

Homegoing Celebration
for



Bro. George Bowers

Saturday, July 22, 1995
12:00 Noon

Russell Grove Missionary Baptist Church
Somerville, Tennessee

1899

1995

Obituary

Yea, though I walk Through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.

Psalm 23:4

Brother George Bowers, son of the late Sims Bowers and Febbie Holliway Bowers, was born on October 5, 1899 in Fayette County, Tennessee.

He entered into eternal joy on Sunday, July 16, 1995 at 9:30 P. M. at Somerville Health Care Center at the age of 95 years old.

He accepted Christ at an early age. He joined the Russell Grove Missionary Baptist Church of Somerville, Tennessee and remained a faithful, dedicated member until his health failed. He served as Chairman of the Deacons Board and Superintendent of Sunday School for 59 years. He was a member of the NAACP.

In 1920, he married Miss Lou Ella Lewis. To this union 14 children were born. He was a faithful loving husband, father, grandfather, uncle, neighbor and friend.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

The family of Brother George Bowers acknowledges with deep appreciation the many acts of kindness shown them during their time of bereavement.

May God return to you in full measure the comfort and care which you have given us.

The Bowers Family

INTERMENT

Smith Chapel Cemetery
Somerville, Tennessee

*Professional Services by
Rawls Funeral Home
36 S. Jackson Ave.
Brownsville, TN 38012
Phone 772-1472*

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HONORARY PALLBEARERS

(SONS)

ACTIVE PALLBEARERS

(GRANDSONS)

FLOWERBEARERS

(GRANDDAUGHTERS)

His parents, wife and two sons preceded him in death.

He leaves to mourn his passing his seven sons, George Lewis, Waco, Texas, Rev. Martin (Betty) Bowers and Jessie James Bowers, Somerville, TN, Rev. Charles (Sally) and Rev. Grafton (Earnestine) Bowers, Chicago, IL, John Bowers, Detroit, MI, David Bowers, Los Angeles, CA; five daughters, Febbie Mae (Harry) Jones, Stanton, TN, Ida Hopkins and Geneva (Keith) Keyes, Waukgan, IL, Gladys Owen and Barbara J. Drake, St. Louis, MO; two sisters-in-law, Willie Eva and Ida Joe Nettles, Munice, IN; two nephews, Alex and Leslie, Chicago, IL; 86 grandchildren; 276 great-grandchildren and a host of other relatives and friends.

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ORDER OF SERVICE

Processional Soft Music

Music Grandchildren

Scripture Rev. Willie Joy

Prayer Rev. Percy Hunter

Music Grandchildren

Remarks - *(3 Minutes, Please)*

Resolutions

Acknowledgements, Cards, Telegrams
..... Sis. Ruby Champion

Tributes - 2 Minutes Grandchildren

Obituary - (Read Silently) Soft Music

Pastoral Remarks Rev. Bobby Champion

Song Holy Sanctuary Community
Church, Chicago, IL

Eulogy Rev. Grafton Bowers

Song Holy Sanctuary Community
Church, Chicago, IL

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