

A portrait of Threadwell T. Goodson, a Black man with glasses and a beard, wearing a dark suit jacket, a white dress shirt, and a red bow tie. He is smiling slightly. The background behind him is a bright blue sky with white clouds and a sunburst effect.

*Homegoing Celebration for
Threadwell T. Goodson
“Freddy”*

Sunrise
March 23, 1953



Sunset
January 21, 2018

Service

Monday, January 29, 2018 - 12:00 Noon

St. Stephen's AME Zion Church

1001 Springwood Avenue
Asbury Park, NJ

Reflections of Life

Treadwell Thomas "Freddy" Goodson passed away January 21, 2018 at the age of 64.

Tread was born at Princeton University Hospital on March 23, 1953 to parents Terra Goodson and Helen S. Scott.

Tread was a 1971 graduate of the Asbury Park High School. He then enrolled in Bethune Cookman College in Dade County Florida, where he earned a Bachelor's Degree in Business and History. He also pledged Omega Psi Phi and was an active "Q Dog".

He worked in Asbury Park for Check Mate and The Boy's Club, as well as for various companies in various fields.

Tread was a proud, active member of the St. Stephen AME Zion Church of Asbury Park, NJ where he was president of the Men's Usher Ministry and he sang in the St. Stephen's Boy's to Men Choir. He was also president of the Educational Department and treasurer for the Seacoast Usher Union.

Tread was predeceased by his parents, and 1 stepdaughter, Claudette Durden Evanoski.

He is survived by his loving wife Irene Goodson Tinton Falls, NJ, his brother Maurice Goodson, Raleigh, NC, his son Tera Carpenter and his wife Latosha, Asbury Park, NJ, his grandson Shaquan, Asbury Park, NJ, 6 stepchildren, 21 step grandchildren, 14 step great-grandchildren and a host of nieces and nephews, cousins and friends.

He was a loving, caring man to all and will be greatly missed!

Order of Service

Processional..... Clergy & Family

Invocation Clergy

Hymn of Praise.....“Hold to God’s Unchanging Hand” - #45

Scripture Reading

Old Testament - Psalm 23 Clergy

New Testament - St. John 14:1-6 Clergy

Prayer of Comfort Clergy

Musical Selection.....“Every Praise to Our God”

Reflections(2 minutes)

Acknowledgements / Resolutions

Obituary

Reading Selection Choir

Eulogy Rev. Derinzer Johnson

Solo..... “May the Work I’ve Done Speak for Me”
Rev. Derinzer Johnson

Recessional..... Clergy/Family

Afterglow

*I'd like the memory of me
To be a happy one,
I'd like to leave an afterglow
Of smiles when day is done.
I'd like to leave an echo
Whispering softly down the ways,
Of happy times and laughing times
And bright and sunny days.
I'd like the tears of those who grieve
To dry before the sun
Of happy memories that I leave behind,
When the day is done.
-Helen Lowrie Marshall*

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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