

God Saw You Getting Tired

God saw you getting tired
And a cure was not to be
So he put His arms around you
And whispered, "Come to me."

With tearful eyes we watched you
As you slowly slipped away
And though we loved you dearly
We couldn't make you stay.

Your golden heart stopped beating
Your tired hands put to rest
God broke our hearts to prove to us
He only takes the best.

By
Frances and Kathleen Coelho

Acknowledgement

The family is sincerely grateful for your many prayers, acts of kindness and support shown during this time of sorrow and bereavement. A special thank you to the Queen Street Baptist Church and Open Arms Hospice.

Flower Attendants Grandchildren

Pallbearers
Randy Belcher
Tim Belcher
Chris Kerns
Jaelyn Miller
Evan Thompkins

Interment

Committal / Prayer / Benediction

Resthaven Memorial Gardens
1655 Piedmont Highway
Piedmont, South Carolina 29673

Please be advised that the Greenville County Sheriff's Department and the City of Greenville Police Department no longer provide escort services for funeral processions. Therefore, all drivers should obey traffic signals. Persons who are not riding in the funeral home limousines should meet the family at the cemetery.

Services Entrusted to
Watkins, Garrett & Woods Mortuary, Inc.
1011 Augusta Street
Greenville, SC 29605
(864) 242-1144



Homegoing Service for **Mr. Joel Belcher** "Papa Joe"



Sunday, May 19, 2019

2:00pm

Queen Street Baptist Church
6 Baywood Avenue
Greenville, South Carolina 29607
Rev. Henry D. Johnson, Pastor

Minister Gregory Lee, Eulogist
Associate, Queen Street Baptist Church

Order of Service

Min. Jimmy Miller, Jr., Presiding
The Equipping Center

Prelude

Processional

Clergy, Family and Friends

Selection

Choir

Scripture Readings:

Old Testament..Min. Jimmy Miller, Jr.
The Equipping Center

New Testament.....Ms. LeTisha Giles
My Relentless

Prayer

Min. Gregory Lee

Remarks

Ms. Chinia Belcher (Niece)

Poem and Remarks

Pamela Mahoney (God-sister)

Selection....You Know My Name
Praise Team

Words of Comfort

Min. Gregory Lee

Selection....I'm Free

Recessional



Obituary

Mr. Joel "Papa Joe" Belcher, 77, of 276 Moore Street, Greenville, South Carolina, passed on Tuesday, May 14, 2019, at his home. He was a son of the late Paul Belcher and Lujane Wilson Belcher.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Barbara Ann Potlow Belcher; a sister, Barnett Belcher; three brothers, William Belcher, Ellis Belcher and Calhoun Belcher.

Left to cherish many fond and loving memories are five daughters, Carla D. Belcher, Bernadette (Min. Gregory) Lee, Carolyn Y. Belcher (Otis) Weir, Wanda Woods (J.C.) and Sandra L. Potlow (Robert), all of Greenville; one sister, Johnnie Mae Bacon of Buffalo, NY; two brothers, Jimmy (Azalee) Belcher of Calhoun Falls, SC, and Robert Belcher of Buffalo, NY; six grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; a special niece, Elizabeth Anne Burdine of Greenville, SC; and a host of other relatives and friends.

