

Floral Bearers

Casket Bearers



With Gratitude

Our Family wishes to thank everyone for all acts of kindness shown to us during our time of bereavement. We pray God's blessings upon you all.

~The Family~

Arrangements Entrusted to:
The W. J. Gist Mortuary
519 Workman Avenue - Woodruff, South Carolina
Telephone 476-3411 or 476-6238

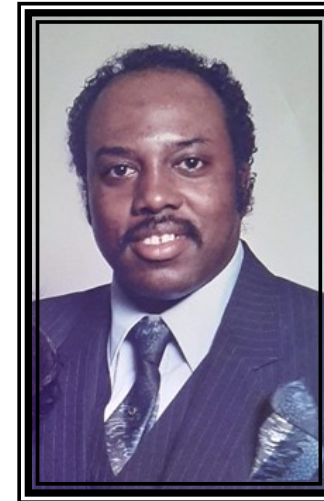
Alexander, Casey & Gist Funeral Service
1223 Old Anderson Mill Road - Spartanburg, South Carolina
Telephone 574-5464 or 576-8800

www.wjgist.com

In Loving Memory

Of

Mr. Johnnie L. Leake



Sunrise

October 13, 1949

Sunset

December 29, 2020

Sunday, January 3, 2021

One O' Clock in the Afternoon

Beaverdam Baptist Church Cemetery

1252 Beaverdam Church Road

Enoree, SC

Rev. Dr. O. T. Hill, Pastor

Life Profile

Mr. Johnnie Lewis Leake, was the husband of the late Delphine Beagle Leake and the son of the late James Lewis Leake, and Willie and Lillie Mae Bates Williams. He was born October 13, 1949 in Laurens County and departed this life on Tuesday, December 29, 2020.

He was a member of Beaverdam Baptist Church in Enoree, SC and a former employee of Inman Mills for over 35 years until his health started to fail.

In addition to his wife, he was preceded in death by his sisters, Mary Montgomery and Ruby Nell Scurry.

Left to cherish fond memories are one daughter Mackenzie Leake of the home, two sons, Kevin D. Leake of Pelzer, SC and Rodney Burnside of Laurens, SC; three brothers, James Calvin Bates and Freddie Lee Leake, both of Enoree, SC, and Rossi McGee of Laurens, SC; Three aunts, Ruby Lee Parks of Laurens, SC, Mildred Mack of Enoree, SC, and Genell Briggs of Queens, NY; three brothers-in-law, Milford Beagle Sr. of Enoree, SC, and Jimmie (Johnnie Mae) Beagle and Hershel (Linda) Beagle, both of Fountain Inn, SC; two sisters-in-law, Angela Beagle of Fountain Inn, SC and Lillie Ruth Arnett of Fairmont, NC, three grandchildren, Raadyah Burnside of Laurens, SC, Kyla Goggans of Joanna, SC, and one grandson reared in the home, Ashton Leake; and three special cousins that love him dearly, Raymond "Bo" Mack, Vernessia "Net" Parks and Thommy Glover; and a host of other relatives and friends who also loved him dearly.



Order of Service

Dr. Jefferson N. McDowell, Officiating Minister

Processional — Family and friends

Solo — Ronald Browning

Old Testament — Rev. Catherine Evans

New Testament — Rev. Catherine Evans

Prayer — Rev. Derrick Scurry

Family Tribute — Brigadier General Milford Beagle

Song — Dr. Jefferson N. McDowell

Words of Comfort — Rev. Dr. O. T. Hill

Closing Prayer

Recessional

Committal and Benediction

*Beaverdam Baptist Church Cemetery
Enoree, SC*

AFTERGLOW

*I'd like the memory of me to be happy one.
I'd like to leave an afterglow of smiles when life is done.
I'd like to leave an echo of 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.*