



Mr. Gerald Godfrey Boykin Sr.

November 29, 1965 - January 11, 2015

Funeral service for Mr. Gerald Boykin Sr. of Columbia, SC will be held on Saturday January 17, 2015 at 2:00 p.m. from Friendship Baptist Church, 1237 House Street, Columbia. Interment to follow in Promised Land Cemetery. Public viewing will be held on Friday January 16, 2015 from 12 noon to 7:00 p.m. at A. A. Dicks Funeral Home. Mr. Boykin entered into rest on Sunday January 11, 2015. A. A. Dicks Funeral Home Sullivan Chapel, 2548 Main Street, Columbia is in charge of these arrangements.

Mr. Gerald Boykin Sr. was born November 29, 1965 in Blythewood, SC to Alexander Johnson and the late Jeanette Boykin but was reared by his maternal grandparents, the late John and Annette Peay Boykin. He attended the public schools of Richland County graduating with the Class of 1984 from Eau Claire High School. At the age of twenty, Mr. Boykin started his own painting company, Boykin & Paint, which lasted for twenty-five years.

Big G", as he was affectionately known, was a loving and devoted father, grandfather, son, brother, uncle, cousin and friend who greeted everyone with a smile and helping hand. He was also an active member of the PTA (Parent Teachers Association).

Left to cherish precious memories are: his loving wife of seventeen years, Darryla Baxter Boykin; sons, Johnathan Taylor, Edward L. Baxter, Joshua

Reese, Shannon Washington and Gerald G. Boykin, Jr.; daughters, Jeanette Boykin and Aisha Williams; father, Alexander (Patricia) Johnson; paternal grandmother, Rosa P. Johnson; brothers, Stanley (Stephanie) Boykin, Robert C. (Veronica) Cornelious, Stanley Hudson, Jimmy Vuncannon, Jason (Marissa) Ellis, Alex Burns and Chad Johnson; sisters, Jennifer (Alexander) Rose and Victoria Johnson; cousin, like a sister, Becky Harrison; mother-in-law; Fannie Mae Baxter; two sisters-in-law; a brother-in-law and a host of other relatives and friends.

Cemetery Details

Promised Land Cemetery

1740 Cushman Drive
Columbia, SC 29204
(803) 254-4673

Previous Events

Public Viewing

JAN 16. 12:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

A. A. Dicks Funeral Home Sullivan Chapel
6400 North Main Street
Columbia, SC 29203
(803) 254-4673

Funeral Service

JAN 17. 2:00 PM (ET)

Friendship Baptist Church
1237 House Street
Columbia, SC 29204
(803) 799-8906

Tribute Wall

PE

“ Priscilla Johnson Eskew lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gerald Godfrey Boykin Sr.



Priscilla Johnson Eskew - January 21, 2015 at 02:07 PM

MJ

“ Monica Jamison lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gerald Godfrey Boykin Sr.



Monica Jamison - January 19, 2015 at 09:16 AM

JB

“ Gerald was a great man one of the greatest men I've ever met. We shall forever share the wonderful memories and the blessings of your presence while and on earth. Today we celebrate your journey back to Our Lord and saviour where we all will meet again one day. I love you and Rest In peace my dear cousin.

Jasmine Brooks - January 17, 2015 at 02:26 PM

MB

“ Monique Brown lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gerald Godfrey Boykin Sr.



Monique Brown - January 17, 2015 at 06:08 AM

CS

“ Cynthia Stroman lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gerald Godfrey Boykin Sr.



Cynthia Stroman - January 16, 2015 at 08:56 AM

SS

“ Sirdearis Scott lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gerald Godfrey Boykin Sr.



Sirdearis Scott - January 16, 2015 at 07:22 AM

FR

“ Friend sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Gerald Godfrey Boykin Sr.



friend - January 15, 2015 at 07:25 PM

FR

“ Friend lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gerald Godfrey Boykin Sr.



friend - January 15, 2015 at 07:06 PM

IJ

“ I am so sadden to hear of your passing. A dear friend to me. I will miss your smile and all the laughs and the time you wanted to get out you Baseball Bat. God was ready for you to come home. So, you can rest now, because God has came and pull you from his Garden. My prayers are with your family.



Ivy Jackson - January 15, 2015 at 06:59 PM

AJ

“ From our family to yours we send our deepest regards so sorry God bless...



Antonio jacobs - January 15, 2015 at 06:56 PM

ME

“ MARY DUCK ENGLISH lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gerald Godfrey Boykin Sr.



MARY DUCK ENGLISH - January 15, 2015 at 05:40 PM

B-

“ Becky Deloris Boykin -Harris sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Gerald Godfrey Boykin Sr.



Becky Deloris Boykin -Harris - January 15, 2015 at 04:35 PM

B-

“ *Becky Deloris Boykin -Harris lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gerald Godfrey Boykin Sr.*



Becky Deloris Boykin -Harris - January 15, 2015 at 04:34 PM

TW

“ *THE FAMILY OF MAGGIE HERBERT SEND OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY TO YOUR FAMILY DURING THE LOSS OF YOUR DEAR LOVED ONE.*

TRISH L WATSON - January 15, 2015 at 06:30 AM

MM

“ *Min. OTIS & STACEY MCKIE sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Gerald Godfrey Boykin Sr.*



Min. OTIS & STACEY MCKIE - January 15, 2015 at 04:33 AM

ST

“ *Sharon Tucker lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gerald Godfrey Boykin Sr.*



sharon Tucker - January 14, 2015 at 09:43 PM



“ Gerald or "gee" was always there for you when you needed him ,gonna miss you.

Xavier Mckune - January 14, 2015 at 04:05 PM

MM

“ Min. OTIS & STACEY MCKIE lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gerald Godfrey Boykin Sr.



Min. OTIS & STACEY MCKIE - January 14, 2015 at 02:58 PM

BR

“ Barbara Robinson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gerald Godfrey Boykin Sr.



Barbara Robinson - January 14, 2015 at 11:44 AM

LP

“ My deepest sympathy to Gerald's family, I pray God wrap his arms around all of you during this time, please do not hesitate to call me if you need anything. Lamont Im here for you also.

Mrs. Patterson on Saddlefield Rd

Luvenia Patterson - January 12, 2015 at 07:14 PM

SC

My prayers with Gerald's family /our family, Gerald alway smiling will be missed!

Santria Canzater and family

Santria Canzater - February 26, 2015 at 05:49 PM