THE JOURNEY

This is a journey we all must take,
And each must go alone;
It's all a part of the Master's plan,
A step on the road to home.
When you are lonely and sick at heart,
Go to the friends we know,
And bury your sorrows
In doing good deeds ...
Miss me, but let me go.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

We would like to say "Thank You" for your cards, food, flowers, and, most of all, your prayers during our hours of bereavement.

May God continue to bless and keep each of you.

The Family

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IN LOVING

Memory



MELVIN E. DURHAM "Daddy O"

Sunrise April 27, 1953

Sunset November 30, 2019

Tuesday December 10, 2019 11:30am

Jacksonville National Cemetery, Lane 3 4083 Lannie Road Jacksonville, FL 32218

Minister Dalton Ferguson, Officiating Associate, Shiloh Metropoliton Baptist Church Jacksonville, FL

Lífe's Journey

Melvin Enouph Durham was born in Jacksonville, FL, on April 27, 1953, to Mr. and Mrs. Aaron and Wilma Durham. He was reared in a large, loving family, and accepted Christ as his Savior at the age of 12 in Mt. Salem Missionary Baptist Church under the pastorate of Rev. W.Q. Rogers.

The Duval County School System provided his formal education. Upon graduation, Melvin enlisted in the U.S. Army where he served honorably, and was medically discharged after more than a decade of dedicated service to our country. Upon his discharge he returned to Jacksonville

. Affectionately known as "Daddy O," Melvin moved to Augusta, GA in 2002, and there, on November 30, 2019, Melvin Durham entered into his Eternal Rest.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Durham; his wife, Betty Durham; siblings, Deborah Gault and Cleveland Durham; and grandchild, Latoddra Durham.

Left to cherish loving memories are his children, Tammy Durham, Porche Murphy (George) and Nicole Barrow (William); grandchildren, Malcolm Durham, Marcel Durham, Marquell Durham, Shaquay Durham, Shaquile Durham, Travonte Class, Kyrie Murphy, Kobie Murphy, Quantavius Durham, TyshenaYoung, Talesha Young, Victoria Young and William A. Barrow; great grandchild, Zion; siblings, Gloria Ferguson (Dalton), Ivory Hughley, Patricia Kelly, Melissa Griffin, Aaron Durham (Charity) and Izell Durham; a host of great grandchildren, nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends.

Order of Service

Minister Dalton Ferguson, Presiding

Selection Congregation "What a Friend We Have in Jesus"

Prayer of Consolation

Scripture Readings

New Testament 1 Corinthians 5:50-58

Acknowledgement of Condolences

Reflections (Limit Three Minutes each - Three Persons)

Song of Preparation

Words of Comfort Minister Dalton Ferguson

Committal Rites

Military Honors

Benediction

Precíous Memories

As we look among us
And see this wondrous sight
We're reminded how much you loved us,
How much you gave to life.

And though you may have left us
To journey the way back home,
We know you'll always with us,
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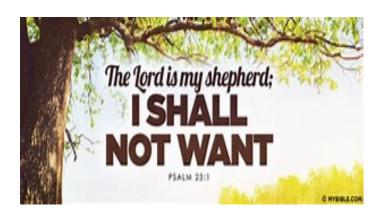
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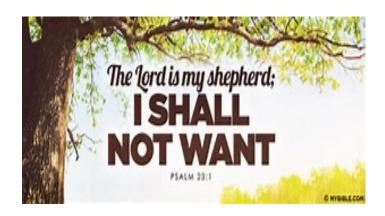








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- ³ He restoreth my soul: He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake.
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- ⁵ Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: Thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over.
- ⁶ 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.



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