



GOING HOME!

Ball Bearers & Floral Bearers  
Family & Friends

*- Acknowledgements -*

The family acknowledges with deep appreciation and sincere thanks for the kind expressions of sympathy, prayers, love and concern shown during the loss of our loved one. May God continue to bless each of you.

- With Love, The FAMILY -

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CELEBRATING THE  
*Life*

SUNRISE  
APRIL 24, 1933

SUNSET  
SEPTEMBER 5, 2021

**HOLLIS**  
BERT GORHAM

**Saturday, September 11, 2021**  
**- 12:00PM -**

**Hornes Funeral Home**  
Farmville, NC  
Pastor Arnold Darden, Officiating



## *- Order of Service -*

*Processional*.....Minister & Family

*Solo*.....Terri Darden

### *Scriptural Reading*

*Old Testament*.....Dr. Gene Willoughby

*New Testament*.....Dr. Wayne Harrison

*Prayer of Consolation*.....Deacon James Saunders

*Remarks on Behalf of the Family*.....Dr. Wayne Harrison

*Obituary*.....Silent Reading

*Solo*.....Terri Darden

*Eulogy*.....Pastor Arnold Darden

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

*Final Viewing & Recessional*

## *- Obituary -*

*We do not bear our grief alone, we know God's heart is beating with our own. He knows and cares and understand and holds all our futures in his hands.*

### **Hollis Bert Gorham**

known to family and friends as Bim, was born on April 24, 1933 to the late John L. Gorham and Leora Williams Gorham in Farmville, NC.

In 1952, during the Korean War, Bim was drafted into the Army where he served for two years. After serving, he returned home to complete school at H.B. Suggs High School. In 1974 he relocated to Stamford Connecticut where he lived and worked until retirement. He returned to Pitt County to be near his family. His health slowly began to failed and he spent the remainder of his years at McGregor Downs Health and Rehabilitation Center.

**Bim** renewed his fellowship with his home church Moyes Chapel Church and was a faithful member until God called him home. He loved the Lord, his family, and friends.

**Bim** is preceded in death by his father John L. Gorham, mother Leora Williams Gorham, stepmother Viola Gay Gorham, sisters Jewel Baker and Lula Curry and brothers Fred and John Gorham Jr.

**Bim** leaves to mourn four sisters Mattie Baker, Olivia Pretty, Beatrice Harris (James), and Reba Harrison, brother-in-law William Baker, a host of nieces and nephews, and special friends Terry and Angela at McGregor Downs Health and Rehabilitation Center. A special thank you to Amedysis Hospice and their special care during Hollis' final days.