

The Order of Service

Processional.....Clergy & Family

Solo.....Avante Covington

Scriptures:

Old Testament.....A Minister

New Testament.....A Minister

Prayer of Comfort

Remarks – (2minutes please)

Eulogy.....Reverend J.J. Anderson

Solo.....Sha'Quana Platt

Funeral Director.....The Morris Staff

Committal

Recessional

Floral Attendants

Patricia Ford  
Adrienne Gilliam  
Bonita Plato  
Sha'Quana Platt  
Quantasia Stanfield  
Tomeika Townsend

Pallbearers

Jason Bingham  
Patrick Broughton  
Luke Douglas  
John Lemon  
Jemaude McClean  
Reginald Primus  
Eric Samuel

“If Roses Grow In Heaven”

*If roses grow in Heaven Lord  
please pick a bunch for me.  
Place them in my brother's arms  
and tell him they're from me.  
Tell him that I love and miss him  
and when he turns to smile,  
place a kiss upon his cheek  
and hold him for a while.  
Because remembering him is easy,  
I do it every day.  
But there is an ache within my heart  
that will never go away.*

Appreciation

*Words cannot express the feelings within our hearts. We will never forget the expressions of love, the gifts of devotion, the many acts of kindness, and your prayers. We are grateful for the support received during our time of sorrow.*

In Loving Memory  
of  
Franklin Maurice Thompson



Sunrise  
May 9, 1981

Sunset  
June 29, 2021

Saturday, July 10, 2021  
1:00 PM

Historical Sawmill Missionary Baptist Church  
Bennettsville, South Carolina 29512

Reverend J.J. Anderson, Pastor

Professional Services Entrusted To



142 Marshall Street • Bennettsville, South Carolina 29512  
J.S. McLeod, Owner (1939 – 2011)  
843.479.9068

~Interment~

Sawmill Missionary Baptist Church Cemetery





## The Obituary

*"I have fought the good fight. I have finished the race. I have kept the faith." ~2 Timothy 4:7*

**Franklin "Frankie" Maurice Thompson**, son of the late Shirley M. Thompson was born on May 9, 1981 in Bennettsville, South Carolina. He was preceded in death by his mother. He departed his life on earth on Tuesday, June 29, 2021 at his home in Bennettsville.

Franklin completed his formal education in Marlboro County and was a graduate of the Class of 1999. He worked at Mohawk Industries and several other companies until obtaining a job with Marley (SPX), where he was employed until his passing. SPX was a job that he loved and he loved the people he worked with just as much. He leaves behind three very special coworkers: Shanikqua Pouncy, Geneva Bilikas and Patricia Ford.

Franklin is preceded in death by his grandmother Edith McLain.

Left to cherish his loving memory are his sister, Sharon Thompson of Bennettsville, SC and brother Lawrence Thompson (Reva) of Trenton, NJ; two step-sisters Monica McKiver of Columbia, SC and Pam Johnson of Blenheim, SC; one step-brother Henry Franklin McKiver "J.R." of Rockingham, NC; a very special aunt Debbie McLain of Bennettsville, SC; five uncles: Leon McLain (Valerie) of Clio, SC, Larry Brown and Leroy (Desadra) Brown of Bennettsville, SC; John McLain (Deborah) of Bennettsville, SC, Kenneth McLain (Lasherelle) of Columbia, SC; one aunt Ella Wall Moore (Lamont) of McColl, SC; one great aunt Lula Brown of Bennettsville, SC; great uncle John Ellerbe of Farrell, PA; eight nieces and nephews: Daishanna, Willandria, Shamyra, Lequawrence, Justin, Anias, Jacori, and Cortez; special friends the Down West Family, and a host of other relatives and friends.

