



Mr. Quira Newsome

THURSDAY, MAY 11, 2018
ELEVEN O'CLOCK A.M.

The Order of Worship

Musical Prelude
Soft Music

Processional
Ministers and Family

Opening Hymn
Choir

Scripture Reading
Old Testament - Isaiah 33:23-24
Hack Sullivan

New Testament - Revelations 21:3-4
Edward Giles

Prayer
Dr. Curtis Hill

Solo
Shana Richardson

Reflections
Robert McClary
Archie Banks
Portia Ricks
Teretta Harris
Keevon Newsome
Open to family and friends (2 minutes)

Solo
Ruthaleen Blanding

Eulogy
Rev. William Richardson

Recessional

Interment
Memory Gardens



*C*ELEBRATING

THE LIFE AND LEGACY OF

Mr. Ivira Newsome

Friday
The eleventh day of May
at
Eleven o'clock in the Morning

In the year of our Lord Two Thousand Eighteen

SILVER SPRING BAPTIST CHURCH

525 – 535 Foster Street
Pendleton, South Carolina 29670

Reverend Jerome Williams
Senior Pastor

Rev. William Richardson,
Officiating

Deacon Allen Jones,
Presiding

THE LIFE AND LEGACY OF

Mr. Ivira Newsome was born in Portsmouth, VA on April 28, 1944 to the late Vivian Newsome. This very special man slipped away into eternal life on May 4, 2018.

Ivira, affectionately known as Duke, was a pillar of the Pendleton Community. He was always looking to help anyone, from a homeless person down on his luck to the pastor at any of the community churches.

Duke was a professional long-distance truck driver by trade on and off for most of his life. As a long-distance truck driver, Duke traveled from coast to coast delivering all types of freight. He started driving trucks at the age of fifteen.....YES, fifteen years old hauling fruit along with his uncle and mentor, Roosevelt Newsome, Sr. up and down the east coast. Duke would be so happy to take his family and friends on the road with him for months at a time.

Mr. Ira Newsome "Duke"

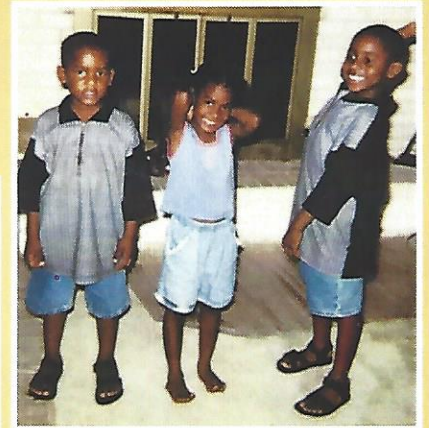
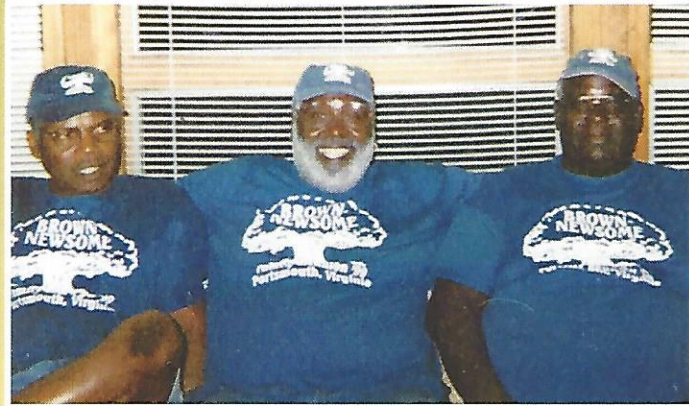
Duke was a life-long salesman. He was the "Go to Man". If you needed something, Duke was the man that could get it for you. Anything from fresh fish from 500 miles away to polk salad from the woods around the corner.

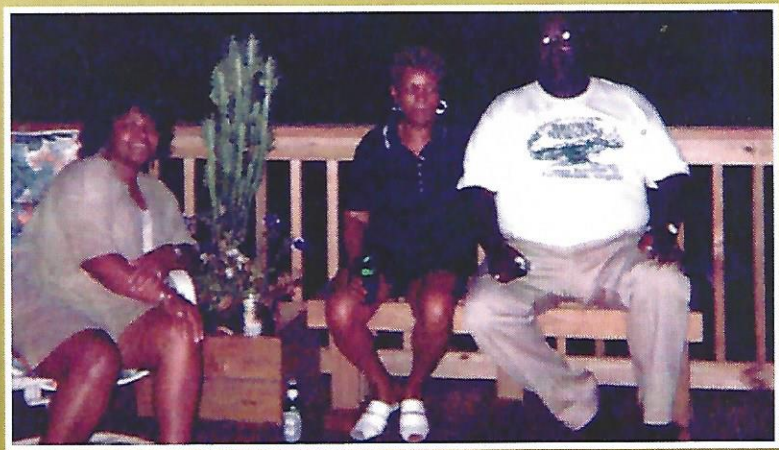
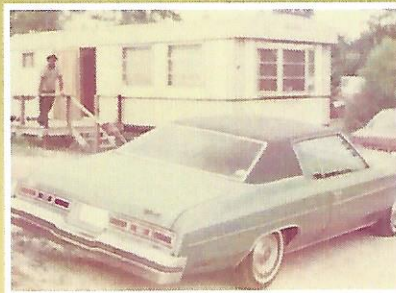
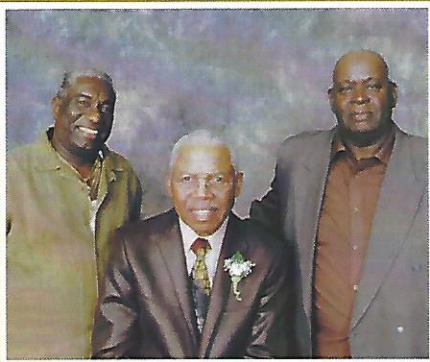
He was also a maintenance supervisor at Clemson University for 8 years.

Duke was also preceded in death by two sisters, Shirley Newsome and Mary Newsome.

He leaves to cherish his memory, two brothers, Earl Newsome of Philadelphia, PA and Robert Newsome of Raleigh, NC; a life-long loving companion, Laura Gaines; and a host nieces, nephews, great-nieces, great-nephews. Duke didn't have any biological children, but he was a father and grandfather to many in the Gaines family and a mentor to many in the community.

Duke loved and always supported his family. He will be greatly missed. His kindness, support, and unwavering love will never be forgotten.





Acknowledgements

We the family of Ivira "Duke" Newsome wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation the many expressions of love and kindness shown during this time of bereavement. Special thanks to Silver Spring Baptist Church and the Pendleton Community.

May God continue to bless you all.

The Newsome Family

Pall Bearers

Ronnie Keese
Ronnie Mattress
Orlando Jones, Jr.
Joe Mattress
Keevon Newsome
Micale Eure
Richard Keese

Flower Bearers

Shirley Hopkins
Shay Gaines
Osha Gaines
Tiffany Lomax
Furmella Oglesby
Rosenette Austin

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