

### Active Pallbearers

Lane C. Cleaves  
Fritizer Hopkins  
William Blackmon

Charles Haskins  
Daniel Nash  
L.G. Bickers

### Honorary Pallbearers

Nephews and Nieces

Stewards of Phillips Temple C.M.E. Church

### Floral Bearers

Stewardess of Phillips Temple C.M.E. Church

### Internment

Inglewood Park Cemetery  
Inglewood, California

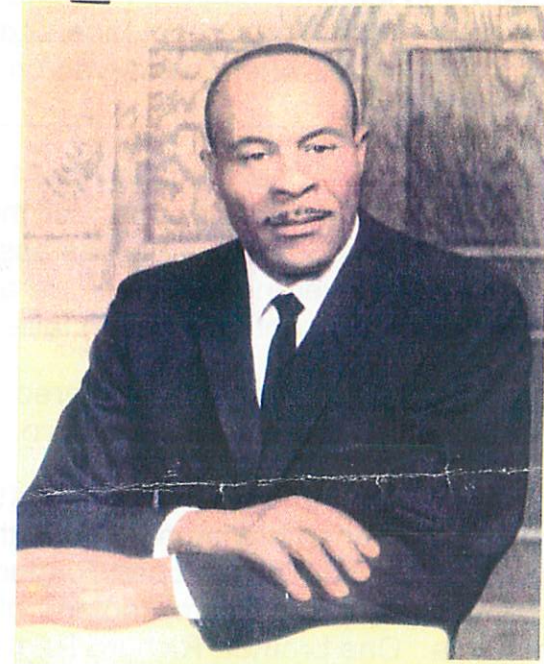
Inglewood Park Mortuary  
Directors In Charge

The family wishes to thank everyone for their sympathy and kindness shown to them at their time of bereavement. May the Lord bless and keep you. Continue to remember us in your prayers.

### In Loving Memory

of

James Calvin Ragland



Friday, October 21, 1994  
10:00 a.m.

Phillips Temple C.M.E. Church  
971 East 43rd Street  
Los Angeles, California

Reverend Paul A. Stewart, Officiate

Reverend Robert Peoples, Presiding Elder, L.A. District

The Right Reverend E. Lynn Brown, Presiding Bishop

## Obituary

James Calvin Ragland was born September 3, 1912 in Stanton, Tennessee. He was the second of eight children born to Richard and Mattye Douglass Ragland. He professed a hope in Christ at an early age and joined Dancyville C.M.E. Church, where he served on the Steward Board.

He moved to Los Angeles, California in April 1958, and joined Phillips Temple C.M.E. Church under the Pastorate of the late Bishop Norris S. Curry. He was assigned to Steward Board #2 by Reverend M.J. Bell. He attended Sunday School religiously until his health failed.

He was married to Louise Archable who preceded him in death and to this union three sons were born.

He departed this life on Sunday, October 16, 1994 at 5:00 a.m. He leaves to cherish his memories his three sons, James Ragland of Euclid, Ohio; Robert Ragland of Memphis, Tennessee; and William Ragland of West Covina, California. One brother, Richard Ragland of Shaker Heights, Ohio and one sister Virginia Ragland Jones of Los Angeles, California. Two sister-in-laws, Dorothy Ragland of Los Angeles, California; and Rosetta Bryant of Memphis, Tennessee. One brother-in-law, Henry Burnett of Los Angeles, California. Three daughters-in-law, four grand children, and a host of nieces, nephews and other relatives and friends.

For his merciful kindness is great toward us: and the truth of the Lord endureth forever. Praise ye the Lord  
Psalm 117:2

## Order of Service

Organ Prelude

Processional

Hymn "A Charge to Keep I Have"

Prayer Rev. James McGriff

Scripture

Old Testament Psalms 90:1-9 Rev. Earl Bohannon

New Testament St John 14:1-14 Rev. Carlist Ivery

Solo "Precious Lord" Mr. Richard Thomas

Acknowledgments Mr. Ronald Ragland

Resolution

Phillips Temple C.M.E. Church  
Mr. Fritizer Hopkins  
Chairman Steward Board #2

Tribute from Family Mr. Clarence Jones

Obituary Read Silently

Solo "Beams of Heaven" Mrs. Mary Lou Brown

Eulogy Reverend Paul A. Stewart, Sr.

Recessional