

Deacon Grady Lloyd Harris, the youngest child of the late Odell and Sadie Tate Harris was born September 18, 1950, in Gaston County North Carolina.

Deacon Harris was a 1969 graduate of Lincoln High School, Bessemer City NC. After graduation, he was employed at Textron for several years before going to work at Homelite/John Deere where he worked for 25 years until their closing. He then, traveled to Arvin Meritor in Rock Hill, SC where he retired after 15 years of service.

Grady leaves to cherish lasting memories, Brenda Setzer Harris, his lifelong friend and wife of 52 years, daughter, Crystal D. Lowery (Kenneth), one grandson K-Juan Lowery, granddaughter, Rachel Lowery, special sister Faye Harris, two aunts Ethel and Margaret of Columbus Ohio, nephews, nieces, sister in-laws, brother in-laws and a host of other relatives and friends.

Miss me a little, but not too long
And not with your head bowed low.
Remember the love we once shared-
Miss me, but let me go.
For this is a journey we all must take
And each must go alone.
It's all a part of the Maker's plan,
A step on the road to **HOME**.
When you are lonely and sick at heart
Go to the friends we know, & bury your sorrows
In doing good deeds-
Miss me, but let me go.

**YOU HAVE LEFT OUR LIVES, BUT YOU WILL NEVER
LEAVE OUR HEARTS.**



MOMENT OF SHARING

Prelude
Processional
Visitation Receiving of Friends 12:00 -1:00 PM

ORDER OF SERVICE

Call to Worship Pastor Robert O. Setzer
Opening Hymn Blessed Assurance Men’s Ensemble
Invocation Dr. Willie Garrison
Scripture
Old Testament Dr. Benjamin Hinton
Pastor, Tabernacle Baptist Church
New Testament Dr. Julius Walker
Springfield Baptist Church
Prayer of Comfort Elder Troy E. Bethune
St. Matthews F.B.H. Church
Selection Mt. Pisgah Men’s Ensemble
Remarks (3 minutes) Deacon Ken Barnett
Ben Williams
Hunter Tate
Derrick Harris
Reading of Resolution Ayanna Coleman
Church Clerk
Solo Pastor Wynella Williams
Eulogy Pastor Robert O. Setzer
Mt. Pisgah Missionary Baptist Church
Selection Mt. Pisgah Men’s Ensemble
Recessional

Interment
Gaston Memorial Park
1200 S. New Hope Road
Gastonia, North Carolina 28054

The Road

I lived my life the best I could,
I chose my path just like I should.
The road has ended now you see,
My soul and spirit have been set free.

Those I left behind to mourn,
The ones I’ve helped and watched be born,
My children I loved and cherished so much,
The ones I leaned on, they were my crutch.

They were there in the past few days,
For the late night visits and overnight stays,
Now I must travel this road alone,
With nothing to carry, just these old bones.

Remember me for the good times and bad.
Remember the smile I always had.
These are the things to remember me for,
I gave all I had and so much more.
Appreciate the things that life have to give,
You only have the one life to live.
So take the time to live it right,
Then you can see God’s heavenly light.

FLORAL BEARERS

Nieces

PALL BEARERS

Nephews

Note of Thanks

We extend our deepest thanks to you for your kindness during our greatest sadness. We appreciate it more than words can express and it will always be remembered.

The Family



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CELEBRATING THE LIFE OF
DEACON GRADY LLOYD HARRIS

FRIDAY, MARCH 24, 2023
1:00 PM

MT. PISGAH MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
5504 LITTLE MOUNTAIN ROAD
GASTONIA, NORTH CAROLINA

REVEREND ROBERT O. SETZER, SENIOR PASTOR
OFFICIATING