In Appreciation

The family of the late Bennie B. Caldwell, Sr., extends warm and heartfelt thanks to all, Dr. Ruben Garcia and staff, North Okaloosa Regional Hospital, Chautauqua Rehabilitation Center, family and friends.

..... Interment @ Military Rites

Magnolia Cemetery

Arrangements Entrusted To: Doris Laird Johnson, Owner *Park Funeral Home* 76 South Park Street DeFuniak Springs, FL (850) 892-5324 Ronald D. Mitchell, LFD/EMB

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In Coving Memory

Mr. Bennie B. Caldwell, Sr.

SUNRISE: June 4, 1928

SUNSET: July 5, 2016

~ Services ~ Saturday, July 16, 2016 1:00 PM

Union Springs Missionary Baptist Church

DeFuniak Springs, Florida Reverend A. Johnson Pastor | Officiant

Ecclesiastes 3:1 To every thing there is a season, and a time to every purpose under the heaven:

Biological Sketch

Mr. Bennie B. Caldwell, Sr., was born June 4, 1928 to James "Buck" and Bertie Mae Caldwell in Troy, Alabama.

He later moved to DeFuniak Springs, Florida with his parents and siblings. He was married to the late Anna Margaret Jordan Caldwell on June 23, 1956.

He was a veteran of the Korean Conflict. Early in his career he began as a short-order cook, later promoted to Breakfast Cook at the Black Angus Restaurant in Fort Walton Beach, Florida. He later was employed by the Department of the Air Force as a Master Chief. In his twenty-four years working in the Department of the Air Force, he received several distinguished awards:

> January 18, 1982 – Certificate of Merit April 11, 1984 – Certificate of Service for 20 years September 17, 1986 – Sustained Superior Performance Award April 10, 1988 – Sustained Superior Perforce Award

June 15, 1988 – Eglin Regional Hospital Nutritional Medicine Service in Recognition of 24 years of Outstanding Service

After retirement he worked part-time at the Walton County Jail as a Cook.

He was preceded in death by: *Wife* – Anna Jordan Caldwell *Parents* – James and Bertie Caldwell *Brothers* – Tommy Caldwell and Billy Caldwell *Sisters* – Stella Caldwell and Berda Campbell *Nephews* – Maderson Campbell and Stanley Campbell

Son:

Family Benny B. Caldwell, Jr., DeFuniak Springs

Nieces: Karen Campbell, Atlanta, Georgia Terri (Kelvin) Johnson, Bonifay, Florida Faye Rancher, Clarksville, Tennessee Sandra (Walker) Jackson, Huntsville, Alabama

Nephews: Robert Thomas, DeFuniak Springs, Florida Christopher (Jeneen) Campbell, Huntsville, Alabama

Sister-in-law: Mary Mercer Jordan, Fort Walton Beach, Florida

Order of Service

Processional	Minister, Family
Invocation	Pastor Ernest Powell
Scripture Reading	
Old Testament	Pastor Walter Ales
New Testament	Pastor Sharon Hogans
Selection	Choir
Tribute Poem	Maria Milton
Selection	P&P Gospel Singers

As I Knew Him

Terri Lynn Johnson • Christopher Campbell

Selection	Choir
Obituary Reading Soft	Music

Acknowledgments/Resolutions Elinor Campbell

Solo	Derrick Milton
Message of Hope	Reverend A. Johnson
Family Prayer/Benediction	Elder Kevin Johnson
Recessional	Choir

Althea Campbell Kenquatta Graham Sandra Delegol *Flower Attendants* Glenda Graham

Shiree Campbell

Deedra Stewart

RhondaCampbell Laura Morrison Robbie Paul

Hetive Pallbearers

Aubrey Campbell Danny Graham Larry Duncan Edward Graham Stanley Donald

Warren M. Campbell Randall Key Bernard Smith

Honorary Pallbearers

Felix Bell Irvin Cooper Ronald Brown Thomas Jordan Leroy Caldwell Louis Caldwell Anthony Brooks Willie Huffman Charles Caldwell

Henry Bell, Jr. Kenny Delegol Chris Campbell Johnny Miller Robert Thomas