

I MISS MY DAD

Although I cannot see you
Feel your hugs or kiss your face
I'll imagine you're beside me
An unseen presence I will embrace

The night before you left us
Asleep no words were spoken
A gentle kiss placed on your head
Heavens gates stood halfway open

Reflections of that morning
Before dawn you slipped away
Still replay through my daily thoughts
I will never forget that day

Cannot begin to tell you
Just what that has meant to me
The painful process of letting you go
The hole in our family tree

I miss your hugs I miss your voice
Your genuine "I love you"
The simple spring lost in your step
The illness got to that too

I don't wallow much in sorrow
You wouldn't have wanted that for me
Your wish to remain the strong one
Is the one you said would be

And though some days it's difficult
I still want to call on you Dad
Your swift untimely departure
Makes me reflect on just what I had.

-Love Stephanie



PALLBEARERS

Franklin Marshall, Monta Smith, Robert West, IV,
Ra'Heem West, Anthony Jones, Jr., Allen Johnson

FLOWER ATTENDANTS

Family and Friends

INTERMENT

St. Nicholas Cemetery
3811 Beach Boulevard | Jacksonville, Florida 32207

REPAST

The Post
3409 St. Augustine Road | Jacksonville, Florida 32207

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

We extend sincere appreciation to each of you for your prayers, telephone calls, floral tributes and many kind expressions of sympathy. We pray that God will surround you with an abundance of blessings and keep you in his loving care. Your love and concern have given us strength during this time. Please continue to pray for us.

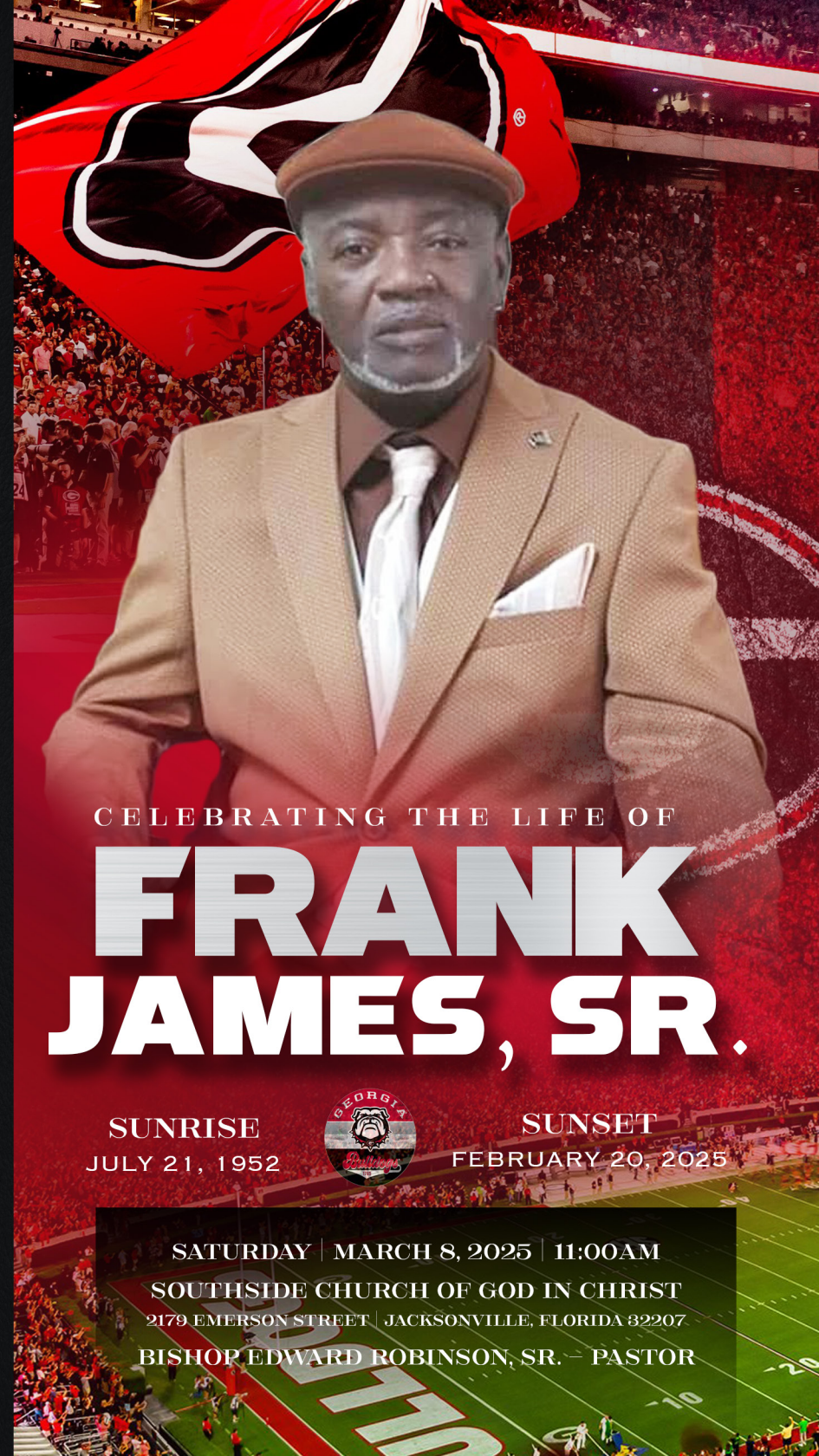
The Family

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CELEBRATING THE LIFE OF

FRANK JAMES, SR.

SUNRISE
JULY 21, 1952



SUNSET
FEBRUARY 20, 2025

SATURDAY | MARCH 8, 2025 | 11:00AM
SOUTHSIDE CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST
2179 EMERSON STREET | JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA 32207
BISHOP EDWARD ROBINSON, SR. - PASTOR

OBITUARY

Mr. Frank James, Sr. was born on July 21, 1952, to Jesse and Charity Tensley-James of Leesburg, Georgia. He was employed by Big D Concrete where he worked for many years. In 2018, Frank became ill and that changed his life as well as many others. But, through it all he kept a smile that would brighten your day.

Frank loved dancing. He was known as the “dance machine”. He would dance “you under the table” as some would say. He would get clean on any day of the week with his hard bottom shoes on and his Kangol hats. He was truly a family man that loved his children, grandchildren, family and friends.

Mr. Frank James, Sr. was called by the Angel of the Lord on Thursday, February 20, 2025, to receive his heavenly reward. Frank will be deeply missed by his family and friends. His memories will forever live on in the hearts of those he touched.

He was preceded in death by his mother: Charity James; father: Jesse James; two sons: Frank Tillie, Sr. and Gregory Gay; stepdaughter: Wanda Tillie-Cambridge; grandparents: Georganne Randall Tensley and Cleveland Tensley; sister: Mary James; grandson: De’Angelo Tillie, Sr; mothers of children: Viola Tillie and Katheryn James; a lifetime mother and father-n-law: Eula and John Tillie; two brothers-in-law: Henry and Leon Tillie; aunts and uncles: Queen Ester Bynum, Catherine Luke, Annie Mae Barber, Rosa Mae Daniels, Cleveland and James Tensley.

He leaves to forever cherish his memories his daughters: Angela Tillie, Stephanie (Robert) West, Kimberly James, Francesca James and Linda (Andrew) Lawson; sons: Frank James, Jr., George (Songaya) Gay; grandchildren: Sedricka James, Derekia Betts, Anthony Jones, Jr., Robert, IV, Ra’Heem, Ri’Hanna West, Savonte, Allen, Johnisah Johnson, Franklin Marshall, Monta Smith, Kaaliyah Samuels, Zy’on Felder, Za’Riyah James, Brooklyn Lukes, Aydan , Ayyah, Heather, Kamari, Kyleigh, Kyaivah and Malani James; great-grandchildren: Imani and Qumani Toler, Londyn Gordon, My’Asia and De’Angelo Tillie, Jr., Franklin, Heaven, Faith, King Marshall, Skhi Garnett and Ka’Noa Stanley; brothers and sisters-in law: Leroy Tillie, Johnny Tillie, Kelyin (Sandra) Tillie and Rosa Tillie; a host of other nieces, nephews, cousins and many sorrowing friends along with a very devoted and dedicated cousin: Carl Howell.



ORDER OF SERVICE

Carl Howell, Presiding

Processional/Viewing	
Solo	Khadijah Muff
Scriptures:	
Old Testament	Jinickia Tillie - Campbell
New Testament	Jinickia Tillie - Campbell
Invocation	Clergy
Solo	Khadijah Muff
Reflections - (As a courtesy to the family, please remember the two-minute rule)	
Acknowledgements and Resolutions	Q. L. Douglas Funeral Home
Words of Comfort	Carl Howell
Recessional	

