#### Honorary Pall Bearers

Emanuel Scott James O. Johnson Charlie Scott Ed Pickens

# Flower Bearers

Pall Bearers

Granddaughters

Grandsons

All the years we spent Loving and caring, We've lost a precious soul. Our hearts are now weary... We won't question God. We won't ask Him why For we know we'll meet again, Someday in the sweet by and by. You're gone from us and we'll miss you. Heaven is now your home... You'll walk the streets of heaven With sweet Jesus you will roam. Though we'll be missing you We'll find a way to get through. In our hearts you'll forever stay And we'll always love you. Take your rest...smile down on us From the beautiful sky above. Each day we see the sunrise We'll know you're sending your love.



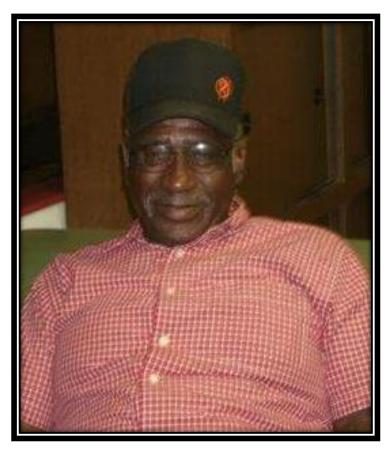
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# Homegoing Celebration for



# Mr. Leonard Merriweather



Saturday, October 13, 2018 1:00 p.m. Evergreen Baptist Church 1305 Evergreen Road Anderson, SC Rev. Odell Burns, Pastor and Officiating Rev. James Blanding, Presiding

# Order of Service

PreludeSoft Music
ProcessionalMinisters and FamilySoft Music
SelectionMrs. Roberta Roebuck
Scripture Reading Old Testament
Prayer
SelectionPastor Pamela Ingram
RemarksO. C. Wardlaw McLester Blanding
Selection
Eulogy
Recessional Choir
Interment
Committal/Prayer/BenedictionMinisters



### **Acknowledgments**

The Merriweather family would like to extend their sincere thanks and appreciation for the prayers and support they have received during their time of bereavement.

# **Obituary**

For the word of God is quick, and powerful, and sharper than any twoedged sword, piercing even to the dividing asunder of soul and spirit, and of the joints and marrow, and is a discerner of the thoughts and intents of the heart.

Hebrews 4:12

**Leonard Merriweather** departed this life on Monday, October 8, 2018 at John and Callie Rainey Hospice House of the Upstate in Anderson, SC. Leonard was born on August 20, 1934. He was the son of the late John Henry Merriweather and Lillian Pickens Merriweather.

He was first married to the late Mary Elizabeth Blanding Merriweather. Through this union six children were born: Dianne Merriweather, Larry (Ann) Merriweather, Joyce Ann (Joe Billy) Armstrong, Lillian (David) Burns, Johnny (Laura) Merriweather, and Lisa Cowan.

In 2002, he married Ella M. Dennis. He became the father to Renee (Reggie) Davis, Charles Dennis, Michael (Melissa) Dennis, Chris (Teresa) Dennis and Cindy Dennis.

Leonard retired as a supervisor from Cable East in the early 2000's. He enjoyed working outside, working on cars, and spending time with his family. Leonard was a faithful member at Evergreen Baptist Church. He served as a Deacon until his health declined.

Those who knew him loved him and he was loved by many. Along with his wife and children, he also leaves to cherish his memory, one sister, Betty Ruth Merriweather; twenty-five grandchildren; twenty-nine great grandchildren; and a host of nephews, nieces, other relatives, and close friends.

In addition to his first wife, he was also preceded in death by one sister, Mary Ann Hill and one brother, Leroy Merriweather.