

Floral Bearers
Longtown OES #190

Pall Bearers
Longtown Lodge #123

Acknowledgements

The family of Mr. David White, Sr. would like to extend their sincere appreciation for the cards, phone calls, visits, food, flowers, and most of all, prayers during their time of bereavement. If you thought about us and were unable to visit, we thank you. If you were concerned about us and could not do anything, we thank you. If you made us smile once in a while, we thank you. We the family, offer these encouraging words “And God will wipe out every tear from their eyes, and death will be no more, neither will mourning nor outcry nor pain be anymore.” Revelation 21:4.

Appreciation

We are especially grateful to Kershaw Home Health Nurse, Donna Newman. The doctors, administration, nursing staff and caregivers of Pruitthealth Ridgeway, Lexington Medical, Southern Surgical Group – Dr. Terry O. Norton and Richard A. Jacob, PA-C, and Agape House Hospice.

Thank you Longtown OES #190, Longtown Lodge #123, Pastor Warren Harley and the Rock Hill Baptist Church family. May God forever bless and keep each of you in His favor.

The White, Bell and extended families.

Poem

God watched you as you suffered, and knew you had your share. He gently closed your weary eyes and took you in his care. Our memory is our keepsake, with that we will never part. God has you in his keeping, we have you in our hearts. Nothing could be more beautiful than the memories we have of you. To us you were someone special. God must have thought so too. All our lives we shall miss you, as the years come and go, but in our hearts, you will live forever. Because we love you so. God saw you were getting tired, and a cure was not to be. So, he put his arms around you and whispered, “Come with me”. With tearful eyes, we watched you suffer and fade away. Although we loved you dearly, you were not meant to stay. A golden heart stopped beating, hard-working hands at rest. God broke our hearts to prove to us, he only takes the best!

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In Loving Memory



Mr. David White, Sr.

March 9, 1933 – October 10, 2018

Saturday, October 13, 2018, 12:00 Noon

**Rock Hill Baptist Church
1060 Shivers Green Road
Ridgeway, SC 29130**

Reverend Warren Harley, Pastor

A Life Well Lived - Forever in Our Hearts

His Beautiful Sunrise and Sunset:

On Wednesday morning, October 10, 2018, at Agape Hospice House of Columbia, SC, God saw fit to dispatch his angels during the transitioning of Mr. David White, Sr. as he entered into a peaceful sleep around 5 A.M. It is our belief that David was greeted by our fore parents and his father, the late, George “*Burke*” White and his mother, the late Nickels “*Nikki*” Bell White; paternal and maternal grandparents awaiting his arrival safely home.

“**David**” was the fifth child born to George “Burke” and Nickels Nikki” Bell White in Ridgeway, SC.

Education/Church Affiliation:

As a student, he attended and graduated from the Segregated Kershaw County Public School System. **David’s** religious experience and membership began at Rock Hill Baptist Church during his youth. He was employed with E. I. DuPont De Moors in Camden, SC, SC Department of Mental Health, Columbia, SC and DuPont May Plant - In Vista in Camden, SC with 30 plus years of service.

Passions

He loved outdoors, fishing, hunting, baseball, and spending time with his family.

To Cherish Memorable Moments:

A life that was once so lively and later became still through time and illness, David has transcended from his earthly life to be with our Savior and other loved ones that have gone on before. His soul is set free, his spirit soars and only memories of him are left with those of us who will always remember and cherish him; his wife, Beatrice White of Ridgeway, SC; three sons, David (Catherine) White Jr. of Ridgeway, SC, Dwayne White of Elgin, SC, Ronald (Shirley) Bush of Ridgeway, SC; four daughters, Rutha L. (Willie James) Bell of Ridgeway, SC, Margo Wilson and Shirley Mickle of Brooklyn, NY and Donna R. Harris of Lugoff, SC; one brother, Willie (Ethel) White; one sister, Nora W. (Huey) Ferguson of Detroit, Michigan; six grandsons, seven granddaughters, ten great-grandsons, six great-granddaughters, three great-great-grandchildren, numerous nieces, nephews, extended family, a host of cousins, friends and neighbors who will miss him dearly. David White Sr.’s spirit will forever be in our hearts.

He was preceded in death by two brothers, Ed White and James White; and four sisters, Georgia Woods, Hester Braddock, Elizabeth White and Mary White who died in infancy.

Order of Service Reverend Warren Harley, Presiding

Musical Prelude----- Mr. Johnny Glenn

Processional ----- Clergy, Family and Friends

Opening Selection ----- Rock Hill Baptist Church Choir

Family Prayer ----- Deacon Melvin Butler

Scripture Readings:

Old Testament – Psalm 23 -----

New Testament – John 14:1-6 -----

Selection ----- Rock Hill Baptist Church Choir

Remarks----- Worshipful Master, Mr. Elliott Qualls
Longtown Lodge No. 123

Solo-----

Words of Comfort ----- Reverend Warren Harley

Musical Medley----- Mr. Johnny Glenn

Recessional ----- Funeral Directors

Interment

Rock Hill Baptist Church Cemetery
Ridgeway, SC

Repast: Rock Hill Baptist Church Fellowship Hall.