

## - ORDER OF SERVICE -

*Elder Gaylord Gay, Presiding*

*Processional*.....Ministers & Family

*Selection*.....Moye's Chapel Choir

### - Scriptural Reading -

*Old Testament*.....Appointee

*New Testament*.....Appointee

*Prayer of Comfort*.....Appointee

*Selection*.....Moye's Chapel Choir

*Remarks (2 minutes please)*

*Tribute to Uncle Robert*.....Bridget Tyson  
Lillie Hopkins  
Janaisha Taylor

*Acknowledgements/Obituary*.....Min. Annie Gay

*Selection*.....Moye's Chapel Choir

*Eulogy*.....Pastor Gracie Tyson

*Mortician's Brief*.....Hornes Funeral Home

*Recessional*

- INTERMENT -

*Hemby-Willoughby Memorial Cemetery  
Fountain, NC*

## - OBITUARY -

### - ROBERT LEE ELLIS, 93 -

the son of Mack and Donnie Stevenson Ellis, was born in Edgecombe County, NC on December 1, 1924. On Sunday, March 25, 2018 at Wake Medical Center in Raleigh, NC, Robert transitioned to his heavenly home.

**ROBERT** attended the Wilson County Schools and was later drafted into the U.S. Army, where he served during World War II. After returning from service, he married and relocated to the Virginia, Washington, DC and Maryland area.

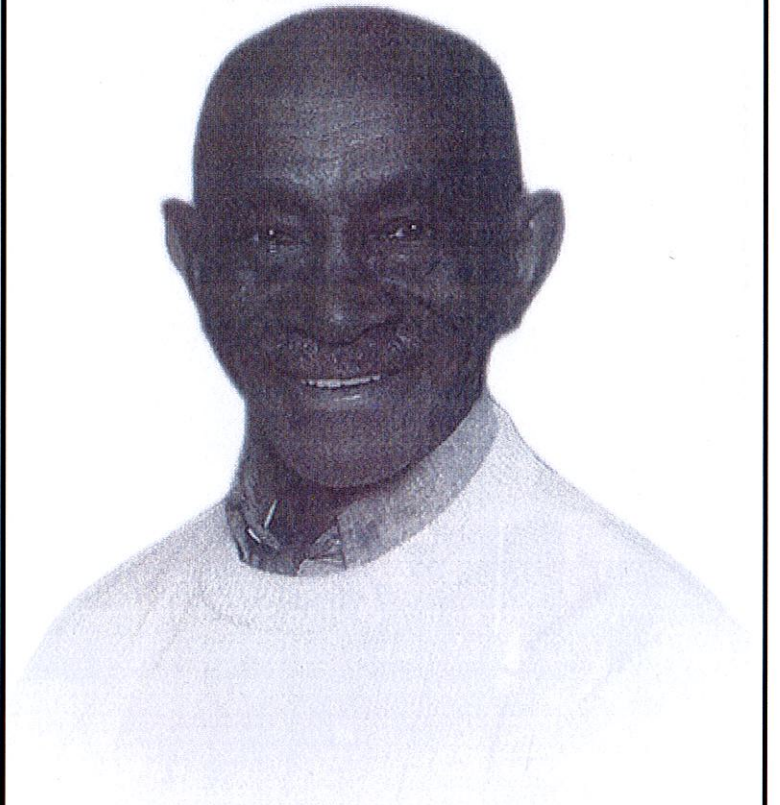
**ROBERT** was a long time member of tabernacle Baptist Church in Washington, DC, where he sung in the Males Chorus and assisted with ground keeping at the church. When he returned to North Carolina in 2001, he resided in Raleigh, NC with his youngest sister, Helen Ellis and niece, Windy Ellis. They lovely cared for him in the home. He became a member of Gospel Unlimited Church in Fountain, NC where he was an honorary deacon and faithful member until the Lord called him home.

Though diagnosed with dementia, Robert maintained an otherwise healthy and vibrant life. He was a sweet, funny and friendly man. He was known as "Uncle Robert" to all who met him. He loved to sing praises to the Lord, baseball and the outdoors. His favorite song was, "I Come This Far By Faith". The family has many wonderful memories of him and his life here in North Carolina for the last seven years. His smile and laugh was contagious. He shared many stories and words of wisdom with everyone around. He will truly be missed.

**ROBERT** was preceded in death by his father, Mack Ellis; his mother, Donnie Stevenson Ellis; siblings, Lena Lawrence, Elmer Ellis and William Ellis.

## - OBITUARY CON'T. -

He is survived by two sons, Ellis Andrews (Robert Ellis, Jr.) and Derel Ellis of the Washington, DC and Maryland area; three sisters, Tippy Ruth Horne of Snow Hill, NC Mamie Clark of Garner, NC and Helen Ellis of the home in Raleigh, NC and an honorary sister and friend, Pauline Burton of Garner, NC; a loving and devoted niece, Windy Ellis of the home in Raleigh, NC, who served as primary caregiver, and a host of nieces, nephews, relatives, friends and all who knew him.



*In God's Care!*