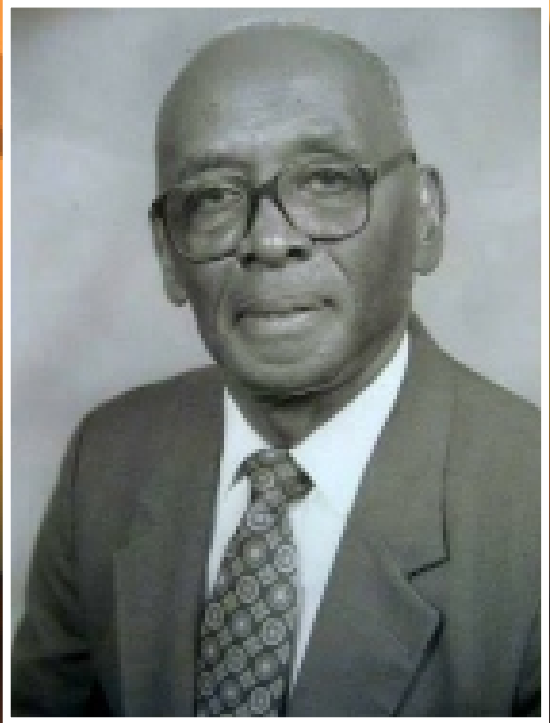


Homegoing Celebration for
Rev. James Stuart

Sunrise
February 2, 1919

Sunset
February 28, 2016



Service

Sunday, March 6, 2016 - 6:00 p.m.

Beulah Church of the Nazarene

1250 St. John Place

Brooklyn, New York 11223

Officiating- Dr. Rev. Wenton Fine and Rev. Art Alexander

Reflections of Life

Rev. J. Gilbertson Stuart was born on February 2, 1919 in Saint Michael, Barbados. He was the second of three children born to James & Elise Stuart.

From an early age he recognized the calling of God to become a preacher and started preaching at 18 years old. On the island of Barbados, he was active member of Wesleyan Holiness Church, Where he became the Sunday School Superintendent. Church membership grew rapidly under his tenure. Rev. Stuart was also a skilled tailor in Barbados.



In 1953, he married the late Adna Stuart which two children came from this union (David and Sheldon). He immigrated to United States in 1954.

In 1962, he became the Pastor of Bedford Zion Church of the Nazarene. He also served on many committees throughout the years.

One of the distinguished committee was Metro New York District Board of Credentials. The purpose of was to screen pastoral applicants who wanted to become pastors in the Church of the Nazarene.

For the next forty years Rev. Stuart worked tirelessly winning souls for Christ. As pastor he took his responsibilities seriously. He visited people in hospital and community centers. He also administered Holy Communion to those shut-in members. He loved the Word of God. He enjoyed Bible Study with the young people and the church. He retired from his church in 2002, but not from the Ministry. Wherever he went, he always spoke the Word of God. On the phone, while traveling on the bus, at the hospital, to strangers as he worked in the garden, and who visited his home. The word of God was always on his lips.

Rev. Stuart was a man of principles, no nonsense. He was someone you can always look up to. He spoke the truth from his heart. He did not just talk the talk, but he walked the walk.

He leaves to cherish his memory his sons, David and Sheldon; daughter in-law Wiloma; sister in-law Cynthia; nieces, nephews, friends and his church family.

He will be missed greatly.

Order of Service

Organ Prelude

Procession of Family & Clergy

Opening Prayer

Hymn..... “Oh God Our Help In Ages Past”

Scripture.....Psalm 100 (Wiloma Stuart)

Special SelectionCombine Choir

Acknowledgements.....(please limit-2 minutes)

Special Selection(Bedford Zion-Choir)

Ministers Acknowledgements (please limit)

Rev. Trevor St. Hill - Bedford Zion Church

Rev. Rolston Parker - Ebenezer Gospel Tabernacle (Brooklyn)

Rev. Dr. Elmer Gillett - Community Worship Center of the Nazarene

Rev. Bowles Taitt - Miller Evangelical Christian Union Church

Rev. Peter Nicholls - New Creation International Church

Rev. Jabez Springer - Ebenezer Gospel Tabernacle (Manhattan)

Dr. Rev. Fine-Beulah Church of the Nazarene

Rev. Ceicl B. Stone-Springfield Gardens & Hanson United Methodist Church

Obituary..... (David Stuart)

Hymn..... “In The New Jerusalem”

Eulogy.....Rev. Art Alexander - District Superintendent

Special Selection.....Combine Choir

Viewing

Recessional

Interment

Monday, March 7, 2016 - 9:30 a.m.

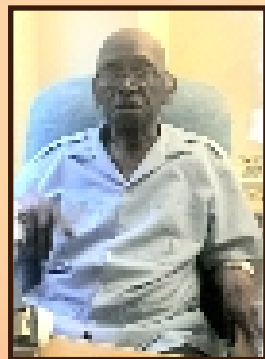
Evergreen Cemetery, Brooklyn, New York

(All those attending please be at the Church by 9am sharp)

The Master Called

I'm sorry I had to leave you.
My loved ones, oh so dear.
But you see, the Master called me,
His voice was very clear!
I had made my reservation
A heaven bound ticket for one,
And I knew that He would call me
When He felt my work was done.
I know that your hearts are heavy
Because I have gone away,
But when the Master called me,
I knew that I could not stay.
Yes, I'm sorry I had to leave you
My loved ones, oh so dear,
But, you see, the Master called me
And, now I'm resting here.
Yes, I've crossed on over to glory
And to you all I say
Just stay in the hands of Jesus
And we'll meet again someday.

-Author unknown



Repast:

*Bedford Zion Church of the Nazarene
550 Washington Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11238
Immediately following interment.*

Acknowledgement

The family acknowledges with sincere appreciation the many kind deeds and comforting expressions of sympathy extended to them in time of sorrow. Your prayers, visits, telephone calls and other acts of thoughtfulness will be greatly remembered. We pray that blessings will continuously be bestowed upon you.



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William Robinson - Funeral Director

