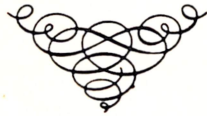


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Gamma Lambda Chapter



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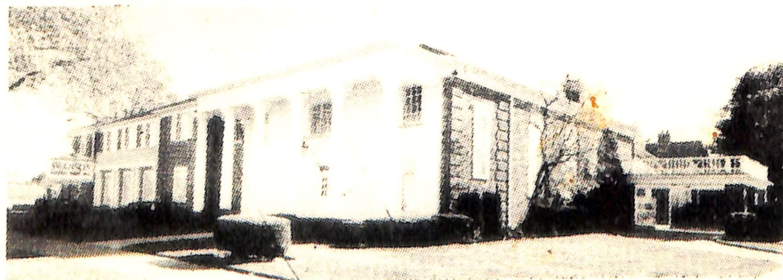
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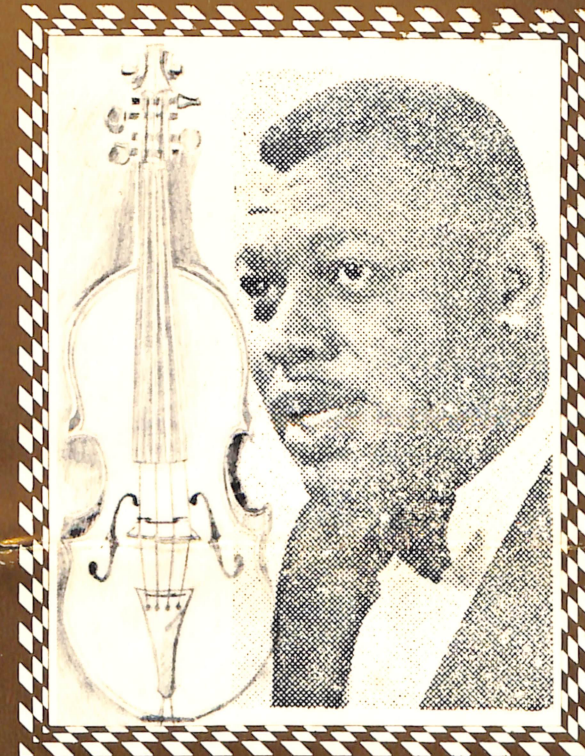


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A Service of Memory Celebrating The Life of



Timothy Johnson, Jr.

Thursday, April 7, 1988

*Family Hour
6 - 6:30 p.m.*

*Omega Service
6:30 - 7 p.m.*

*Worship Service
7 - 8 p.m.*

*To Be Held
IN THE SANCTUARY OF*

Central United Methodist Church

23 E. Adams - Detroit, Michigan

REV. DAVID E. KIDD, Officiating Minister

Obituary

Timothy Johnson, Jr. was born on September 15, 1924 to the late Timothy Johnson, Sr. and Hattie Virginia Jones Johnson in Marshall, Texas. He was the second in a family of four. He was baptized in the United Methodist Church at an early age.

Following his being graduated from Washington High School in Dallas, Texas and entering Wiley College in Marshall, Texas, his junior year was interrupted by honorable service in the U.S. Army (Infantry) during World War II. He was Master Sergeant who perpetuated good in every realm of his life. His educational background reflects: B.S. Degree (Major: Mathematics and Chemistry) "magna cum laude", Wiley College, Marshall, Texas, 1947; M.A. Degree in Education (Guidance and Counseling), University of Michigan, 1952; and Doctoral Study, University of Michigan and Ohio University, Educational Administration and Supervision, 1965-66.

Timothy's career began when he was a social worker for Wayne County Bureau of Social Aid from 1951-53; and continued with positions of: Mathematics Instructor, Prairie View State College, Prairie View, Texas, 1953-55; Personnel Aide and Head Teller, National Bank of Detroit, 1955-59; and Director of Community Services, Grand Rapids Urban League, Grand Rapids, Michigan, from 1959-65. It was during his six years of active participation in the Grand Rapids community that Timothy Johnson, Jr. and Miss Joy E. Ussery were united in holy matrimony on June 19, 1965, at First Community African Methodist Episcopal Church of Grand Rapids, where he served as minister of music from 1960-65.

He accepted appointment of Teacher III, State of Ohio Zaleski Youth Camp for one year, 1965-66, prior to becoming the Dean of Students at Dillard University, New Orleans, Louisiana from 1966-67. Returning to Detroit in August 1967, he was immediately employed as Teacher Specialist at Highland Park High School, a position he held until his demise.

Timothy was an active member of Central United Methodist Church and soloist with Central's Historic Chancel Choir. He was a member of Gamma Lambda Chapter, Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity. Honorary Societies included: Alpha Kappa Mu National Honor Society, Wiley Chapter, 1946; Beta Kappa Chi National Honorary Scientific Society, Wiley Chapter, 1946; and Phi Delta Kappa, Ohio University, 1966. He was also nationally recognized in *Who's Who in the Midwest*, 1965-66.

Additional memberships and affiliations included:

University of Michigan Alumni.

Past President, Detroit Bridge Unit; Member, Grand Slammers Bridge Club; Kings and Queens Bridge Club; Excelsiors Bridge Club; Kibitzers Bridge Club; Wolverines Bridge Club; and American Bridge Association, Incorporated

Member, Founder's Society, Detroit Institute of Arts.

Member and Soloist, Scott United Methodist Church, Detroit, Michigan, 1951-59.

President, Detroit Musicians Association, 1970-72.

American Institute of Banking.

American Association of University Professors.

American Personnel and Guidance Association (Served delegate for the Association to International Vocational Guidance Conference Meeting at UNESCO, 1952, Paris, France).

National Vocational Guidance Association.

National Employment Counseling Association.

National Education Association.

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Member, American Federation of Teachers.

Member, Highland Park Federation of Teachers.

Highland Park Caucus Club.

Advisor, International Visitor Program, 1962-64.

Coordinating Council of Grand Rapids, 1963-65.

Advisor, Youth Advisory Council to the Michigan Youth Commission, 1964.

Director of Education, Zaleski Branch, Ohio Youth Commission, Zaleski, Ohio, 1966.

State Chairman, Protective Juvenile Services, Michigan Congress of Parents and Teachers, 1965.

Narrator, Aaron Copland's "A Lincoln Portrait", Grand Rapids Symphony Orchestra, Grand Rapids, Michigan, 1965

Grand Rapids Civic Theatre Players, 1961-65.

Executive Board Member, Fund Raising Committee, United Community Services, 1963-65.

Board Member and Chairman, Committee on Awards and Nominations, Kent County Family Life Council, 1963-65.

Board Member and Housing Chairman, Community Concerts, Incorporated, 1964.

Membership Committee, Adult Education Association of Michigan, 1964.

Instructor, Home and Family Life Program of Kent County, Department of Social Welfare, 1963-65.

Grand Rapids Urban League Coordinator, Maud Brough Scholarship Fund, 1959-65.

Grand Rapids Urban League Coordinator, Citizens Organization for Neighborhood Improvement, 1960-65.

Michigan Welfare League.

Grand Rapids Area Council of Churches, 1961-65.

Consultant, Calvin College, Grand Rapids, Michigan, 1960-64.

Consultant, Aquinas College, Grand Rapids, Michigan, 1960-64.

Chairman, Research Committee on School Dropouts, Michigan Congress of Parents and Teachers, 1963.

Coordinator and Captain, Grand Rapids Urban League Fund Raising Team for United Community Services, 1960-65.

Old News Boys, Grand Rapids, Michigan, 1961-64.

Advisory Board Member to Sister Mary Denise of the Sisters of St. Joseph and Friends, Incorporated, Detroit, Michigan.

Mr. Timothy Johnson; underwent open-heart surgery in May 1987 and expired from heart failure on April 3, 1988.

Cherishing his memories are his wife, Joy; two sisters, Irene Rogers and Jeanette Johnson of Dallas, Texas; his nephew, Randolph Rogers and family also of Dallas, Texas; three aunts: Thellie Clark of Dallas, Jean Jones and Hattie Jones of Chicago, Illinois; cousins: Jonathan E., Wanda F., Monique D., Seth Michael, Ferrare L., and Christina F. Piper of Detroit; Claude Jones and family of Toronto, Ontario, Canada; Edith Jones of Chicago, Illinois; James Patterson and family of New York. Also cherishing his memories are one brother-in-law, John E. Ussery, Jr.; two sisters-in-law, Ouida B. Smith and family, and Lucy June Parker and family. He also leaves a host of other relatives and friends.

Order of Worship

ORGAN PRELUDE Dan Broner, Organist

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

One: We are gathered here to remember and honor the life and thought of Timothy Johnson.

All: We affirm with praise and thanksgiving the goodness of our Creator God.

One: Let us rejoice in God's presence with us, as we mourn, and as we experience the healing of love.

All: Our lips sing for joy, for God's love is over all Creation. Blessed be God's glorious name forever!

HYMN 505 "Now, on Land and Sea Descending"

THE READING OF HOLY SCRIPTURE Mr. Emmitt Reeves

Psalm 27
Ephesians 3:14-21
Revelation 22:1-5

ANTHEM "Grant Them Rest Eternal"
from *Requiem* by Gabriel Faure

*Grant them rest eternal, O Lord, and let
light perpetual shine upon them,
Hymns shall become thee, O God in Zion,
and to thee shall new vows be paid in Jerusalem.
Hear thou my prayer, O Lord God; unto
thee shall all flesh come.
Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Grant us thy peace.*

ORDER OF WORSHIP (Continued)

THE PRAYERS

Collect Prayer (in unison)

**Almighty God, author of life and of death,
our help in time of trouble;
we turn to you in this hour of sadness,
for in you we find comfort and assurance.
You know our needs before we even ask,
and your grace is sufficient for all our needs.
Speak to us this night your solemn message of life and of death.
Help us to live as those who are prepared to die.
And when our summons comes,
may we die as those who go forth to live,
so that living or dying, our lives may be in you,
we pray in the name of Jesus Christ, our Saviour, Amen.**

Pastoral Prayer Rev. David E. Kidd

THE OBITUARY

THE SERMON

ANTHEM "In Paradise"

Faure

*In paradise be thou received of angel hosts,
thy coming attended by all the blessed martyr throng,
thy pathway guided into the holy city, Jerusalem.
May the chorus of angels there receive thee;
and with Lazarus, blessed of Abraham,
Lazarus, once a beggar, now comforted of Abraham,
be thine eternal rest.*

BENEDICTION

ORGAN POSTLUDE

The Joy of Unselfish Giving

TIME IS NOT MEASURED
BY THE YEARS THAT YOU LIVE
BUT BY THE DEEDS THAT YOU DO
AND THE JOY THAT YOU GIVE—
AND EACH DAY AS IT COMES
BRINGS A CHANCE TO EACH ONE
TO LOVE TO THE FULLEST,
LEAVING NOTHING UNDONE
THAT WOULD BRIGHTEN THE LIFE
OR LIGHTEN THE LOAD
OF SOME WEARY TRAVELER
LOST ON LIFE'S ROAD—
SO WHAT DOES IT MATTER
HOW LONG WE MAY LIVE
IF AS LONG AS WE LIVE
WE UNSELFISHLY GIVE.



“A Word of Thanks — To All Of You”

*You were all so very thoughtful
That no words could quite express
The special concern you showed to us,
That brought us more comfort and rest.*

*And though we just say, “Thank You”
That’s the very smallest part;
Of the grateful thoughts this brings you,
From the bottom of our hearts.*

THE JOHNSON FAMILY



*“He that dwelleth in the secret place of the most High shall
abide under the shadow of the Almighty.”* PSALM 91:1



Acknowledgement

The family wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation the many comforting messages, floral tributes, prayers and other expressions of kindness and concern shown at this time in thought and deed. . . . and the family is especially appreciative of the moral, spiritual as well as other supportive assistance provided by the thoughtful Choir and Members of Central United Methodist Church; Brothers of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity; Administrators, Teachers and Staff of Highland Park Public School System; and his many, many, many Bridge Associates.