



### Flower Attendants

Akeelah Simmons  
Leeza Thompson  
Nevaeh Wofford

### Honorary Pallbearers

Family and Friends



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

## Celebration of Life

for

Mr. James Emmanuel Wofford



Friday, September 13, 2019 - 12:00pm

Rocky Creek Missionary Baptist Church

239 Rocky Creek Road

Simpsonville, South Carolina 29680

Rev. Adrian McIlwain, Pastor

Rev. Willie J. Choice, Eulogist

Pastor, Rock Hill Baptist Church #1

**Order of Service**  
**Pastor Angela Freeman, Presiding**  
Freedom Ministries

**Prelude**

**Processional ...Clergy, Family and Friends**

**Selection .....*You're the One (CD)***

**Scripture Readings:**

Old Testament .....Min. Patricia Hill  
Rocky Creek Baptist Church

New Testament..Pastor Robert Smith Elder  
Mt. Zion Church Upstate, Fountain Inn, SC

**Prayer .....Pastor Amos Durham**  
Ridgeville Baptist Church, Inman, SC

**Solo .....Mrs. Mary Webb-Crite**  
*I Won't Complain*

**Remarks:**

Ms. Tina Wofford (Sister)  
Mr. Stefan Wofford (Brother)  
Jarod Wright (Nephew)

**Solo .....Rev. Willie J. Choice**

**Words of Comfort ....Rev. Willie J. Choice**

**Recessional**

**Interment**  
Greenville Memorial Gardens  
7784 Augusta Road  
Piedmont, South Carolina 29673



**Obituary**

*To everything there is a season and a time to every  
purpose under the Heaven, a time to be born  
and a time to die. Ecclesiastes 3:1-2*

***A time to be born:***

Mr. James Emmanuel Wofford was born August 9, 1969, to the late John Edward Wofford and Willie Mae Hawkins-Wofford of Simpsonville, South Carolina. He was a proud graduate of Hillcrest High School Class of 1988.

***A time to love:***

He will be remembered for the amazing love he had for his wife of 24 years, his children and his grandchildren whom he faithfully helped raise until the very end. He had a heart of gold and was always there for his family when needed the most. He never met a stranger.

***A time to enjoy:***

Mr. James Wofford was a die-hard Florida State University fan and passed his love of football on to all who grew to love him. He was a collector of a variety of things. He was a hard worker, faithfully employed at Magna until he was injured on the job. He joined Rocky Creek Missionary Baptist Church at a early age, where he sang in the choir and was a Trustee in training until his health declined.

***A time to die:***

At 8:30am on Sunday, September 8, 2019, at his home, our Heavenly Father called our husband, father, grandfather, brother, uncle, cousin and friend, to be with him.

***A time to mourn:***

He leaves to mourn and to cherish many memories, his loving and devoted wife, Cassandra Wofford of the home; one daughter, Alexis Jones Williams of Greenville, SC; two sons, Roderick James Emmanuel Wofford and Patrick Jevon Wofford, both of Greenville, SC; three brothers, Stefan (Sherelle) Wofford of High Point, NC, Micheal (Johniece) Wofford of Moore, SC, and Roger Dale Lloyd of Virginia; three sisters, Tina Wofford of Simpsonville, SC, Kimberly (Leon) Wofford-Simmons of Greenville, SC, and Charlene Lloyd of Greer, SC; his mother-in-law, Martha Lee McKinney, one sister-in-law, Jennifer McKinney; one brother-in-law, Phillip McKinney; five grandchildren; and a host of other relatives and friends he held near and dear to his heart.



**Acknowledgement**

In times like these, it is a source of great comfort to have friends who care. Your many expressions of kindness, concern and helpfulness have done much to sustain us. For these good deeds, please accept our sincere thanks and appreciation.