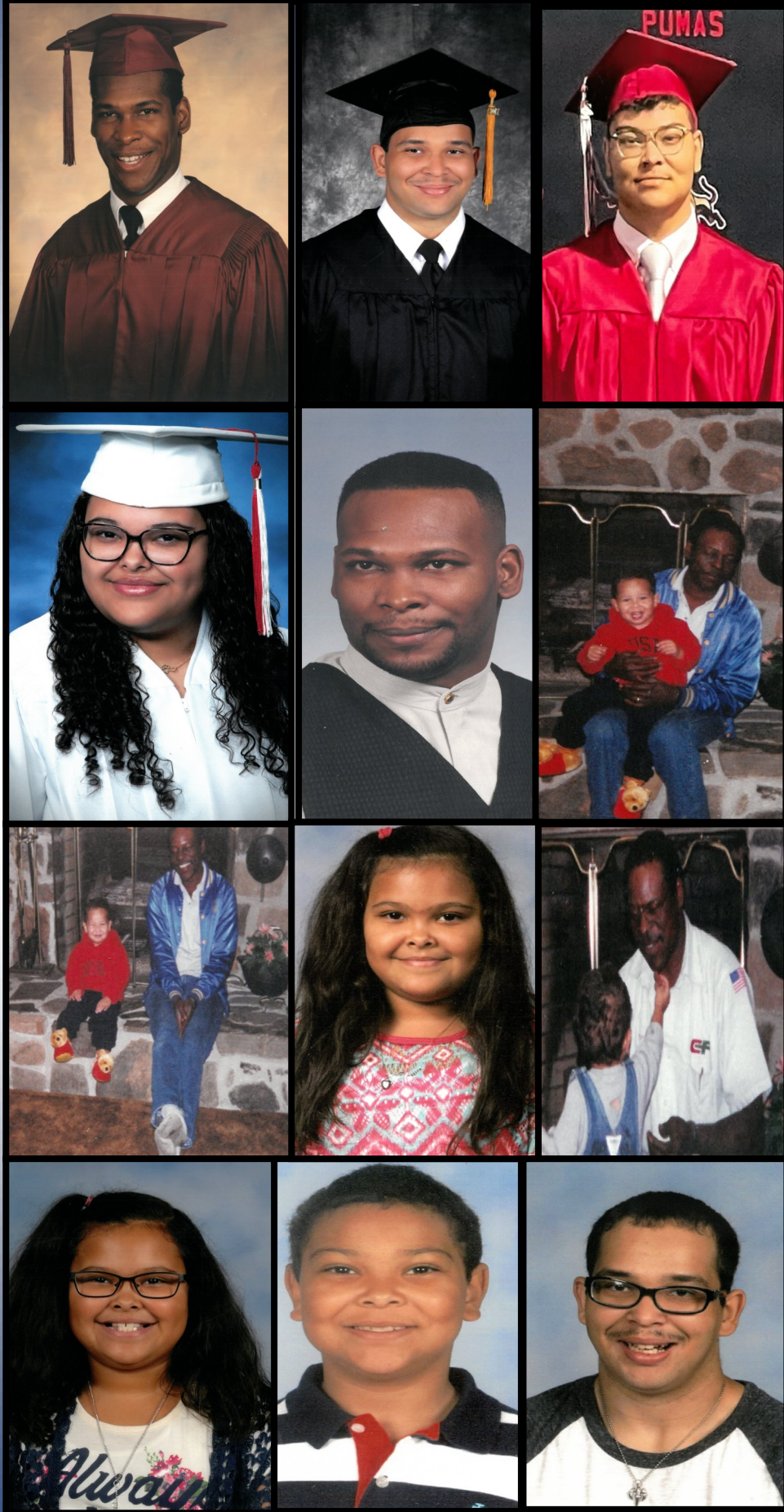


# Precious Memories



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Missionaries of Mt. Peria

**Casket Bearers**  
Men of Mr. Peria

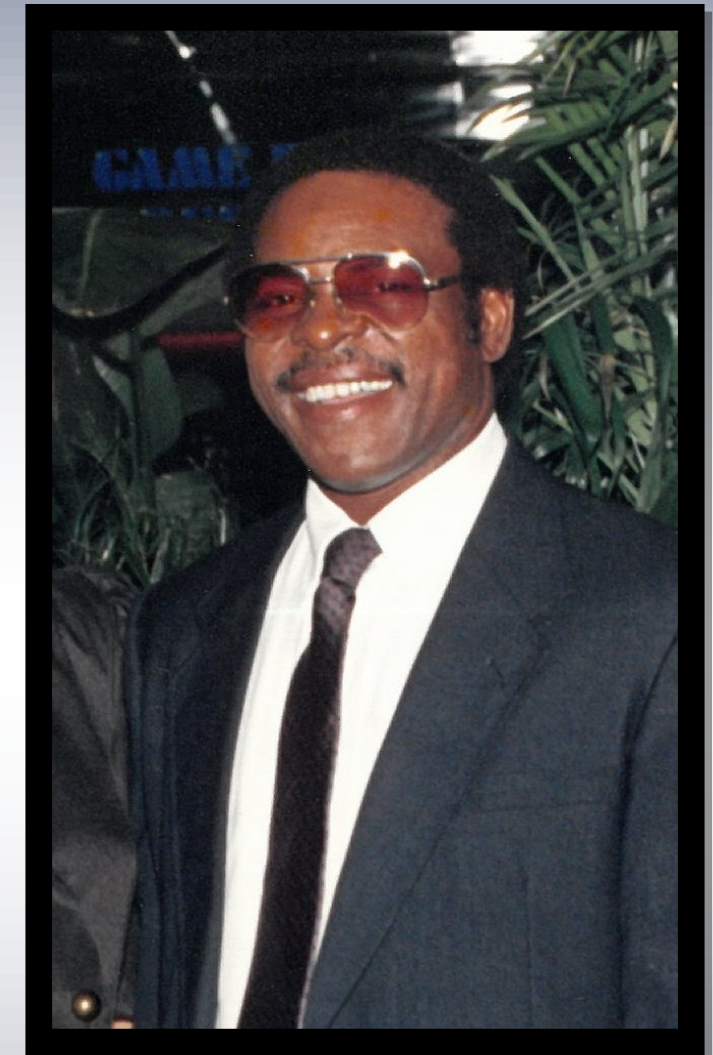


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# Honoring The Life of Mr. Tommie Will Hardson



**~SERVICE~**  
**Saturday, March 8, 2025**  
**12:00 NOON**

**Mt. Peria Baptist Church**  
**341 Sparks St**  
**Ringgold, GA 30736**

**Pastor Edward Ellis, Eulogist**



*The Order of Homegoing Service*

Prelude.....	Musician
Processional	
Selection.....	Mr. Charles Warthan
Scripture Readings	
Old Testament.....	Rev. Dr. Floyd Croft
New Testament.....	Minister Patricia Lindsey
Prayer of Comfort.....	Minister
Selection.....	Mt. Peria Male Chorus
Resolutions & Remarks.....	Family, Friends & Ministers
Selection.....	Mt. Peria Male Chorus
Eulogy.....	Rev. Edward Ellis Mt. Peria Baptist Church
Selection.....	Mt. Peria Male Chorus
Recessional.....	Musician
Postlude	

*Committal, Closing Prayer, Benediction, & Interment*  
**Hopewell Cemetery, Airport Rd, Dalton, GA**  
**Military Rites**



*Acknowledgement*

*Your loving deeds of sympathy and friendship will always remain in our memories. Your thoughtfulness has meant more to us than words can truly say. May God bless each of you for the cards, prayers, flowers, food, and other consoling messages. We send heartfelt appreciation to you all and we sincerely thank each of you for caring.*

*~The Family of Mr. Tommie Will Hardson.~*

**Life Reflections**  
**of**  
*Mr. Tommie Will Hardson*

**From Labor:** May 7, 1947  
**To Reward:** February 27, 2025

Mr. Tommie Will Hardson passed away on Thursday, February 27, 2025. He was born on May 7, 1947, to his late parents, Willie B., Sr. and Mattie Lois Allen Hardson, in Morris, Georgia. He was also preceded in death by his brothers, Willie B. Hardson, Jr. and James Albert “Bay” Hardson, as well as his twin sisters, Lillie Mae Hardson and Ethel Mae Hardson.

Mr. Hardson proudly served as a paratrooper in the United States Army's 82nd Airborne Division. After training at Fort Jackson, South Carolina, and Fort Benning, Georgia, he was deployed to Vietnam in December 1965, where he became one of the most highly decorated soldiers of the war, earning numerous medals for his service from 1965 to 1966. Following his Honorable Discharge, he pursued a long career as a truck driver.

Tommie had many passions, including piloting private aircraft and accounting. He was certified to fly both single and twin-engine planes and earned a certificate in accounting. A devoted member of Mt. Peria Baptist Church, he served faithfully as a Deacon and lent his voice to the Mt. Peria Male Chorus. He also enjoyed traveling, going on cruises, and spending time with friends. Known for his warm smile and kind personality, Tommie never met a stranger, and his friendships were countless.

He is survived by his loving wife of 54 years, Mae Frances Moss Hardson; his son, Tregg C. Hardson of Rocky Face, Georgia; grandchildren, DeVon Hardson, Drake Hardson and Melia Hardson all of Dalton, GA; his sisters, Minister Isabell Hall of Pelham, Georgia, and Mary Hardson Bonds of Nashville, Tennessee; his sisters-in-law, Linda Porter, Sibyl (Tracy) Washington, Brenda Moss, Sarah Hardson, and Patricia Hardson; nieces and nephews, Valerie Bonds Mitchell, James Bonds, Chadrick Hall, Kennard Hall, Reginald Hardson, Shawn (Danielle) Washington, Shauna (Jonathan) Aquirre, Tracy Walker, Jessica Moss, Alexander Moss, Theophilus Porter, Amanda (Derek) LaBar; great nieces and nephews; cousins, other relatives, friends, and his church family..

*Cherished Memories*

