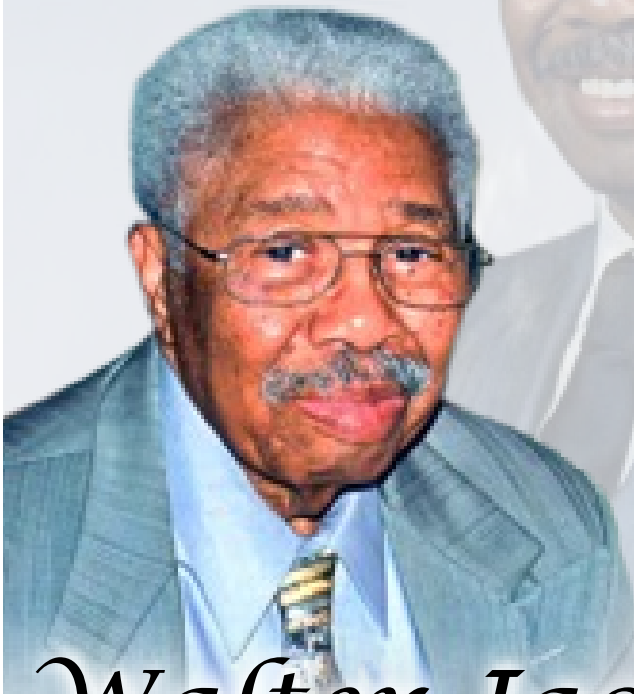


*In Loving
Memory of*



Walter Jackson

Sunrise
July 2, 1928

Sunset
September 30, 2011

Saturday, October 8, 2011 - 11:00 a.m.

GREATER ABYSSINIAN BAPTIST CHURCH

88 Lyons Avenue • Newark, New Jersey

Rev. Allen Potts Eulogist, Rev. Edward Steed Officiating

Obituary

Born July 2, 1928, **Walter Jackson** was the youngest of four children born to the late Andrew Jackson and Ethel Lyons in Abbeville, South Carolina. He attended school but left early to work assorted jobs to help the family. While working as a Porter on the railroad, he met his future wife, Margaret Elizabeth Green. They were married on December 29, 1949. From this union, two children were born, Lawrence and Rachel.

In 1952, Walker enlisted in the US Army to fight in the Korean War. He served a tour overseas earning several metals and two Bronze Stars. Upon his return stateside, Walter and Margaret moved to Newark, New Jersey. There Walter started to work for General Motors in Clark, New Jersey. After working there for thirty years. He retired from General Motors.

Walter joined the Greater Abyssinian Baptist Church. He worked on the Educational Ministry. He was a devoted member of the church. He especially enjoyed the Sunday sermons by Rev. Allen Potts. When the sermons really moved him, he would often say "Rev. Potts really preached this Sunday!" or He showed out today!" Walter was very proud of his church and glad he decided to join.

Walter Jackson was affectionately known as Daddy Jackson, Mr. Jackson, Poppa Jackson and Uncle Walter because he cared about all the young people that he came to know and love. The Jackson house was the place to hang out, eat good food prepared by Momma Jackson, laugh and have a good time. Daddy Jackson would always open the door to his house to all who came knocking.

He departed this life on Friday, September 30, 2011. He was predeceased by his wife of forty-nine years, Margaret Elizabeth Jackson and brothers, Otis Jackson and Edward Jackson.

Walter leaves to cherish his memory: his son, Lawrence Jackson, daughter-in-law, Pamela Jackson; daughter, Rachel Lumpkins, son-in-law, Daron Lumpkins; granddaughter, Alicia and her husband, Rashad Donaldson; granddaughter, Arielle; grandson Nile and great-grandsons, Al-derae, Jalin and Rashad, Jr.; sister, Dorothy Greene; and a host of nieces, nephew and many friends.

Order of Service

Processional.....Minister Darryl Bragg

Invocation.....Reverend Allen Potts

Scripture Reading

Old TestamentDeacon John Thornton

New Testament.....Sister Sheila Harper

Prayer of Comfort..... Rev. Louis Wright Sr.
Safe Haven Christian Fellowship Church

Musical Selection.....Safe Haven Christian Fellowship Choir

Obituary.....Mrs. Terri Coleman

Acknowledgements/Resolution.....Sister Lorna Stephens

Remarks (2 Minutes)

Musical Selection.....Safe Haven Christian Fellowship Choir

Eulogy.....Reverend Allen Potts

Recessional.....Reverend Allen Potts

Entombment

Hollywood Memorial Park
1500 Stuyvesant Avenue
Union, New Jersey 07083

*Immediately following the Entombment, family
and friends are invited to join the family for the
repast at the Church Fellowship Hall*



Change Of Address

I've changed my address to Heaven

I've crossed the Great Divide.

I know there's no sorrow or crying,

Because I've reached the other side.

I am so happy to be here,

for the Lord Himself I see.

I've changed my address to Heaven,

That's the place where you'll find me.

I've changed my address to Heaven,

I bid this world goodbye.

I now live forever with Jesus in my new home in the sky.

I have no burdens or heartaches

and from tears I am now free.

I've changed my address to Heaven,

That's the place to find me.

I've changed my address to Heaven,

I'm safe forevermore.

For the Lord built a mansion

and my name is on the door.

You can find us walking together,

for where He is, I'll always be.

I've changed my address to Heaven,

That's the place you'll find me.

-Author unknown

Acknowledgement

Perhaps you sent a lovely card or sat quietly in a chair.

Perhaps you sent a floral piece If so, we saw it there.

Perhaps you spoke the kindest words as any friend could say.

Perhaps you were not there at all just thought of us on that day.

Whatever you did to console our hearts, We Thank You, Whatever the part.

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