

CELEBRATION OF LIFE FOR
MR. WILLIE "JAMES"
MCPHERSON

Sunrise: October 26, 1950

Sunset: November 6, 2020



Saturday, November 14, 2020

11:00 AM

GRAVESIDE SERVICE

Little Bethel Cemetery

Daphne, Alabama

Rev. Bennie Richardson, Officiant

Little Bethel Baptist Church

Daphne, Alabama

OBITUARY

Mr. Willie "James" McPherson

Willie exchanged this life for eternal rest on November 6, 2020 at his place of residence. He was born to the union of the late James Wright and Martha McPherson on October 26, 1950 in Coy, Alabama. He was preceded in death by four brothers, Leon McPherson, Robert McPherson, Earnest McPherson and Willie McPherson; two sisters, Katie Curry and Martha McPherson.

He leaves to cherish his memory; two daughters, Sharon McPherson, Lavonda McPherson; two sisters, one devoted, Ethel Stanton, Shelia (Gregory) Knight; one sister-in-law, Ruby McPherson; grandchildren, nieces, nephews' other relatives and friends.

I'M FREE

Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free
I'm following the path God has laid you see.
I took His hand when I heard him call
I turned my back and left it all.

I could not stay another day
To laugh, to love, to work, to play.
Tasks left undone must stay that way
I found that peace at the close of day.

If my parting has left a void
Then fill it with remembered joy.
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss
Oh yes, these things I too will miss.

Be not burdened with times of sorrow
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.
My life's been full, I savored much
Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.

Perhaps my time seemed all too brief
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.
Lift up your hearts and peace to thee
God wanted me now; He set me free.

ORDER OF SERVICE

Processional
Minister and Family

The Holy Scriptures
Old Testament
New Testament

Expressions
(Three Minutes Each)

Acknowledgment of Cards & Resolutions

Eulogy
Rev. Bennie Richardson

Committal

Benediction

Recessional
Minister and Family

PALLBEARERS

Family and Friends

FLOWER BEARERS

Family and Friends

INTERMENT

Little Bethel Cemetery
Daphne, Alabama

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

The family of *Willie James McPherson* acknowledges with sincere and deep appreciation the many expressions of love, kindness and sympathy shown at the demise of our love one. Your kindness has been a great source of strength to us. May God continue to richly bless each of you for your various expressions of love.

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