



**Pall Bearers**  
Family and Friends

**Floral Bearers**  
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**God Saw**

God saw you getting tired,  
When a cure was not to be.  
So He wrapped his arms around you,  
and whispered, "Come to me".  
You didn't deserve what you went through,  
So He gave you rest.  
God's garden must be beautiful,  
He only takes the best  
And when I saw you sleeping,  
So peaceful and free from pain  
I could not wish you back  
To suffer that again.

**Interment**

King-Burchette Family Cemetery  
Macon, North Carolina

**Repast**

Immediately following the interment, the family will receive family and friends at Cooks Chapel Missionary Baptist Church, 219 Cooks Chapel Road, Warrenton, NC 27589.

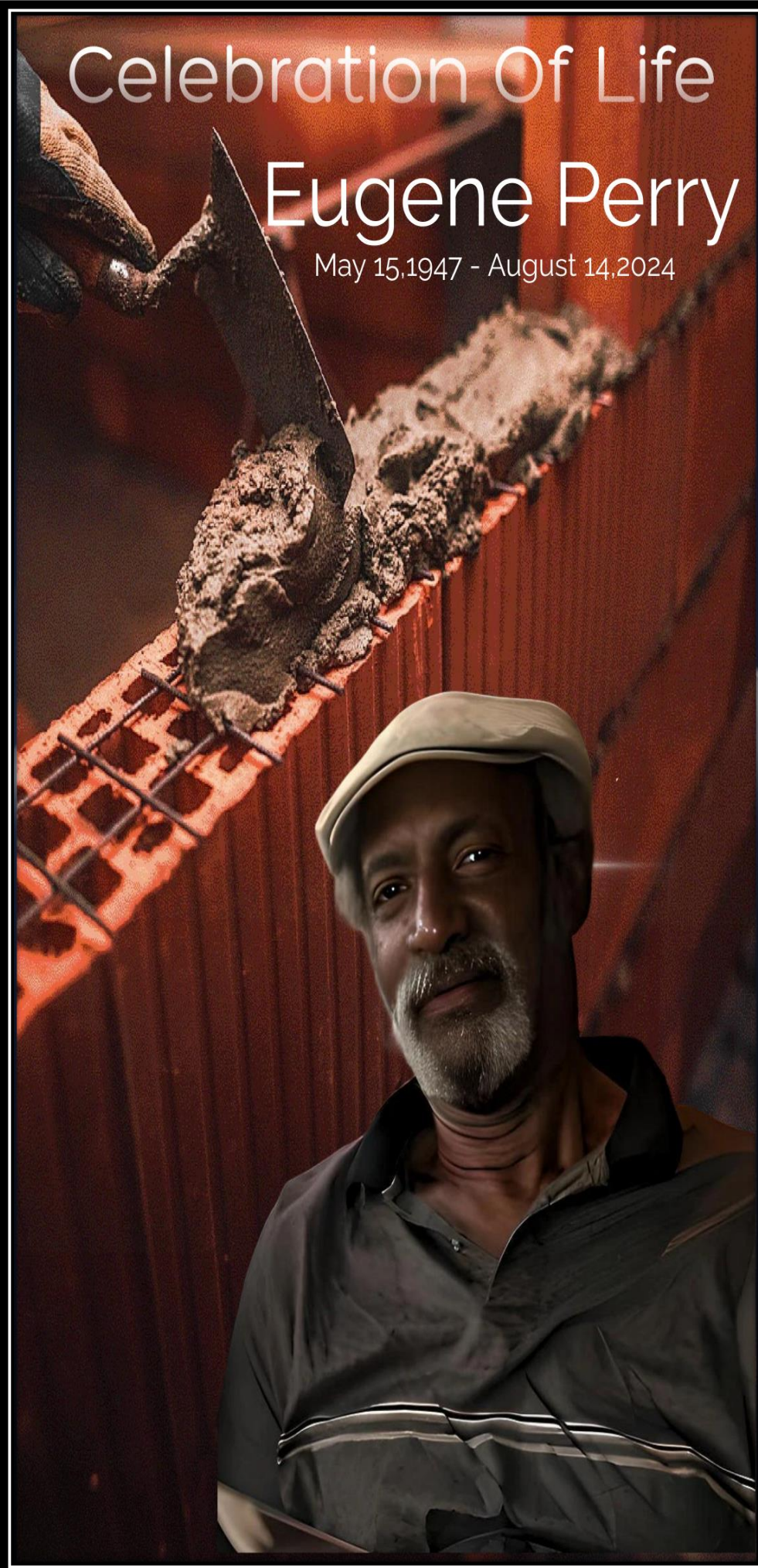
**Acknowledgements**

The family of Eugene Perry wishes to express the most heartfelt gratitude and appreciation for all acts of kindness and love shown during their time of bereavement.  
May God Richly Bless each of you.  
-The Family

**The Final Care of Our Dear Loved One Has Been  
Entrusted to:**

**Boyd & Royster Funeral Services**  
149 Holland Bland Road/ Post Office Box 31  
Warrenton, North Carolina 27589  
Telephone: (252) 257-5902  
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***Where Services Are Rendered With Pride***





Order of Services

Saturday, August 24, 2024 ~ 4:00pm  
St. Stephens Missionary Baptist Church  
3319 NC Highway 58  
Warrenton, North Carolina 27589  
Reverend J. Douglas Joyner, Pastor, Eulogist  
Reverend Tony W. Cozart, Officiant

Processional.....Clergy, Family, and Friends

Solo.....Sister Tomeka Boyd

Holy Scripture  
Old Testament.....Reverend Mark Jones  
New Testament.....Reverend Don Stith

Prayer Of Comfort .....Brother Jesse Towns

Solo.....Brother Jimmy Moss

Acknowledgments &  
The Obituary.....Sister Cora Towns-Hunt

Words of Encouragement.....Apostle Mary V. Baxter

Reflections.....Two Minutes Please.....Family and Friends

Solo.....Brother Samuel Williams

The Eulogy.....Pastor J. Douglas Joyner

Solo.....Pastor Shaughnessy Johnson

Recessional

Obituary

Eugene Perry was born on May 15, 1947 in Warren County, North Carolina to the late Betty Davis Perry and James Wyatt Perry, Jr. At the age of 77, Eugene peacefully transitioned on Wednesday, August 14th at 5:00pm surrounded by his loved ones at his home.

He grew up in Warrenton, NC and attended Warren County Public Schools.

At an early age, he was baptized and became a member of St. Stephens Missionary Baptist Church.

He started his career as a bus driver for Warren County Schools at the tender age of 15; where he met his future wife and lifelong partner, Mildred D. Towns.

He soon took up brick masonry, which he proved his self as a Master Brick Mason until his retirement and beyond. His career took him throughout North Carolina and the DMV (DC, Maryland, and Virginia) area. He was a mentor to many young laborers and brick masons throughout the years. The legacy of his work lives on in many structures throughout North Carolina and the DMV area including: Food Lion and Bank of America in Henderson, Rose Oil Company Buildings throughout the area, New Hope Baptist Church in Raleigh, many residential properties, and many other commercial properties.

Post-retirement he enjoyed his daily early morning “nosey rides” through his beloved community to ensure all was still intact, mowing lawns throughout the community, frequent trips to the grocery store (Lowe’s and Food Lion), watching westerns (his favorite being Gunsmoke), and spending time with family and friends.

He was united in Holy Matrimony to Mildred D. Towns on January 2, 1965 in Warren County, and to this union, two beautiful daughters were born, Stephanie and Melissa.

In addition to his parents, Eugene was preceded in death by his brothers, James Wyatt Perry III., Aaron Perry and Norman Perry.

He leaves to cherish and celebrate his legacy: his wife of fifty-nine and a half years, Mildred Perry of Warrenton, NC; his daughters, Stephanie Perry-Bush (Frank) of Nashville, TN and Melissa Perry-Ellis (Burkheart, Sr.) of Knightdale, NC; two grandchildren, Andrea Perry and Jamel Perry; one great-granddaughter, Samone Perry all of Knightdale, NC; two sisters, Patricia Speaks (Albert) of Forestville, MD and Georgia Perry of Rockville, MD; one aunt, Gladys Solomon of Henderson, NC; one uncle, Charles Davis (Phyllis) of Warrenton, NC; six sisters-in-law; eight brothers-in-law and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

Really Gonna Miss You  
By Smokey Robinson

Really gonna miss you  
It's really gonna be different without you  
Time is gonna be hard and slow  
For the rest of my life  
I'm gonna be thinking about you, yes, I am  
Time came when you had to go

I'll miss you, my buddy  
I'll miss you, my friend  
I promise my love for you will never end

In your finest hour, I was there with you  
And without you things won't be the same  
But there's a higher power that we answer to  
And you heard Him calling your name

Really gonna miss you  
Everything about you, your smiling face  
I know you want us all to be strong  
Really gonna miss you  
I know you're gone to that magic place  
Singing you a brand-new song

I'll miss you, my buddy  
I'll miss you, my friend  
I promise my love for you will never end  
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