

Memorial Service

for the late



Mr. Jefferson White

Daddy Dave,

We love you very much

Your children

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

Each loving card, each comforting word,
Each visit to our grieved abode.
Each lovely flower, each gracious prayer
To all who now our burden share,
Accept our thanks and gratitude
And may we say as well
Your kindness meant far more to us
Than words can ever tell.

PALLBEARERS

Nephews

-INTERMENT-
Clover Garden Cemetery

Arrangements By
Motley and Rivers Funeral Home
Whiteville, Tennessee



AFTER GLOW

*I'd like the memory of me
to be a happy one.*

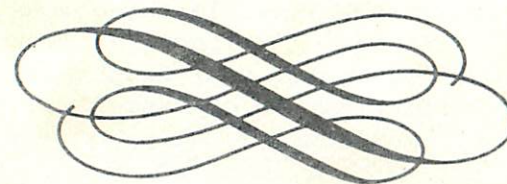
*I'd like to leave an afterglow
of smiles when life is done.*

*I'd like to leave an echo
whispering softly down the ways.*

*Of happy times and laughing times
And bright and sunny days.*

*I'd like the tears of those who grieve,
to dry before the sun.*

*Of happy memories that I leave
When life is done.*



Dave Jefferson White
April 27, 1926 - April 10, 1983

Saturday, April 16, 1983
1:00 P.M.

Clover Garden C.M.E. Church
Whiteville, Tennessee
Rev. W. Givhan, Pastor

Rev. Homer Gatlin - Officiating



THE OBITUARY

In the dawn hours of Sunday, April 10, 1983 the bright light of life was stolen by the Angel of Silence at the hospital bedside of Dave Jefferson White. This sudden act silenced the mortal lips of Dave and thrust him into a world of peace and eternal life.

Dave Jefferson White was born the ninth child of the late Ed and Carrie White. He professed a belief in Christ at an early age and joined Douglas Chapel C.M.E. Church.

On July 6, 1946 he was united in holy matrimony to Christene Savannah Bass. To this union was born eight children. One son, Dave Jefferson, Jr. preceded him in death.

As a young man, he sang with several gospel groups. He served in the United States military during World War II.

He leaves to cherish his precious memory a wife, Mrs. Christene Bass White of Whiteville; three sons, Joel Ed of Ft. Hood, Texas, Clienton of Whiteville, Tenn. and Elvis Maurice of Whiteville, Tenn.; four daughters, Ms. Yvonne Greene and Mrs. Loretta Martin of Nashville, Tenn., Mrs. Beverly Wilson and Miss Rosemary White of Memphis, Tenn.; mother-in-law, Mrs. Carolyn Bass of Whiteville, Tenn.; one sister, Mrs. Sallie Day of Jackson, Tenn.; five brothers, Edward L., Albert W. of Louisville, Kentucky, Charlie and T.J. of Stanton, Tenn. and John L. of Kansas City, Missouri; one daughter-in-law, Mrs. Toni White; three sons-in-law, Leander Wilson, Jr., Michael Martin and William Greene; eight sisters-in-law...the Whites, Dolly, Bertha, Josephine, Opra, Norma Jean, Mrs. Clenora Motley, Mrs. Morelessie Perry and Mrs. Magalene Bass; seven brothers-in-law, James Day, Percy Bass, John Bass, Lynwood Motley, George Perry, Quinton Clark and Clint Duckett; three grandchildren, Chadwick Wilson, Eric Greene and Gerard Greene; and a host of other relatives and friends.

PROGRAMME

The Processional

The Musical Anthem.....The Choir - Douglas Chapel C.M.E.

The Scripture.....The Rev. Willie Givhan

The Prayer.....The Rev. William Bufford

The Musical Solo.....The Rev. W.H. Bass

The Remarks.....Mr. Emanuel Parham

The Acknowledgments.....Mrs. Mamie D. Bowles

The Obituary.....(Read Silently).....Soft Music

The Musical Duet.....The Rev. & Mrs. J.W. Shaw

The Eulogy.....The Rev. Homer Gatlin

The Musical Solo.....Mrs. Ruby Mitchell

The Recessional