

OBSEQUIES

OF THE LATE



Mr. Oscar Gates, Sr.

Mt. Lebanon Baptist Church
Como, Miss.

Wednesday, May 10, 1967
11:00 A. M.

Rev. M. B. Chaney, Pastor

OBITUARY

Mr. Oscar Gates, Sr. was born into the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Gates on March 22, 1888 in Panola County, Miss.

He confessed a hope in Christ in his early childhood and united with the First Baptist Church in Como, Mississippi under the pastorate of Rev. Bob Gates.

In 1909 he joined the Mt. Lebanon Baptist Church under the pastorate of Rev. Hence Harris.

He was united in Holy Matrimony with Lona B. Carter in March, 1910.

He leaves to mourn his passing 10 children, Mrs. Annie Mae Jackson, Mr. Oscar Gates, Jr.; Mr. Dempsey Gates; Mr. Houston Gates; Mrs. Mildred Edwards; Mr. Freeman Gates; Mrs. Maurice Coleman; Mrs. Lavonzell Hassell, Mr. Otis Gates; Mrs. Ruby Mitchell; 33 grand-children, 26 great-grandchildren, 2 brothers, Mr. Freeman Gates of Los Angeles, California, Mr. Fanning Gates of Memphis, 2 sisters, Mrs. Justine Henry of Los Angeles, Mrs. Nellie Davis of Menlo Park, California and a host of other relatives and friends.