



*Sleep on, beloved Brother, sleep, and take thy rest;
Lay down thy head upon thy Saviour's breast;
We love thee well, but Jesus loves thee best—
Good-night! Good-night! Good-night!*



*Calm is thy slumber as an infant's sleep;
But thou shalt wake no more to toil and weep:
This is a perfect rest, secure and deep—
Good-night! Good-night! Good-night!*

*Until the shadows from this earth are cast,
Until He gathers in His sheaves at last,
Until the twilight gloom be over past—
Good-night! Good-night! Good-night!*

*Until the Easter glory lights the skies,
Until the dead in Jesus shall arise,
And He shall come, but not in lowly guise—
Good-night! Good-night! Good-night!*

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

As difficult as it is for Boe's family to dismiss his earthly resting place without him, they will find solace knowing he is in that land where there is a tree, and its leaves are good for the healing of infirmities. There, he will rest by the brook flowing with living water, forever resting in eternal paradise. Boe will rest until time is called into eternity and all of God's children will stand before Him and His Throne to hear Him say, "Well done, thy good and faithful servant, enter into your Master's Joy".

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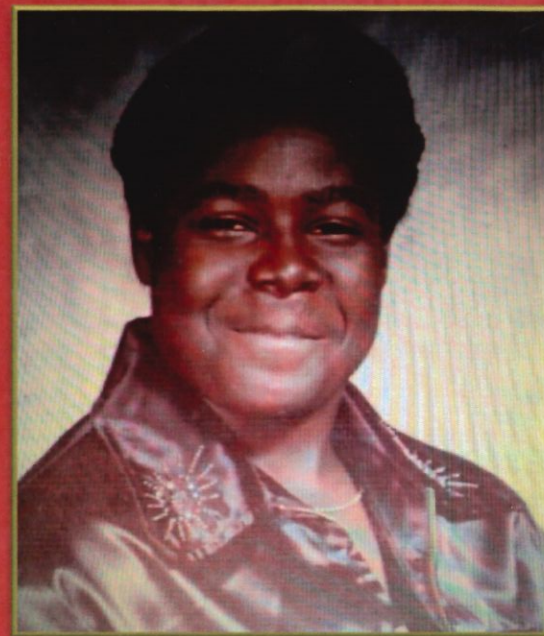


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A Celebration of Life for Herman Shipman "Boe"

Sunrise: March 12, 1960 ~ Sunrise: August 16, 2021



Monday 23, 2021
1:00 PM

Central Missionary Baptist Church
443 West Virgil Street
Whiteville, North Carolina

Pastor David Flowers, Officiating

~ OBITUARY ~

LOVING MEMORIAL REFLECTIONS

Please remember this precious stone who is now in the number that John spoke of in the great Book of Revelations when it stated, 'Those are they, who have come up through hard trials and tribulations and have washed their robes in the blood of the Lamb'. Boe, as he was affectionately addressed, has moved into his new mansion and he is surely walking the streets paved with gold, rejoicing with the Angels and enjoying Paradise beyond the clouds.

Herman Lee 'Boe' Shipman was born in Columbus County, North Carolina to the late Louise Shipman Mitchell and Dallas Mitchell. He transitioned peacefully on Monday, 08/16/2021 at his residence. Boe was the 2nd oldest of 9 children. A graduate of Whiteville High School, Boe worked as a number 1 brick mason for many years until his health began to fail him. Boe Shipman stepped peacefully aboard the Gospel Train bound for Glory. As hard as it may have been to leave his loved ones, Boe knew God, our Heavenly Father, promised to be a friend for the friendless and a brother for the brotherless who feel, through his passing, that their chain is now broken. Everyone always knew Boe was coming through as he would announce himself with his favorite statement, 'HEY BUB! MOVE OVER CAUSE THE BIG BEE COMIN' THROUGH - WOOOOHHH!' To know him was to love him. A lifetime of memories will forever rest in the hearts of so many who were blessed to encounter his spirit.

At an early age, Boe accepted Christ as his personal savior and received early spiritual instruction at Friendship Baptist Church. Later, he joined Central Missionary Baptist Church where he was a faithful member who was mindful to paying tithes even when his illnesses prevented his ability to physically attend church upon occasions. He was diligent in sending his tithes by a neighboring member and he strived to live the best life he could. Boe was loved by almost everyone with whom he'd come into contact.

He was proceeded in death by his younger brother, David Earl Mitchell and sister, Texanna Virginia Grissom. For beloved friends and especially family, Boe will remain the hearts of many like his sisters, Daisey Shipman Lennon, Deloris Ann Mitchell, Audrey 'Tina' Baldwin and Joyce Darlene Alderman (Bruce), brothers, William Dallas 'Chuck' Mitchell and Darryl Rudolph Mitchell. Boe especially cherished his Aunt Sylenna Maultsby of New York as he absolutely loved her beyond means and kept a close touch as much as he could. There were many many conversations had between Boe and his great nephew, KJ Wright. Also, a special daughter for whom he adored, doted on continuously and was very present in her life, Vernell Parker and a multitude of other relatives including 5 Aunts 1 Uncle, Nieces, Nephews, Cousins and Friends.

~ ORDER OF SERVICE ~

Musical Meditation

Processional.....Family

Hymn of Praise

Scripture Readings:

Old Testament.....Pastor Clarence D. Shipman
Isaiah 40:26-31

New Testament.....Pastor James Shipman
Romans 8:28-39

Prayer of Comfort.....Minister Jerome W. King
Wounded Outreach Ministries

Solo.....Mrs. Taffy Gainey-McNeill

Reflections from Family & Friends (Please limit to 3 minutes or less.)

Acknowledgements & Reading of Obituary

Musical Selection.....Pastor Robert Williams
House of Mercy Outreach Ministries

Eulogy.....Reverend David Flowers
*Pastor of Central Missionary Baptist Church
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Recessional

