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PROCESSIONAL (RECEIVING FRIENDS FROM 1:00 UNTIL 2:00 P.M.)

CALL TO WORSHIP

REV. DR. PIERRE J. CRAWFORD-SENIOR PASTOR
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OPEN HYMN CONGREGATIONAL

SCRIPTURE READINGS OLD TESTAMENT MINISTER NEW TESTAMENT MINISTER

PRAYER OF COMFORT

REV. DR. RODNEY FREEMAN-PASTOR
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REMARKS (2 MINUTES, PLEASE)

GEORGE DURHAM
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DON PETTY
HOWARD HILL

READING OF OBITUARY (SILENTLY)

SELECTION CONGREGATIONAL

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INTERMENT SALISBURY VA NATIONAL CEMETERY 501 STATESVILLE BLVD.

SALISBURY, NC

TUESDAY; AUGUST 19, 2025
10:00 A.M.

DO NOT STAND AT MY GRAVE AND WEEP

-Mary Elizabeth Frye

Do not stand at my grave and weep

I am not there; I do not sleep.

I am a thousand winds that blow,

I am the diamond glints on snow,

I am the sun on ripened grain,

I am the gentle autumn rain.

When you awaken in the morning's hush

I am the swift uplifting rush

Of quiet birds in circled flight.

I am the soft stars that shine at night.

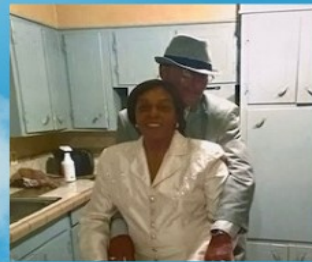
Do not stand at my grave and cry,

I am not there; I did not die.

Floral Bearers Nieces



Pall Bearers Nephews and Friends



Note of Thanks

With deep appreciation and gratitude, we wish to express our sincere thanks for all expressions of kindness shown during the loss of our loved one. May God bless each and every one of you.

The family of Mr. James Rufus Holland

CELEBRATING THE LIFE OF MR. JAMES RUFUS HOLLAND

MAY 27, 1962 - AUGUST 5, 2025



Friday

AUGUST 15, 2025 | 2:00 P.M.

"Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of his saints. ~"Psalm 116:15

Arrangements Were Entrusted to:

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