

Pallbearers

James Cowan, Sr.
Montarius Hutchinson
Antonio Hutchinson
Kevin Hutchinson
James Cowan, Jr. (Curly)
DeRontae Henderson

Flower Bearers

Nieces and Great-nieces

Interment

Tuckahatchee Cemetery
Tallassee, Alabama

Acknowledgements

The Henderson family would like to express our love and sincere appreciation for your fervent prayers and acts of kindness. Thank you for your prayers, cards, phone calls, texts, visits, flowers, food, and other expressions of love and support. May God's grace and mercy follow you all the days of your life. A special thanks to the First Assembly of God Church and the Wind, Rain, and Fire Church.

Professional Services Entrusted To



McKenzie's Funeral Home, Inc.
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Tuskegee, AL 36083
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HOMEGOING CELEBRATION FOR THE LATE



MR.
Riley Henderson

Sunrise
June 14, 1959

Sunset
September 10, 2023

Saturday, September 16, 2023
2:00 PM

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
185 Friendship Road
Tallassee, Alabama 36078

Pastor Bobby Horensby
Apostle Joe A. Floyd, Officiant

Obituary

MR. RILEY HENDERSON was born on June 14, 1959, to the late Mrs. Georgia Henderson Head and Mr. James Washington Cole. He was raised in Milstead, Alabama. Riley leaves to cherish: his loving wife, Josie Ansley Henderson of 44 years; two children, son, Mr. Derrick (Alaea) Ansley of Lake Forest, California, and daughter, Lakeisha (Zackery) Sanders of Tuskegee, Alabama.

Riley was preceded in death by his grandchild, Zackery Sanders, Jr. Riley has two grandchildren, Za'Kiara Sanders and Selena Ansley.

He accepted Christ at an early age and joined Jerusalem Missionary Baptist Church under the leadership of Pastor Booker T. Murdock. He was a dedicated employee of 38 years at Tallassee Community Hospital in Tallassee, Alabama. Riley loved his siblings, family, and friends. He loved music, football, and his favorite TV shows, Judge Judy, Law and Order, and many more. Riley was quite an athlete back in the day. He was a faithful husband and a dedicated father and grandfather. This man never forgot where he came from. He was one of the best brothers and brothers-in-law anyone could ask for.

Riley also leaves to cherish: his eight loving sisters, Elnora (Robert) Jones of Tallassee, AL, Ruthie (James) Cowan, Sr., of Stone Mountain, GA, Ruby (Harold) Ferguson of Orange, TX, Louise Newkirk of Stockbridge, GA, Mary (Eugene) Grayson of Statesboro, GA, Johanna Cole of Tuskegee, AL, Minnie Mae (Lionell) Walker of Houston, TX, and Marie Nicholson of Philadelphia, PA; one brother, James (Samanthia) Cole, Jr., of Montgomery, AL; four sisters-in-law, Gloria Freeman, Barbara (Quenton) Freeman, Betty (William) Turner, and Essie (Rodney) Gray, all of Tallassee, AL; one brother-in-law, Eddie Ansley of Tallassee, AL; two aunts, Annie Seal Collis and Bernice Henderson of Tuskegee, AL; numerous nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends; special niece, Laquata "Blanket" Hart; special cousins, Clinton "Boot" Henderson and Billy Ray Johnson; special friends, Marlon Johnson, Jackie "Little Bit" Waver, Linda "Jennie" Hart, James "Big Boy" Robinson, Teresa "Tee" Edwards and Dominique "Nique" Battle; and two favorite cousins, Jacqueline Turner and Margie Wise.

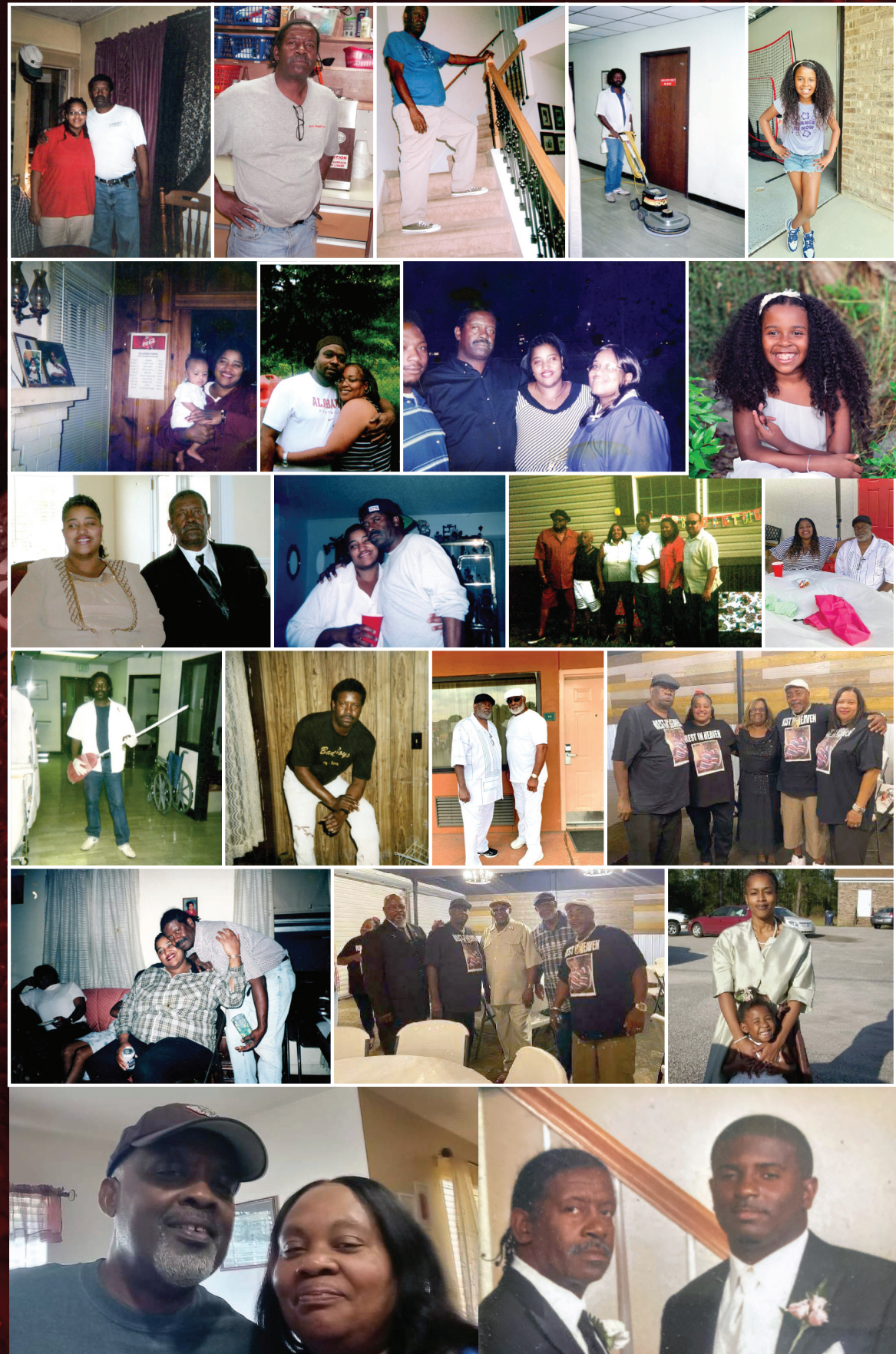
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Order of Service

Reverend Daniel Butler, Pulpit Conductor

Processional.....	The Shorter Family
Solo	Clarissa Thurman
Scripture Readings	Reverend David Butler
Old Testament	
New Testament	
Prayer of Comfort and Invocation.....	Bishop Gerald Sanford
Expressions	<i>Two Minutes, Please</i>
Obituary	<i>Read Silently, Please</i>
Acknowledgements.....	Jacqueline Turner
Solo	The Shorter Family Clarissa Thurman
Eulogy	Apostle Joe A. Floyd New Beginning Holiness Church Tallasse, Alabama
Solo	The Shorter Family Clarissa Thurman
Presentation.....	McKenzie Funeral Home

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Psalm 23

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want
He maketh me to lie down in green pastures
He leadeth me beside the still waters.

He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths
of righteousness for his name's sake.

Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,
I will fear no evil for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.
Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies;
thou annointest my head with oil, my cup runneth over.
Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life
and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.



In Memory of My Husband

I don't really know where to start
The day you left it broke my heart
Not just a crack, it broke in two
Filled with love just for you
That love's not gone, it's kept safe inside
But when you left part of me died
I want to remember the bond we share
But the pain in my heart is so hard to bear.
I miss you so much and more, every day
And love you much more than words could ever say
Author Unknown

Your Loving Wife, Josie (Punkin)

Silent Strong Dad

He never looks for praises
He's never one to boast
He just goes on quietly working
For those he loves the most
His dreams are seldom spoken
His wants are very few
And most of the time his worries
Will go unspoken too.
He's there a firm foundation
Through all our storms of life
A sturdy hand to hold to
In times of stress and strife
A true friend we can turn to
When times are good or bad
One of our greatest blessings
The man that we call Dad

Your Loving Son and Daughter,
Derrick and Lakeisha



In Our Hearts

We thought of you today
But that is nothing new
We thought about you yesterday
And days before that too.
We think of you in silence
We often speak your name
Now all we have are memories
And your pictures in a frame
Your memory is our keepsake
Which we all never part
God has you in his keeping
We have you in our hearts

Love You Always,
Your Sisters, Ruthie, Ruby, and Elnora