



Add Humes

February 28, 1922 - March 14, 2006

Family hour will take place at 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, March 22, 2006 at Mt. Olive Institutional Missionary Baptist Church, 1114 N. 6th Street, with the funeral commencing at 11:00 a.m. Pastor Marvin T. Smith will officiate with interment in Forest Lawn Cemetery. Friends may call at the Browne's Mortuary, 441 N. Jefferson Ave. on Tuesday from 2:00 until 8:00 p.m. A devoted husband, father, grandfather and brother was called home to be with the Lord on Tuesday, March 14, 2006. He was a very dear and kind person who was a Christian man that truly loved the Lord. He was born February 28, 1922 to Jerry Humes and Hattie Baldrige in Scotts, MS. He grew up and went to school around Scotts and Benoit, MS. Mr. Humes confessed Christ at age fifteen at Jerusalem Baptist Church under the leadership of Rev. Harris. He attended Sunday School and served on the Usher Board. He served in the U.S. Army in 1942 receiving an honorable discharge in December, 1946. He came to Saginaw in January, 1947 and started working the same year for General Motors at Saginaw Grey Iron Foundry where he later retired in 1985 after 42 years of service. He was a member of UAW Local 668. He joined the Mt. Olive Baptist Church in 1948, was a regular Sunday School attendant, joined the Senior Usher Board in 1961 and was very active as Head Usher for 30 years. He attended Senior Laymen (local and district) and was very dutiful in the Saginaw Valley District Ushers Department. He was a member of American Legion Post 22, The Old Timers Club and enjoyed bowling and fishing. He married Gladys Lena Lee on July 2, 1977 who had one son and

one daughter; four children by a previous marriage to Elizabeth Humes (Trapp) in 1946. Surviving besides his devoted wife of twenty-nine years are their six children, Marie Beasley (Tommie); Doris (Jimmie) Moultrie; Vanessa Johnson, all of Saginaw, MI; Philip (Gayle) Humes, Clio, MI; Cecil (Alberta) Lee, Pittsford, NY and Deidra (Jeremiah) Stubbs, Columbia, SC; twenty grandchildren, twenty-two great-grandchildren, four great-great grandchildren; three sisters, Lucille (Page) Trapp; Hattie Wadley of Saginaw; Myra (Andrew) Nelson, Detroit, MI; seven sisters-in-law, seven brothers-in-law; many beloved nieces, nephews, cousins and friends including the Mt. Olive Institutional Missionary Baptist Church Family; a special brother-in-law, Page Trapp; a special son-in-law, Tommie Jennings; a special grandson, Daren Humes and a special cousin, Curtis Simmons. Fellowshiping with him was a joy. He was a man of all men. We were blessed to have had him in our lifetime. He was loved by many. Mr. Humes was preceded in death by four brothers, Isaac, Tarrence, Percell and Floyd; three sisters, Enzell, Hilda and Beneva; one daughter, Dianne and one son, Christopher. Thanks to Covenant HealthCare and Aleda E. Lutz VA Rehab of Saginaw and the nursing staff. A very special thanks to Dr. Bhrama Sarvepalli, M.D.

Tribute Wall

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“ Our prayers are with you at this time. Words of sympathy somehow does not seem to be enough. Just want you to know that thoughts & prayers are with you all.

May the Lord lift your spirits and remember you are not alone. May God Bless. If there is anything I can do to assist in any way please call me. SHELVA

Shelva Scott-Veal - March 14, 2006 at 12:00 AM

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“ To the Humes family may the Lord keep his loving arms around you through the days ahead. Mrs. Gladys you have been a blessing to your husband and been there with him through the end. To the Children & grands(Marie, Phillip and the rest of the sblings); may God almighty give you the strength that all of you lift each one up and be there for each other.

Mary Ann Holden - March 14, 2006 at 12:00 AM

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“ Mrs. Humes & Cecil, Dee Dee, I'am sorry to hear of your loss. You guys are in my prayers. Words can not express at times like these. No one can tell you how you should feel. So if you want to cry its o.k. I remember when my mother passed and every one was telling me she in a better place. But I want to be selfish, because I wanted her here with me. Sometime we hide our true feeling for people and we want everyone to know that we are strong christian and we believe God. And that is well & true. But a loss of a love one from this earth is reality. Mrs. Humes hang in there. Love & God Bless, Elder, William Dean Cooper. (Peter).

Peter Cooper - March 14, 2006 at 12:00 AM

SG

“ Phillip and family you are in my prayers. I have sat where you are about to sit. I can only relay to you my brother, my friend, my classmate that God makes not mistakes. He saw that you dad was getting weary and he need him in heaven to do some work - for his work here on earth was complete. Take comfort in knowing that you will see your father again. God be with you and your family in your time of sorrow.

*With Empathy,
Your Classmate Sylvia L. George*

Sylvia George - March 14, 2006 at 12:00 AM