



Mr. Albert Lewis Sr.

April 27, 1919 - April 2, 2013

“I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith. Henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, shall give me at that day; and not to me only, but unto all them also that love his appearing” II Timothy 4:7-8

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Albert Lewis Sr. was born on April 27, 1919, in Collinsville, Mississippi. Albert was the second eldest of fourteen children born to Reverend Sylvester Lewis Sr. and Mrs. Lillian White Lewis.

At an early age, he accepted Christ and joined the Friendship Missionary Baptist Church in Collinsville, Mississippi. He received his formal education in the Collinsville School System.

In 1941, in Meridian, Mississippi, Albert was united in Holy Matrimony to Rosie Darling-Lewis, and from that union, four sons were born. He was employed by the Mississippi Railroad. In 1945, Albert relocated his family to Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, where he was employed by the Bethlehem Steel Mill and later retired from the Sanitation Department for The City of Harrisburg. He was mechanically inclined resulting in his becoming a master auto mechanic. His hobbies were hunting, fishing, playing bid-whist and playing his gospel music.

Albert was preceded in death by his parents; his loving wife of seventy-one

years, Rosie Darling-Lewis; five brothers, Ellis, Theodore, Clifton, Aaron and Henry; and two sisters, Rosie Avery and Lela Clark. Loving memories will be cherished by five sons, Thomas L. Lewis Sr. of Camp Hill, PA, Reverend Albert Lewis Jr. (Kathy), Reverend Henry L. Lewis Sr. (Diane), all of Harrisburg, Reverend Willie E. Lewis Sr. (Joy) of Middletown, PA, and Ivoal Walker of Harrisburg. His legacy will also be honored and cherished by thirty-five grandchildren, ninety-five great grandchildren, thirteen great-great grandchildren; three sisters, Lula Mae McDonald of Collinsville, Naomi Harris and Charlene Scott (James), all of Harrisburg; three brothers, J.D. Lewis of Collinsville, Sylvester Jr. of Meridian, James Lewis (Fannie) of Cleveland, OH; as well as a host of nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Giving God all Glory, Honor and Praise, The Family

Home-Going Service will be held at Noon, Tuesday, April 9th, at Wallace Funeral Directors with viewing from 10 A.M. to 12 Noon and interment at William Howard Day Cemetery. [wallacefd.com](http://wallacefd.com)

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“ I want to express my sorrow over the loss of your loved one. Losing a loved one is something we all wish we never had to go through. Thankfully, within his word the Bible, God promises us that soon "death will be no more". He also gives us the hope of seeing our loved ones who have already fallen asleep in death (Revelation 21:3-4, John 5:28,29). Again I am extending my sincere condolences to the family.

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