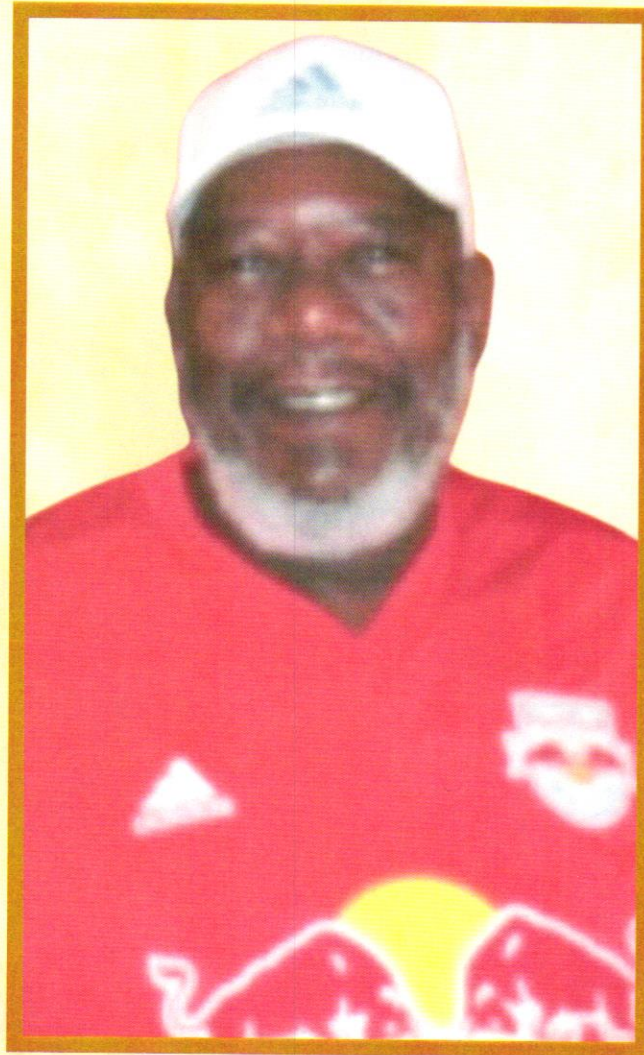


HOMEGOING CELEBRATION FOR

Reesie Woods



Sunrise
June 5, 1950

Sunset
August 11, 2022

... Weeping ay endure for a night, but joy cometh in the morning. ~ Psalm 30:5

SATURDAY, AUGUST 202022 ~ 1:00 P.M.
ED ROBERTS CHAPEL OF REMEMBRANCE
ROBERTS AND SONS MORTUARY
WINONA, MS 38967

REV. JESSIE SAWYER, OFFICIATING

Reflections of Life

Reesie Woods

"Whoever wants to be my disciple must deny themselves and take up his cross and follow Me."

Matthew 16:24-26 NIV

Reesie Woods was the ninth child of ten children, born on June 5, 1950 to the late Mary Helen and R. C. Woods in Vaiden, Mississippi. At an early age he accepted Christ as his Lord and Savior and joined Acona Baptist Church. He attended Vaiden High School, leaving shortly after to find employment in Rochester, New York.

Meeting the love of his life, Loraine Givens in grade school, they became playful friends, which grew to a captivating relationship. They were joined in Holy Matrimony on August 7, 1971. This godly union was blessed with six beautiful children. He raised them to be disciplined, hardworking, and persistent in their achievements.

He retired from LTV/ArcelorMittal Steel Mill after 40 years as a Blast Furnace Operation Supervisor in Gary, Indiana. During retirement, he moved back to his home state of Mississippi and joyfully devoted the rest of his life to spending quality time with his beloved wife and cherished family.

He transitioned to his peaceful heavenly home on August 11, 2022. His parents, two brothers: CJ Woods, Percy Woods, along with one sister: Mae Woods, all preceded him in death.

He left countless loving and unforgettable memories to his precious wife of 51 years: Loraine Woods; children: Christopher (Kenyetta) Woods, Reesie Jr. (Angela) Woods, Michael Woods, Terrance (Jervae) Woods, LaDarryl (Glowingrainbow) Woods, Angel (Corey) Banks; six siblings: Annie (James) Griffin, Annie Ruth Johnson, Louise Morris, Bobby (Ora) Woods, Eddie (Maxine) Woods, Mal (Juanita) Woods; 24 grandchildren; 5 great grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends that will dearly miss him.



Order of Service

Maxine Woods, Mistress of Ceremony

Processional.....Clergy and Family

Scripture/Prayer/Words of EncouragementStephanie Moore

Song.....Velma Newman

Reading of Obituary.....Maxine Woods

Song.....Brightstar Zamora

Acknowledgements and Condolences.....Maxine Woods

Songs.....Monique & Shianne Woods

Remarks..... (2-3 minutes please).....Family & Friends

Eulogy and Benediction Rev. Jessie Sawyer

Funeral Directors in Charge

Recessional



To My Loving Husband in Heaven

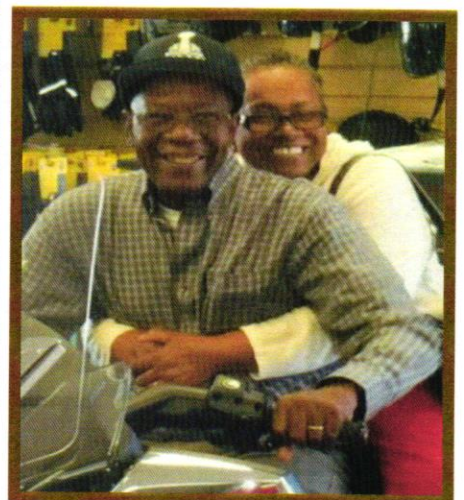
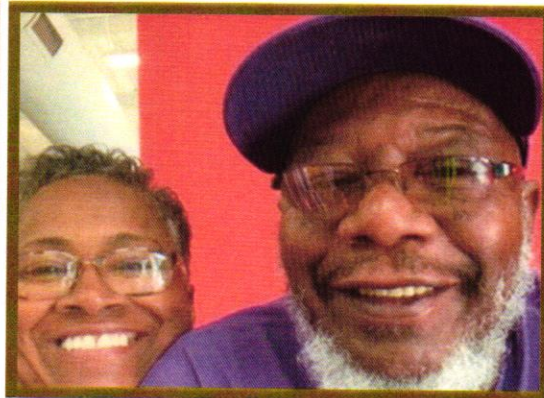
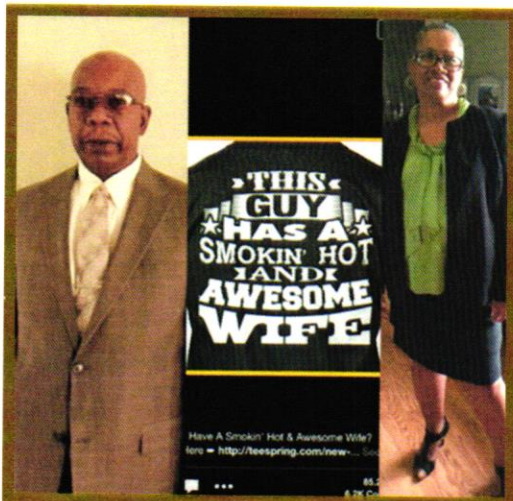
*Our time together was special
So were the memories we made
And although you live in Heaven now
Those memories never fade*

*I bow my head in silence
And remember my husband with love
And I know that you are up there
Watching from above*

*Everyday's a struggle
And nothing feels the same
And my heart breaks a little more
Everytime I hear your name*

*You'll always be remembered
And time may heal my heart
But a piece of me has been missing
Since the day we had to part*

*If Heaven is for Angels
Then I know that's where you'll be
And I know you will be waiting
When Heaven calls for me*



Reesie and Loraine

Tributes

Our father Our hero

*Dad, you're our hero ... in so many ways,
And we are so grateful to you.
We have respect for the man that you were,
And the kind-hearted things that you would do.
You had a heart as big as an ocean,
A soft side you don't often show,
All of your life you worked for your family,
You taught us ... And helped us to grow.
You were the man we knew we could lean on,
Who fostered a strong sense of pride,
The father who gave us his love and affection,
And always remained by our side.
All of our lives, Dad, we will be thankful,
That we had a father ... so true ...
We never had to search for a hero,
The hero in our lives was you!*

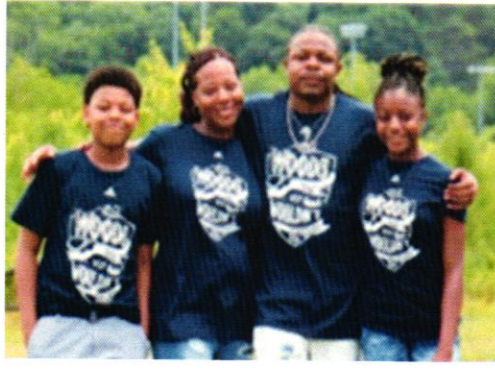
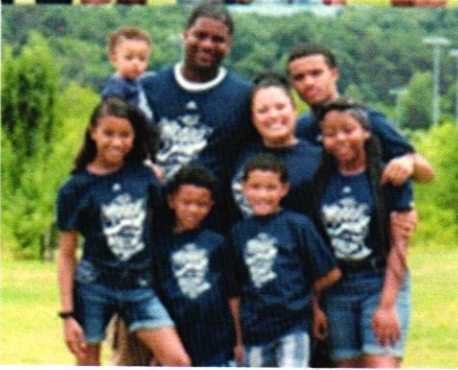


Grandad

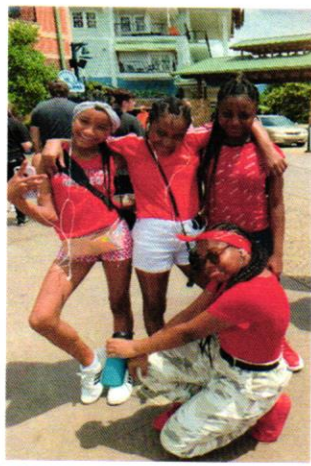
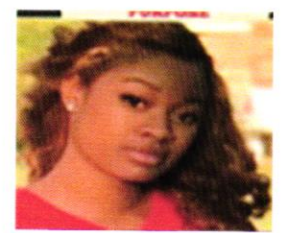
*You're thought about so often
In loving memory,
For you were all the special things
A Grandad ought to be.
We've all missed you being here
Since you went away,
But the happiness you brought us
Is remembered every day.
So may you find a gentle peace
In your eternal rest.
We'll always love you, Grandad,
You really were the best.*

*Dear Brother Ressie,
Brother, you gave no one a last farewell
Nor ever said good-bye.
You were gone before we knew it
And only God knows why.
A million times we will miss you.
A million times we will cry
In our hearts you hold a place.
It broke our hearts to lose you.
But you didn't go alone,
For part of us went with you.
We will meet again someday
I know in a better place.
Loved beyond words,
Missed beyond measure
Always and forever in our hearts
Love, your brothers and sisters*

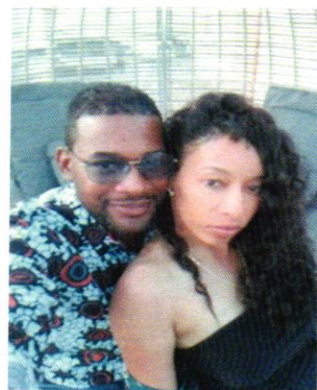
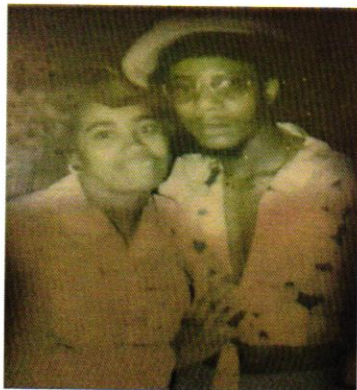
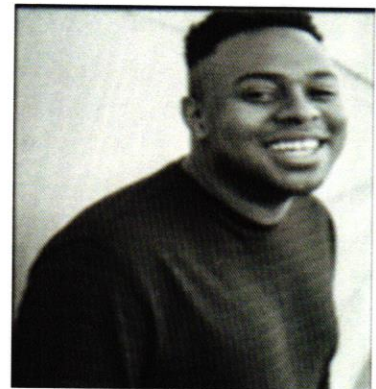




Moments to Remember



Memories



Active Pallbearers

*Christopher L. Woods, Sr.
Reesie Woods, Jr.
Terrance T. Woods*

*LaDarryl J. Woods, Sr.
Cory Banks
Christopher L. Woods, Jr.*

Honorary Pallbearers

*Bobby Woods
Eddie Woods*

*Mal Woods
Neal Woods*

Flower Bearers

Grandchildren

Acknowledgements

We the family of the late Reesie Woods deeply appreciate every act of kindness, many words of comfort via phone calls, text messages, social media and above all, your prayers shown to us during this difficult time of bereavement. A special hanks goes to Grenada Home Healthcare and Halcyon Hospice Batesville. We ask for your continued prayers during this time.

*Love,
The Reesie Woods Family*

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