

PALLBEARERS

Family and Friends

FLORAL BEARERS

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I'm Free

*Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free
I'm following the path God has laid for me.
I took his hand when I heard his call,
I turned by back and left it all.
I could not stay another day,
To laugh, to love, to work, or play,
I found the peace at the close of the day.
If my parting has left a void,
Then fill it with remembered joys.
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,
Oh yes, these things I too will miss.
Be not burdened with times of sorrow,
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.
My life's been full, I savored much,
Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch,
Perhaps my time seemed all too brief,
Don't lengthen it now with undo grief.
Lift up your heart and peace to thee*

THE FAMILY ACKNOWLEDGMENT

We, the family of the late **Mr. John Henry "Motorcycle" McCreary** wish to extend a special thank you to each of you for the many acts of kindness that have been shared with us during this most difficult time. Your many gestures of kindness have been a blessing to us and have made this time easier to bear. May God forever bless each of you as you keep us in your prayers.

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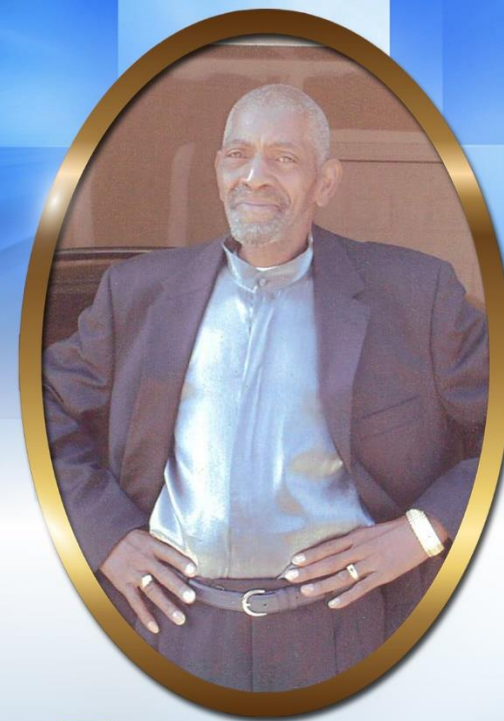


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A Celebration of His Life

MONDAY, DECEMBER 10, 2018
ONE O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON

BOSTICK-TOMPKINS FUNERAL HOME
2930 COLONIAL DRIVE, COLUMBIA, SC



Sunrise
JULY 16, 1943

Sunset
DECEMBER 6, 2018

JOHN

John Henry McCreary

REFLECTIONS OF HIS LIFE

On Thursday, December 6, 2018, Mr. John Henry “Motorcycle” McCreary entered into his eternal rest after a long stressful illness.

Mr. McCreary was the son of the late Mr. Henry McCreary and Lonnie Bell Curry McCreary. He was born on July 16, 1943 in Aiken County, South Carolina. Mr. McCreary was educated in the public schools of Columbia, South Carolina.

Mr. McCreary will be remembered for his loving care and concern for others. He never met a stranger.

Those left to cherish fond and precious memories of John Henry are his loving sisters, Elouise Curry of Columbia, SC, Teddie Kovach of Desert Hot Springs, CA, Mable Bell of Springfield, SC, and Connie Smith of Detroit, ME; brother, Anthony Smith of Tennessee; five grandchildren. Khalia, Tyesha, and Tina Ravenell, Kierra Borum, Robert (Tina) Ravenell; one aunt, Azalee Curry; and a host of nieces, nephews, and other relatives that will miss him dearly.

THE ORDER OF SERVICE

REVEREND JOSEPH JACKSON, PRESIDING

Prelude.....

Processional.....Clergy and Family

Opening Selection.....*What a Friend We Have in Jesus*

Scriptures..... Reverend J. R. Wise

Prayer of Comfort Dr. Stanley Ladson

Selection

Remarks.....Deacon Milhouse

Words of Comfort Reverend Joseph Jackson

Recessional.....

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