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For this is a journey we all must take, and each must go alone. It's all a part of the master's plan, a step on the road to home. When you are lonely and sick of heart, go to the friends we know. Bear your sorrow in good deeds. Miss me, but let me go.

God Saw You....

God saw you getting tired,
When a cure was not to be.
So He wrapped his arms around you,
And whispered, "Come to me".
You didn't deserve what you went through,
So He gave you rest.
God's garden must be beautiful,
He only takes the best
And when I saw you sleeping,
So peaceful and free from pain
I could not wish you back
To suffer that again.

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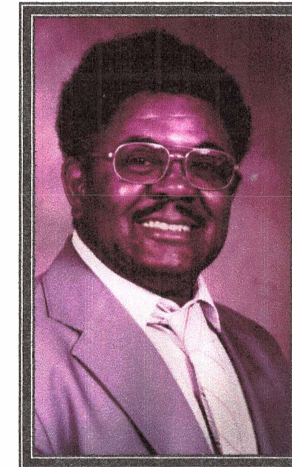
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HOMEGOING SERVICES FOR

SUNRISE
January 26, 1926



SUNSET
March 5, 2006

MR. JOSEPH SAMUEL CHILDERS

Thursday, March 9, 2006 – 11:00 A.M.

MOUNT ZION A.M.E. CHURCH

Hwy 24
Statesboro, Georgia 30461

Rev. Julius Abraham - Presiding
Rev. Lewis Wilson - Eulogist

- INTERMENT -

Mount Zion A.M.E. Church Cemetery

"To every thing there is a season, and a time to every purpose under the heaven: A time to be born, and a time to die; a time to plant, and a time to pluck up that which is planted; A time to kill, and a time to heal; a time to break down, and a time to build up;" Ecclesiastes 3: 1-3

A TIME TO BE BORN

Mr. Joseph Samuel Childers the oldest of eleven children was born to the late Elijah C. Childers and the late Mary Jane Rawls Childers on January 26, 1926 in Bulloch County, Georgia.

A TIME TO GROW AND LEARN

"Joe", as he was passionately called by his family and friends, grew up in the Sandridge Community in Bulloch County, Georgia. Joe also attended school in the Sandridge Community until the eighth grade.

A TIME TO SERVE

At an early age, Joseph joined the Mount Zion A.M.E. Church. As a youth he was active in the Young People Department. As an Adult, Joseph served on the Stewart Board and the Trustee Board faithfully until he became ill in 1999.

A TIME TO SERVE HIS COUNTRY AND A TIME TO WORK

At the outbreak of World War II, Joseph enlisted in the United States Army on January 14, 1946. He served his country honorably for three years. Upon receiving an honorable discharge, Joseph received the World War II Victory Medal and the Good Conduct Medal. Joseph worked as a farmer, a forklift driver, and a lumber counter for many years with the Louisiana Pacific Company.

A TIME FOR FAMILY

On October 1, 1947, Joseph joined in Holy matrimony to Leona Howard of Tuskegee, Alabama. To this union ten children were born. Two sons preceded him in death.

A TIME TO DIE

On Sunday morning, March 5, 2006, the heavenly angels ascended on to earth and quietly carried Joseph home for his eternal rest.

Joseph is survived by his wife of fifty eight years, Mrs. Leona H. Childers; five daughters, Mrs. Betty Young (Joseph) of Hardeville, South Carolina, Mrs. Annie R. Childers-Bridges (Michael) and Ms. Marilyn D. Childers of Statesboro, GA, Mrs. Martha Childers-Garrett (Paul) of Hinesville, Georgia and Ms. Vera M. Childers of Atlanta, Georgia; three sons, Mr. Joseph O. Childers of Statesboro, Georgia and Mr. Samuel L. Childers (Peggy) of Statesboro, Georgia and Wayne S. Childers of Atlanta, Georgia; four brothers, Mr. Julian Joshua Childers (Bettye Ann) and Mr. Robert L. Childers (Ollie) of Savannah, Georgia, Mr. Johnny L. Childers (Mary) of Battle Creek, Michigan and Mr. James A. Childers (Esther) of Decatur, Georgia; two sisters, Ms. Katie M. Johnson of Statesboro, Georgia and Ms. Hattie M. Rodney of Savannah, Georgia; one aunt, Roxie Williams of Pembroke, Georgia; one uncle, Mr. Theodore Childers of Sylvania, Georgia; several sister-in-laws; twenty grandchildren, twenty-one great grandchildren, a host of nieces, nephews, and other relatives and friends.

Order of Service

Processional

Presiding.....Rev. Julius Abraham

Selection.....Craig R. Tremble and Sons Chorus

Invocation.....Rev. Julius Abraham

Old Testament.....Rev. Benny Wilkey

New Testament.....Rev. Craig R. Tremble

Solo.....Bro. Ulysses Grant

Reflections (2 minutes please)

As a Church Member.....Bro. Robert Keel

As a Co-worker.....Bro. Jimmy McCullough

As a Brother.....Bro. Robert L. Childers

As a Father.....Sis. Martha Childers

Solo.....Bro. Samuel Childers, Jr.

Grandson

Acknowledgements.....Craig R. Tremble and Sons Staff

Selection.....Craig R. Tremble and Sons Chorus

Eulogy.....Rev. Lewis Wilson

Viewing

Recessional



Honorary Pallbearers

Grandsons

Active Pallbearers

Nephews

Flower Girls

Nieces