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### Wilson Boyd

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# Home Going Services

for

Mr. Wilson Boyd



1923

1996

Saturday, October 19, 1996 - 1:00 p.m.

Springhead United Methodist Church  
Sylvania, Georgia

Rev. Wayne Rogers — Officiating

Interment — Church Cemetery



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# Obituary

On Tuesday evening, God sent an angel to the Screven County Hospital, Sylvania, Georgia and sealed the eyes of Mr. Wilson Boyd, after an extended illness.

He was born February 2, 1923 to the late Rollie and Lena Boyd of Sylvania, Georgia, where he was raised and attended public schools. At an early age he joined Springhead United Methodist Church.

He leaves to cherish his loving memories eleven children, one preceding him in death; seven daughters, Mrs. Lena M. Melvin and Mrs. Annie M. Ollison, both of Sylvania, Ga., Mrs. Roberta Wright, Mrs. Rosa Gassett, Mrs. Katrina Boyd and Mrs. Vonnell Boyd, all of Pompano Beach, Fl., and Mrs. Annette Ervin of Savannah, Ga.; four sons, Mr. Woodrow Boyd and Mr. Jerry Boyd of Sylvania, Ga., Mr. Van Buren Boyd of Fort Lauderdale, Fl., and Mr. Raleigh Boyd of Dallas, Tx.; twenty-five grandchildren, twenty-nine great-grandchildren, one great-great-grandchild; four brothers, Mr. Ernest Boyd of Hendersonville, N.C., Mr. Paul Benton and Rev. Lee A. Hunter, of Statesboro, Ga., and Mr. Rufus Benton of Rocky Ford, Ga.; four sisters Mrs. Rezzie Grant of Charleston, S.C., Mrs. Anita Gassett of Sylvania, Ga., Mrs. Nellie Pleasant of Philadelphia, Pa., and Mrs. Marilyn Early of New York, N.Y.; one aunt Mrs. Lottie Ashley of Sylvania, Ga.; three daughters-in-law, Mrs. Reather Boyd, Mrs. Robbie Boyd and Mrs. Mary Boyd; two sons-in-law Mr. Genice Melvin and Mr. Joseph Ervin; five brothers-in-law, eight sisters-in-law, and a host of other relatives, nieces, nephews, and friends.



### A Tribute to Our Father

*Daddy we love you, but God loves you best. We will always cherish in our memories your sweet smile. We know there were many times you didn't feel well, but you always kept a smile on your face. We know you loved your family dearly. We will miss your sweet smiles, but we can keep a smile upon our faces when we cherish the memories of a dear daddy.*

Your children,  
Roberta, Woodrow, Annie, Rosa, Van,  
Katrina, Lena, Jerry, Raleigh, Annette and Vonnell

# Order of Service

- PRESIDING ..... Rev. Larry Scarboro
- SELECTION ..... Choir
- PRAYER ..... Rev. Ron Parlor
- SCRIPTURE ..... Rev. Terry Boyd
- SOLO ..... Sis. Evernesia Hunter
- REFLECTIONS
  - As a Church Member ..... Sis. Genetha Nunnally
  - Expressions ..... Rev. Ron Parlor
  - Expressions ..... Rev. Joe Herrington
- SELECTION ..... Choir
- ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS AND OBITUARY ..... Sis. Barbara Lee
- SELECTION ..... Choir
- EULOGY ..... Rev. Wayne Rogers
- VIEWING
- RECESSIONAL

## Honorary Hallbearers

Stewart Board

## Active Hallbearers

Grandsons and Nephews

## Floral Attendants

United Methodist Women and Friends  
Springhead and Goloil U.M.W.



## ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

The family of the late Wilson Boyd is grateful for all you have done to comfort our hearts, to share our sorrow and to strengthen our hopes. Your expressions of sympathy have been inspiring and will serve to brighten the lonely days ahead. May God bless you.

The Boyd Family