

The Reverend Claude T. “Ted” Bass, 85, of Macon, passed away Sunday, March 1, 2020. Funeral services will be held Friday, March 6, 2020 at 11:00AM at Riverside United Methodist Church with the Reverends Dr. John Brown, Reverend Steve Keck and Reverend Antonie Walker officiating. The family will greet friends at the church one hour prior to the service. Interment will be held at Macon Memorial Park. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Riverside United Methodist Church, 735 Pierce Ave., Macon, GA 31204.

Ted was born in Harlan County, Kentucky and grew up in East Point, Georgia. He earned a Bachelor of Art degree from Georgia Southern University and a Master of Divinity from Candler School of Theology at Emory University. Ted joined the South Georgia Conference of the United Methodist Church in 1956 and served churches all over South Georgia for 44 years.

Ted loved golfing and spending time in the mountains of North Carolina. He was the author of “Adventures of Charlie the Chipmunk”, a collection of Christian stories for small children.

Ted was predeceased by his parents, Cyral Wade and Lois Fullerton Bass, and one sister, Betty Jane Noble.

He is survived by his wife, Gail Bassett Bass of Macon; his children, Claude Bass, Jr., Bobby Bass, Norma (Frank) Butler, Shirley (Wes) Brown; stepchildren, Laura (Steve) Keck and Cathy (Rick) Maday; 15 grandchildren; and 13 great grandchildren.

Please visit www.hartsmort.com to express condolences.

Hart’s at the Cupola, Hart’s Mortuary and Cremation Center, 6324 Peake Rd., Macon, GA 31210 has charge of the arrangements.



Reverend Claude T. (Ted) Bass

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PSALM 121

I WILL LIFT UP MINE EYES UNTO THE HILLS, FROM WHENCE COMETH MY HELP. ²MY HELP COMETH FROM THE LORD, WHICH MADE HEAVEN AND EARTH. ³HE WILL NOT SUFFER THY FOOT TO BE MOVED: HE THAT KEEPETH THEE WILL NOT SLUMBER. ⁴BEHOLD, HE THAT KEEPETH ISRAEL SHALL NEITHER SLUMBER NOR SLEEP. ⁵THE LORD IS THY KEEPER: THE LORD IS THY SHADE UPON THY RIGHT HAND. ⁶THE SUN SHALL NOT SMITE THEE BY DAY, NOR THE MOON BY NIGHT. ⁷THE LORD SHALL PRESERVE THEE FROM ALL EVIL: HE SHALL PRESERVE THY SOUL. ⁸THE LORD SHALL PRESERVE THY GOING OUT AND THY COMING IN FROM THIS TIME FORTH, AND EVEN FOR EVERMORE.

IN LOVING MEMORY

Reverend Claude T. (Ted) Bass

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A Service of Remembrance and Resurrection

For
Ted Bass

PRELUDE

SEATING OF THE FAMILY

Word of Grace *Pastor Walker*
Greeting *Pastor Walker*
Prayer *Pastor Walker*
“It is Well” *UMH 377*
Old Testament Scripture Lesson: Psalm 121 *Pastor Keck*
Eulogy *Pastor Keck*
Gospel-Lesson: John 14 (*Selected Verses*) *Pastor Brown*
Sermon
Commendation/Prayer of Thanksgiving *Pastor Brown*
Lord’s Prayer *Pastor Brown*
Benediction *Superintendent Lanford*