

**The Life of Melvin Odister Turman**

*On Wednesday October 9, 2019 our Heavenly Father sent forth the angel of silence and sealed the lips of our beloved father, Mr. Melvin Odister Turman. Mr. Melvin Turman was born August 10, 1954 in Elberton, GA.*

*He worked in the Granite Industry for many years and was also a truck driver. Melvin was a kind-hearted person whose love and joyous smile, as well as his special dance moves would always encourage great laughter in anyone.*

*He now joins his father and mother, the late Mr. Asbury Allen, Sr. and Mrs. Jewel Turman Hailey; his beloved wife, Mrs. Constance Almond Turman, and a sister, Mrs. Edith Bolton Teasley in a place of eternity.*

*He leaves to cherish his memory three daughters: Ms. Stephanie Turman of Athens, GA, Ms. Ieshia Turman of Hartwell, GA and Ms. Niasia Turman of Augusta, GA; one son Mr. Allan McIntosh, Sr. of Soledad, CA; three brothers: Mr. Asbury Allen, Sr. (Veta) of Atlanta, GA, Mr. Nathaniel Allen (Tracy) of Oklahoma City, OK, and Mr. James Bolton of Elberton, GA; one sister, Ms. Margaret Ann Hailey of Elberton, GA; two grandchildren: Ms. Kamicka Mattox of Athens, GA and Mr. Allan McIntosh, Jr. of Elk City, OK; four great grandchildren. He also leaves to cherish memories his special road buddies: Mr. Toby and Jeff James; and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives, friends and acquaintances.*

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

*During a time like this we realize how important family and friends are. The Turman Family would like to thank each and everyone of you for your thoughts and prayers. A special thanks to the staff of Hartwell Health and Rehab and Wrightsville Manor for all their care.*

*The Family*

**Order of Service**

Processional .....	Soft Music
Selection .....	Mr. Robert Mattox
Scriptures:	
Old Testament & New Testament .....	Min. Diane Turner
Prayer .....	Mr. Willie McIntosh, Jr.
Selection .....	Mr. Robert Mattox
Remarks .....	Open .....
Selection .....	2 Minutes Please
Eulogy .....	Mr. Robert Mattox
Acknowledgements .....	Pastor Gazzara Mitchell, Sr.
Recessional .....	Ms. Stephanie Turman
	Soft Music
Interment ~ Pinetown Cemetery ~ Elberton, GA	

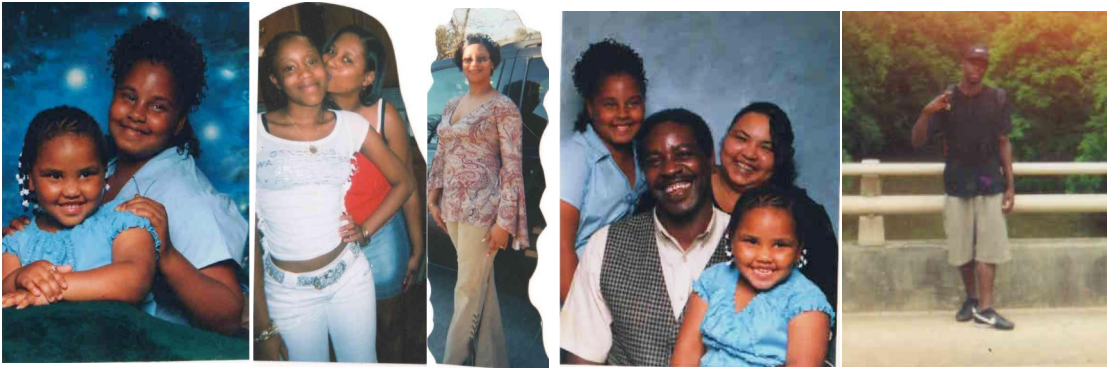
Repass ~ Elberton Cultural Center

**Flower Bearers**

*Class of 1972*

**Casket Bearers**

*Class of 1972*



## **I Am Always With You**

*When I am gone, release me, let me go.  
I have so many things to see and do,  
You mustn't tie yourself to me with too many tears,  
But be thankful we had so many good years.  
I gave you my love, and you can only guess  
How much you've given me in happiness.  
I thank you for the love that you have shown,  
But now it is time I traveled on alone.  
So grieve for me a while, if grieve you must  
Then let your grief be comforted by trust  
That it is only for a while that we must part,  
So treasure the memories within your heart.  
I won't be far away for life goes on.  
And if you need me, call and I will come.  
Though you can't see or touch me, I will be near  
And if you listen with your heart, you'll hear  
All my love around you soft and clear  
And then, when you come this way alone,  
I'll greet you with a smile and a Welcome Home*

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# *Celebrating the Life of Melvin Odister Turman*



Sunrise  
August 10, 1954



Sunset  
October 9, 2019

*Thursday, October 17, 2019*

*2:00 P.M.*

*Mack's Funeral Home & Cremation Service  
Elberton, GA*

*Pastor Gazarra Mitchell, Sr., Eulogist  
Interment ~ Pine Town Cemetery • Elberton, GA*