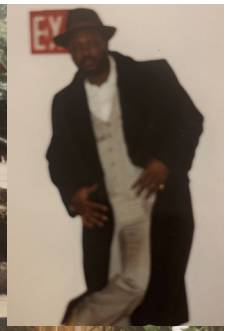
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Words of Appreciation

The family of the late **Mr. Rufus Roberts** wishes to express our heartfelt gratitude for every act of kindness shown to us during our time of bereavement. We sincerely thank you for your prayers, phone calls, visits, floral arrangements, cards, and many expressions of sympathy. Your love, support, and comforting words have been a source of strength and encouragement during this difficult time. May God richly bless each of you for the compassion and care you have extended to our family. Your thoughtfulness will always be remembered and deeply appreciated.






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CELEBRATING THE LIFE OF



MR. Rufus ROBERTS

July 10, 1946 - August 28, 2026

Tuesday, September 8, 2026
Twelve O'Clock Noon

In The Sanctuary of:
Mount Nebo Baptist Church
22 Jonesville Avenue
Yemassee, South Carolina, 29945

Rev. Joseph Williams, Jr., Pastor



Honoring His Life

Mr. Rufus J. Roberts, son of the late Mr. Eugene & Mrs. Viola Mitchell Roberts (biological parents, the late Mr. Rufus & Rebecca Fields; was born July 10, 1946, in Charleston, South Carolina. Reared in the Roadside community of Yemassee, South Carolina; he attended the local public schools. During his high school years, Rufus was an avid sportsman, where he played Varsity football. He would go on to graduate with the Colleton High School Class of 1965.

Immediately following his graduation, Rufus became united in Holy Matrimony to Ms. Queen Pryor, where they relocated to New Jersey to begin life as they would know it. This union would be blessed with three children: Stacey, Stephanie and Andre Roberts. As time passed, this union would dissolve and Rufus would remain in New Jersey. During his time, Rufus believed that as a man he must work and always kept a job. His employment history included: New Jersey Public Transit for eight years; Sanborn Trucking for two years; APA Trucking in 2002; and lastly, a driver for the International Longshoremen Association of Elizabeth, New Jersey, until his retirement in 2016.

In 2010, again, Rufus's heart struck a special beat. Not long after, Ms. Yvonne Culver and Mr. Rufus Roberts, were joined in holy matrimony.

Knowing Rufus was not only a joy, but an honor. He was a "SHARP" dresser and always looked the part. Even so, with his sharp suits, he had to have a very fond love for the Cadillacs. He also had a special place in his heart for his family and friends and always held them to a high regard. During his spare time, he would serve as a part-time bartender and even played a little bit of softball. His love for sports was always a part of him. If it was football, it was the Dallas Cowboys. If it was baseball, it was the New York Mets. If it was basketball, it was the New York Knicks.

During the morning hours of Friday, August 28, 2026, the hard-working hands of our beloved, husband, father, grandfather, brother, and so much more, we set at rest. Preceding him in death along with his parents, are: son, Stacey J. Roberts; daughter in law, Patrena Roberts; granddaughter, Brittani Chari Roberts; siblings, Wilhelmenia Pringle, Eddie Fields and William Fields; sisters in law, Ruby Fields and Anita Fields; brother in law, Leroy Holmes; special friend, Phillip Pryor.

Left to honor the legacy of his life, are: wife, Yvonne Culver Roberts of Irvington, NJ; children, Stephanie A. Roberts of Walterboro, SC and Andre Dawayne (Aisha) Roberts of Summerville, SC; step-children, Shawnette D. Culver of Bordentown N.J. and Dawn M. (Kevin) Wright of Columbia MD; grandchildren, Brandon (Alexis), Andre "A.J.", Najia, Adasha, Anna and Siedah; step-grandchildren, Corey, Jordyn. and Camryn; great-grandchildren, Cali, Kiyan, Kali, Mayson, Amiyah, Zayannah and Zaamir.; sisters, Eva Mae Holmes, Elnora (Robert) Ferguson; brothers, Rufus Fields, Sr., Herbert Fields, Roscoe Fields and Vernon (Annette) Fields; two best friends, Henry Washington and Robert "Snoop" Ferguson; along with a host of numerous other relatives and friends.

The Worship Service

The Prelude

The Processional

A Song of Praise
Choir

The Holy Scripture(s):
Old Testament | *New Testament*

The Prayer of Consolation

The Choral Response
Choir

A Solo
Sis. Shirley Pinckney

Expressions of Remembrance
Deacon Sylvester Pryor | Bro. Jimmy & Bro. Rodney White
Bro. Robert Ferguson | Bro. Henry Washington

Musical Tribute
Siblings

Tribute
Children

Song of Praise
Choir

Eulogy
Reverend Joseph Williams, Jr.

The Benediction

Words of Appreciation
Rev. W. E. Young Priester

The Recessional

The Committal & Interment
Church Cemetery