  
Claude Gibson  
Jeff Ross, Jr.

### **In Appreciation**

The family wishes to extend sincere thanks and deep gratitude for the many expressions of sympathy and acts of kindness and consideration shown in their hour of bereavement.

### **Arrangements Entrusted To**

Fox Funeral Home, Inc.  
Grenada, MS