

Acknowledgement

The family wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation the many expressions of love, concern and kindness shown to them during this hour of bereavement.
May God Bless and Keep You!



Gone, But Not Forgotten



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 Deacon James Edward Thomas



Saturday, December 21, 2019 - 11:00am
Watkins, Garrett & Woods Mortuary
1011 Augusta Street
Greenville, South Carolina 29605
Reverend Michael Durrah, Eulogist
Solid Rock Missionary Baptist Church

Order of Service

Pastor John Dawson, Presiding

More Than Conquerors Worship Center

Prelude

Processional.....Clergy, Family and Friends

Scripture Readings:

Old Testament.....Minister David Burton

Piney Grove Baptist church, Lyman, S.C.

New Testament.....Pastor John Dawson

Prayer.....Dr. E. Mary Robinson

Solid Rock Missionary Baptist Church

Selection.....Greater Emmanuel Temple Choir

Remarks: Pastor Isaiah Campbell (Church)
Brother James Curtis Dixon (Friend)

Solo.....Minister Twanzette Anderson

Words of Comfort.....Reverend Michael Durrah

Selection.....Greater Emmanuel Temple Choir

Interment

Committal/Prayer/Benediction

Greenville Memorial Gardens

7784 Augusta Road

Piedmont, South Carolina 29673

Obituary

Deacon James Edward "Puddin" Thomas, 79, of Greenville, South Carolina, departed this life on Sunday, December 15, 2019, at Prisma Health Upstate. He was a son of the late Willie Mae Thomas White.

He attended Sterling High School and was employed by Greenville Sanitation Department. He was a member of Greater Emmanuel Temple Pentecostal Church where he served as a Deacon and Sunday School Teacher.

He was preceded in death by his mother; two sisters, Mattie Dawson and Deborah Cruell; and three brothers, Donald White, Robert Lee White and Dennis White.

Surviving: his wife, Jessie Mae Higgins Thomas of Greer; two stepdaughters, Frances Cannon and Sandra Cannon, both of Greenville; three sisters, Pamela White, Alma Jean Downs and Deborah Rollins, all of Greenville; one brother, Calvin Clinkscale of Greenville; and a host of other relatives and friends.

Flower Attendants

Taryn Copeland
Cindy Davis
Annette Drummond
Brittany Goldsmith
Sharon Lomax
Dorothy Dawson Waters

Pall Bearers

John Dawson
Kenneth Henson
Marvin Henson
Ronnie Henson
Scott White