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Jeremiah Higgins Sr.

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Funeral Service

Wednesday, August 7, 2002
11:00 A.M.



TRIED STONE BAPTIST CHURCH
5550 Reading Road
Cincinnati, Ohio 45237

Pastor Arnold M. Culbreath, Officiating Minister

Acknowledgment

We the family of Jeremiah Higgins wish to thank you one and all
for your prayers, cards and calls during our time of sorrow.
May God Bless You!

Pallbearers

Jeremiah Higgins
Jamie Carpenter
Michael Clayton
Glen Collins
Damu Bantu
Jay Higgins
Lee Harvey

Flower Bearers

Friends and Family



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In Loving Memory Of



Jeremiah Higgins, Sr.

Sunrise
August 22, 1919



Sunset
July 31, 2002

"One or the other must leave"

One or the other must leave,

One or the other must stay.

One or the other must grieve,

That is forever the way.

That is the vow that was sworn,

Faithful 'til death do us part.

Braving what had to be borne,

Hiding the ache in the heart.

One, howsoever adored,

First must be summoned away.

That is the will of the Lord.

One or the other must stay.

For anyone who knew Jere
knows that he loved his music and loved to talk.
Talk on Daddy, talk on....

The Obituary

Jeremiah (Jere) Higgins was born August 22, 1919 in Vicco, KY to Leslie and Lucinda Higgins. Jeremiah Higgins departed this life on July 31, 2002 at Deaconess Hospital at 12:00 midnight. He was united in holy matrimony to Marietta Morgan on August 6, 1960 and two children were born to this union. Jere was a loving husband and best friend, a loving father and a devoted grandfather; he never met a stranger and never made an enemy. He taught his son to become a man and his daughter a woman and he lived the life he taught them. He served in the Armed Services from 1941 to 1945. He retired from General Electric after 38 years and was a member of Pride of the Valley Masonic Lodge in Lockland for 52 years. He was chancellor commander of Garnett Lodge No. 32 of the Knights of Pythias. He was a member of the Kennedy Heights Senior Citizens; also a member of the Keenagers and Brotherhood of Tryed Stone.

Jeremiah united with Tryed Stone Missionary Baptist Church on September of 1997 under the pastoral leadership of Pastor Anderson Culbreath.

Jeremiah Higgins leaves behind to cherish his memory: a loving and devoted wife, Marietta Higgins; two children, Yvette (Keith) Wilson and Jeremiah (Granada) Higgins; three stepchildren, Roger Morgan, Eddie Morgan and Grace (Michael) Clayton; four grandchildren and one preceded him in death, Andre Higgins; six step grandchildren; eleven great step grandchildren; two sisters, Dovie (James) Greene of Columbus, Ohio and Nadine (Sam) Wade of Newbedford, Ohio; one aunt, Virginia Cornett and a host of nephews, nieces and other relatives and friends.

The Order of Service

The Chiming of the Hour
11:00 A.M.

The Organ Prelude..... Barbara Coakley

The Parting View..... The Family

The Prayer..... Minister

The Scripture..... Minister

The Selection..... Choir

*Acknowledgements of Cards,
Telegrams and Condolences*
Wanda Johnson – Church Administrator

The Remarks..... 2-3 Minutes

The Obituary..... Read Silently

(A time to think, a time to pray and a time to reflect on the life of Jeremiah Higgins, Sr.)

The Selection..... Choir

The Eulogy..... Pastor Arnold M. Culbreath

The Benediction..... Pastor Arnold M. Culbreath

The Recessional.... Clergy, Pallbearers & Family

Interment

Spring Grove Cemetery
Cincinnati, Ohio

There will be a Pride of the Valley #95 Memorial at the Cemetery prior to the Committal Service.