

Flower Attendants

Family and Friends

Pall Bearers

Derrick McGowens

Elon McGowens

T.J. McGowens

Tony McGowens

Troy McGowens

Coye Valentine

Acknowledgement

In all times and through all things, friendship is a steadfast reminder that love endures.

We wish to express our sincere appreciation for all acts of kindness shown to us during this time of bereavement.

May God bless all of you.

The McGowens Family

Interment

Shoals Creek Baptist Church Cemetery



Homegoing Service for *Mr. Ricky D. McGowens*



**Saturday, February 22, 2020
1:00pm**

**Shoals Creek Baptist Church
130 Shoals Creek Church Road
Easley, South Carolina 29640
Rev. Charles F. Hendricks, Pastor**

Obituary

Mr. Ricky Darrell “Cootie Gowens” McGowens, 58, of Greenville, South Carolina, departed this life on Wednesday, February 12, 2020, at St. Francis Hospital-Downtown. He was a son of the late Harold Edward and Irene Ruth Valentine McGowens.

He was a graduate of Easley High School and worked at General Electric for over 30 years. He attended Shoals Creek Baptist Church.

He was preceded in death by his parents and a brother, Toney Randell McGowens.

Left to cherish many fond and loving memories are four brothers, Edward (Cynthia) McGowens, Terry (Janice) McGowens, Christopher (Michelle) McGowens and Troy (Tonya) McGowens, all of Easley, SC; and a host of other relatives and friends.

Little Did We Know

Little did we know that morning , that God would
call your name. In life we loved you dearly,
in death we do the same.

It broke our hearts to lose you, you did not go
alone. For part of us went with you, the day God
called you home. You left us peaceful memories,
your love is still our guide, and though we cannot
see you, you are always on our side.
Our family chain is broken and nothing seems the
same. But as God calls us one by one,
the chain will link again.

Order of Service

Pastor Charles Hendricks, Presiding

Prelude

ProcessionalClergy, Family and Friends

SoloMr. Carl Valentine

Scripture Readings:

Old TestamentRev. Reggie Valentine

New Testament.....Rev. Morris Henderson

PrayerRev. Corey Thompson

SoloMs. Ossie Carter

Remarks:

Ms. Fatimah Bell (Niece)

Mr. Ronna Sutton (Cousin)

Ms. Donna Webb (Cousin)

SoloMr. Victor Sherman

Words of ComfortRev. Tim Sutton

Divine Purpose Outreach, Easley South Carolina

SoloMs. Ingrid Anderson

Recessional