

Pallbearers
Nephews

Floral Bearers
Nieces

A Fallen Limb

A limb has fallen from the family tree
I keep hearing a voice that says
“grieve not for me”
Remember the best times,
the laughter, the song.
The good life I lived while I was strong
Continue my heritage,
I’m counting on you
Keep smiling and surely the sun
will shine through
My mind is at ease,
my soul is at rest
Remembering all, how I was truly blessed
Continue the traditions, no matter how small
Go on with your life, don’t worry about falls
I miss you all dearly, so keep up your chin
Until the day comes when we’re together again.

Acknowledgment

At a time like this when sorrow invades the heart and home, it means so much to have loving family and friends. Your kindness is deeply appreciated and will always be remembered.

— The Family

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Homegoing Services Celebrating the Life of

Mr. Tommy Lee Kirkland

Sunrise
August 18, 1946

Sunset
January 13, 2020



Sunday, January 19, 2020
2:00 P.M.

Saint Matthew Baptist Church
Newberry, South Carolina

Reverend Willie C. Hair, Jr., Pastor
Reverend Cecil Wicker, Eulogist

Obituary

Mr. Tommy Lee Kirkland entered into eternal rest on Monday, January 13, 2020, at White Oak Manor in Newberry, SC. He was born in Pomaria, SC, on August 18, 1946, to the late Mr. Hubert Kirkland and the late Mrs. Queenie O'Neal Kirkland.

He was a member of St. John Baptist Church in Newberry, SC.

He was predeceased by two brothers, Issac Kirkland, Jr., and Burnette M. Kirkland.

Those who celebrate his life and cherish precious and loving memories include a stepson, Thomas Griffin of Newberry, SC; three stepdaughters, Polly Ann Neal, Frerica Griffin and Rachel Hiller all of Newberry, SC; two brothers, O'Neal Cooper and Raymond Cooper of Newberry, SC; six sisters, Vera Wicker of Newberry, SC, Ruth Stark of Ravenna, OH, Mary Elizabeth Mathis of Warren, OH, Ruth Free (Larry) of Pomaria, SC, Phyllis Glenn of Newberry, SC, and Alice Lyles of Pomaria, SC; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Blessed

ARE THOSE WHO MOURN,
FOR THEY SHALL BE

Comforted

Matthew 5:4

Order of Service

Prelude

Processional Clergy and Family

Final Viewing Family and Friends

Opening Selection Rev. Jacqueline R. Sims

Scripture

Old Testament Rev. Jacqueline R. Sims

New Testament Minister

Invocation Minister

Selection Joseph Livingston

Remarks Brother Calvin Wicker
Deacon James Suber

Solo Deacon Calvin Simpkins

Words of Comfort Rev. Cecil Wicker

Acknowledgment Funeral Director

Recessional Selection

Committal and Benediction Graveside

Interment Werts Cemetery
Newberry, South Carolina