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Honorary Pallbearers

Deacons of Thomas Grove Missionary Baptist Church
Community Brotherhood Fishing Auxiliary Members

Active Pallbearers

William James Class of 1968

Floral Attendants

William James Class of 1968

Acknowledgements

*The family of the late Mr. Charles Edward Elliott
humbly acknowledge your calls, visits, offers of service,
gifts of love and above all, the prayers. We pray that
God will bless each of you in a special way.*

I'm Free

Don't grieve for me, now I'm free
I'm following the path God laid for me.
I took his hand when I heard him call
I turned my back and left it all.

I could not stay another day
To laugh, to love, to work, or play
Tasks left undone must stay that way
I found that place at the close of day

If my parting has left a void,
Then fill it with remembering joy.
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,
Ah, yes these things I too will miss.

Be not burdened with times of sorrow,
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.
My life's been full, I've savored much,
Good friends, good times, a love one's touch

Perhaps my time seemed all to brief,
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.
Lift up your heart and share with me,
God Wanted Me Now

He Set Me Free!

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Celebrating the Life of



Mr. Charles Edward Elliott

Saturday-September 11, 2004
1:00 P.M.

Thomas Grove Missionary Baptist Church

500 East Olliff
Statesboro, GA 30458

Rev. John McPhatter, Presiding
Dr. Johnny Lewis, Jr., Officiating

Interment-Eastside Cemetery

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Reflections

The Lord is my light and salvation; Whom shall I fear? The Lord is the strength of my life; of whom shall I be afraid?"

Psalm 27:1

On Tuesday, September 7, 2004 at East Georgia Regional Medical Center, Statesboro, Georgia, Charles Edward Elliott (affectionately known as Rabbi) completed his earthly sojourn and entered into peace eternal with our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ.

He was born January 21, 1950 at Bulloch Memorial Hospital, Statesboro, Georgia, the only son of the martial union between Robert Lewis Elliott and Lessie Simmons Elliott.

His elementary and secondary education was received in public schools of Bulloch County and he was a member of the Class of 1968 at William James High School. He was the owner and operator of Elliott Masonry Company.

Charles began his early studies of religion with the Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witness and later became a member of Thomas Grove Missionary Baptist Church. He was active in the church having served as an usher and in other capacities. He was preceded in death by his father, Mr. Robert Lewis Elliott.

Memories of him will always be cherished by those who shared love with him abundantly: his devoted mother, Lessie S. Elliott, Statesboro, GA; a loving son, Orunda Elliott, a loving daughter, Daphne Michell Elliott, both of Statesboro, GA; a loving granddaughter, Dazrelle Sharmar Brown, Hinesville, GA; three sisters, Sarah N. Simmons, Statesboro, GA, Katrina Elliott, Savannah, GA and Ardena Elliott-Brown, Decatur, GA; a special friend, Rosa Davis, Statesboro, GA and a host of aunts, cousins and friends.



23rd Psalm

The lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul: he leadeth, me in the paths of righteousness for his name sake. Yea though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff comfort me. Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all of the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.

-Amen-

Order of Service

Presiding - Rev. John McPhatter

Processional

Invocation.....Rev. Julius Abraham

Selection.....James R. Barnes Choir

Scriptures

Old Testament.....Pastor Sarah Prince

New Testament.....Pastor Willie Brown

Solo.....Mr. Gary Lewis

REMARKS

As A Friend.....Mr. Alfred Grant

As A Church Worker.....Dea. Luther Crawford

As A Brotherhood Member.....Dea. James Canty

Solo.....Mr. Conley Irvin

Acknowledgements.....Mrs. Shirley Barnes

Solo.....Ms. Patricia Taylor

Eulogy.....Dr. Johnny Lewis, Jr.

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