

Home Going Celebration For



Deacon Charlie W. Hayes, Jr.

Sunrise

June 27, 1938

Sunset

November 30, 2014

Service

Friday, December 5, 2014 - 11:00 a.m.

Zion Hill Baptist Church

152 Osborne Terrace • Newark, New Jersey

Reverend Douglas L. Williams III, Officiating

Obituary

Deacon Charlie Washington Hayes, Jr. was born June 27, 1938 in Kittrell, North Carolina to the late Gibson Day Hayes and the late Charlie Washington Hayes, Sr. He was the ninth of ten siblings.

Charlie departed this life Sunday, November 30, 2014 at Alaris Nursing Home in Irvington, New Jersey.

Charlie joined Shiloh Baptist Church of Kittrell, NC at an early age, and he later joined Mitchell Baptist Church in North Carolina. He received his education at Mitchell Elementary School, but he was forced to drop out at an early age in order to help out with the family farm.

Charlie married the love of his life and soul mate, Beatrice Burk Hayes, and the two were married fifty-nine years at his passing. The two migrated to Brooklyn, NY and later settled in Irvington, NJ. From their union three children were born, Jesse Lewis Hayes, Barbara Ann Hayes and Vincent Edward Hayes.

Charlie pursued various job interests before settling in to his career as a truck driver. He maintained this career for forty years before retirement. His passion then became attending Zion Hill Baptist Church of Newark, NJ. There he was a devoted member and Deacon until his passing. Charlie sang in the Male Choir for many years, and he was a Benevolent Treasurer for the church as well. When Charlie was not attending church, he passed his time fishing, working in his garden, and repairing cars. He will truly be missed by all who knew and loved him.

Charlie was preceded in death by both his mother and father, and two sisters, Molly Foster and Annie Mae Spivey.

Charlie leaves to cherish his memory: his wife, Beatrice Hayes; his three children, Jesse Lewis Hayes and Barbara Ann Hayes of the home and Vincent Edward Hayes of Maplewood, NJ; three sisters, Mary A. Alston and Betty (Jack) Alston of Henderson, NC and Sarah Mann of Kittrell, NC; four brothers, Walter Thomas Hayes, Willie Hayes and Eddie Roy Hayes of Henderson, NC and Edward Hayes of Kingport, TN; he also leaves to mourn a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Order of Service

Musical Prelude.....Bro. Carlton Pope & Sis. Belinda Johnson
“Just A Closer Walk With Thee”

Processional.....Clergy, Deacons and Family

Call To Worship

Hymn of Comfort.....*“Pass Me Not”*

Scripture Readings

Old Testament - Psalm 23

New Testament - John 14:1-6

Prayer of Comfort

Choral Response.....*“This Old Building”*

Musical Selection.....*“Walk Around Heaven”*

Remarks.....(Two minutes please)

Acknowledgements & Resolution

Reading of The Obituary

Special Musical Tribute

Eulogy.....Rev. Douglas L. Williams, III

Recessional.....*“When The Saints Go Marching In”*

Interment

Rose Hill Cemetery
Linden, New Jersey

The Master Called

*I'm sorry I had to leave you.
My loved ones, oh so dear.
But you see, the Master called me,
His voice was very clear!
I had made my reservation
A heaven bound ticket for one,
And I knew that He would call me
When He felt my work was done.
I know that your hearts are heavy
Because I have gone away,
But when the Master called me,
I knew that I could not stay.
Yes, I'm sorry I had to leave you
My loved ones, oh so dear,
But, you see, the Master called me
And, now I'm resting here.
Yes, I've crossed on over to glory
And to you all I say
Just stay in the hands of Jesus
And we'll meet again someday.*

-Author unknown

Acknowledgements

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