

Celebrating the Life of Mr. Henry Louis Drummond

And God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes; and there shall be no more death, neither sorrow, nor crying, neither shall there be any more pain. Revelations 21:4



Sunrise

June 20, 1947

Sunset

July 30, 2022

SATURDAY, AUGUST 6, 2022
11:00 A.M.



St. Elmo Missionary Baptist Church

512 South 6th Avenue - Laurel, Mississippi

Rev. Dr. Joe L. Holloway, Officiating

Order of Service



PRELUDE.....MR. JEROME SIMMONS

PROCESSIONAL.....MINISTERS & FAMILY

SCRIPTURE READINGS

OLD TESTAMENT.....PULPIT

NEW TESTAMENT.....PULPIT

PRAYER.....DEACON WILLIE JOHNSON

SONG.....BRO. RICHARD POLLET

EXPRESSIONS / TRIBUTES.....TWO (2) MINUTES PLEASE

WORDS OF ENCOURAGEMENT & SONG.....REV. DR. JAYMAR JACKSON

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS & RESOLUTION

OBITUARY.....READ SILENTLY WITH SOFT MUSIC PLAYING

SONG.....

EULOGY.....REV. DR. JOE L. HOLLOWAY

FINAL VIEWING / RECESSIONAL.....FUNERAL DIRECTOR IN CHARGE

Henry Louis “Poochie” Drummond



Henry Louis Drummond was born into this world June 20, 1947 and made his transition to his Heavenly home on July 30, 2022.

He was born to Thomas Henry Drummond and Dollie Newell Drummond. He lived all of his life in Laurel, Mississippi. He was loved and nurtured by a loving family that included his mother, father, maternal grandmother, brothers, sisters, uncles, aunts, cousins, and the entire “KC” Neighborhood.

He gave his heart and life to Christ and attended East Jerusalem Baptist Church during his youth. He later joined St. Elmo Baptist Church where he recommitted his heart and life to Christ.

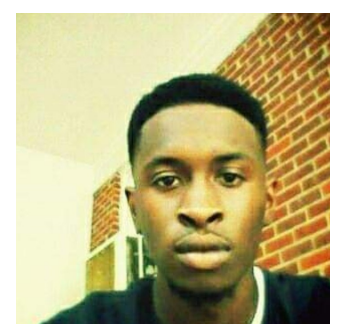
He attended Nora Davis Elementary School and Oak Park High School where he excelled in sports including football and baseball. He started his family at an early part of his adult life with four handsome sons; namely, Henry Tyrone (*deceased*), Antonio (Diane), Leonardo (Josie) *both deceased*, and Ronald Barshay (Cynthia).

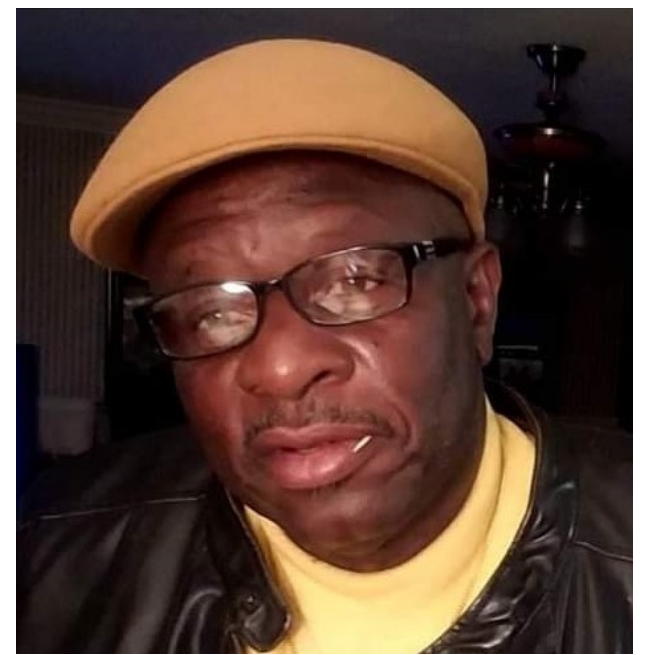
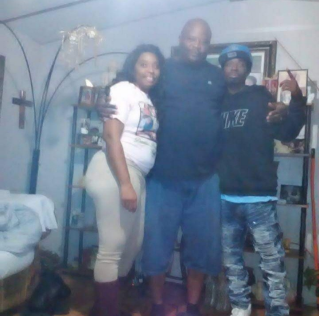
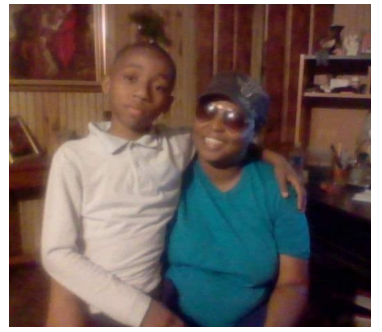
Henry met and married the love of his life, Shirley Ann Wilson, on April 6, 1972 and they remained married for over 50 years until his death. With this union, he became a father figure and raised two girls, Janice (James “Ben”) Jones and Beverly Walton. To this union, two girls were born, Daphne Drummond (James) Seals and Shaquana Beatrice Naylor. Also of his many loving grandchildren he helped raise and nurture, Malcolm Louis Drummond.

Henry was raised with a very strong work ethic that enabled him to perform well as a diligent and reliable employee while working for Valley Farms Meat Packing Company, the Mississippi Employment Office, and the City of Laurel before he retired.

He will be greatly missed by everyone who knew and loved him including his siblings, Julia Ducksworth, Alexander “Buddy” Drummond, Darl Drummond, and Curtis Luther Drummond; his in-laws who he loved, Gwendolyn Thomas, Juanita Portis, Willie “Patty Cake” (Wanda) Wilson, Jr., Joann Wilson, and Lee Nixon.

He leaves to cherish his memory, his grandchildren, great grandchildren, uncles, aunts, and a host of nieces, nephews, other family members and friends in Arizona, Texas, Florida, Wisconsin, Illinois, and Louisiana.





'The Golden Years'

FIFTY YEARS OF "TILL DEATH DO US PART"



Until We Meet Again!

I'LL THINK ABOUT YOU ALWAYS. I'LL TALK ABOUT YOU STILL.
YOU HAVE NEVER BEEN FORGOTTEN, AND YOU NEVER WILL.
I'LL HOLD YOU CLOSE WITHIN MY HEART, AND THERE YOU WILL REMAIN
TO WALK AND GUIDE ME THROUGH LIFE.
UNTIL WE MEET AGAIN!

Your Wife, Shirley

Poochie's Change of Address

Dear Family and Friends,

I just wanted you to know that I have moved. I received a call from God, who informed me that my New Home is ready and that I am to move in immediately. You all know that I have been sending up my timber, packing up getting ready to go, but there were some minor finishing touches that needed to be made. Well, my New Home is all finished and it's a beautiful sight to behold. My mother and father, they are here; my sister, both my boys, and a host of other family members and friends were here waiting for me.

It is located in a exclusive area, and has beautiful Pearly Gates. Of course, the streets are paved with gold and every day is Sunday. I have lived in many places before but none of them compare. There is peace, joy, and happiness here, with no more pain. There is only sweet serenity everywhere. I can go on and on about my New Home, but I have to be fitted for my new robe. I look forward to seeing you all when its your move in day. Until then, take care.

Love always, Poochie

PS: I don't have a telephone yet, so if you need anything, just call on God because He is ready, willing, and able.

Pallbearers

Friends & Family

Flower Carriers

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Interment

Oak Hill Cemetery #2
1874 Grandview Drive
Laurel, Ms 39440

Repast

Robert E. Jones Family Life Center
512 South Sixth Avenue
Laurel, Ms 39440

Family Acknowledgement

The family of Henry Louis Drummond wishes to extend our sincere gratitude and appreciation to each of you for the kindness shown during our sorrow. Our lives have been enriched by your prayers, visits, and words of encouragement shown during this most difficult time.

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