

Homegoing Celebration
For
Elder Roy Lee Goeyns, Sr.

Pastor of The Church By Christ Jesus
O'Quinn Street ~ Lufkin, Texas



Wednesday, June 2, 2004
11:00 A.M.

First Missionary Baptist Church
410 Scarborough Street ~ Lufkin, Texas 75904

Officiants:
Bishop Leroy Shankle, Sr., D.D.
Jurisdictional Prelate
The Churches By Christ Jesus, Lufkin District, Inc.

Bishop Perry Dixon, Free Spirit Churches

For I am now ready to be offered, and the time of my departure is at hand. 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. 1 Timothy 4:6-8 KJV

Order of Homegoing Services

Master of Ceremony, Bishop Leroy Shankle, Sr.
The Churches By Christ Jesus Lufkin District, Inc.

Moment of Silence.....Organ Prelude
Call To Worship.....State Officials

The Processional

Adjutants

Presiding Bishop

State Official Superintendents and Pastors

Visiting Clergy

Family

The Invocation.....Elder Earl Whitaker
Church of the Living God, CWFF, Lufkin

Old Testament Scripture.....Overseer Robert Johnson
Church of the Living God, Douglass

New Testament Scripture.....Pastor Charles Phipps, Jr.
The Church By Christ Jesus, Diboll

Selection..... "He'll Welcome Me".....The Church By Christ Jesus, Lufkin District Choir

Resolution(s) & Acknowledgments.....Sister Bonita Amie
Solo.....Curtis McCloud

Remarks.....2 Minutes or less, please

Special Remarks.....Rev. L. R. Bullock

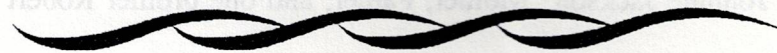
Tribute..... Atasha Shanell Goeyns, Roy L. Goeyns, Jr., Dorshia Bennett, and Jarvis Bennett

Introduction of Eulogist.....Bishop Leroy Shankle, Sr.

EulogyBishop Perry Dixon, Sr.
Free Spirit Churches, Lufkin

Final Glimpse Until Glory

Recessional



~Interment - Cedar Grove Cemetery - Lufkin, Texas ~

Biographical Sketch
The Blessed Life of Elder Roy Lee Goeys



Born..... August 27, 1949

Place..... Groveton, Texas

Parents..... Robert Goeys and Eva Mae Weathersby Goeys Hamilton
(both preceded him in death)

Educational Background..... G. W. Carver Schools in Groveton, Texas
1968 Graduate of Corrigan-Camden High School
Mt. Buelah Institute and Seminary, An Affiliate of Central Christian University

Marriage..... To Joyce M. Smith Goeys, September 19, 1975

Livelihood..... Early Childhood, Groveton and later moved to Lufkin, Texas
Truck Driver- Ora Wheat Bread Co, Central Freight Lines, Contract with Postal Service
Lufkin Independent School Bus Driver and Custodian for LISD until his health failed.
Was a Foster Parent for many years in Angelina County

Religious Affiliation..... Early Age, United with Groveton Langrum Chapel CME
1975- United with The Church By Christ Jesus under Bishop Leroy Shankle, Sr.
Pastored..... Westville and Woodlake Community in Groveton for two (2) years
The Church By Christ Jesus- O'Quinn Street until death

Demise: May 28, 2004 at Lufkin Memorial Medical Center Hospital

He leaves to cherish his memories a dedicated wife of 28 years and 8 months, Joyce M. Smith Goeys, 2 children Atasha Shanell Goeys and Roy Lee Goeys, Jr., of Lufkin goddaughter: Dorothy Bennett and husband Donald Bennett of Lufkin god-grand children- Osric and Twanisha Bennett, LaShaunya Bennett, Dorshia Bennett and Jarvis Bennett of Lufkin, god-great grand children, Alayna Bennett and Dralyn Johnson

Brothers- Wayne (Mildred) Goeys, Vernon Goeys of Houston, Charles Goeys of Lufkin; Sisters, Lavera (Curtis) McCloud, Helen Wilson, god sister, Ada Mark, Mother-In-Law, Ether Mae Smith; Step-father, L. W. Hamilton; and an Aunt, Johnnie Jackson. Mother, Father, and one brother Robert Goeys preceded him in death.

Pastor Goeys was a dedicated and devoted husband and father. His love for God and people had no boundaries.

A Tribute To My Husband



*I thank God for blessing you to be in my life.
I thank you for the special times we shared together.*

*I thank God for giving me a great husband,
and a great father for our children.*

*I will always love you and have a special place
in my heart for you.*

*Love,
Joyce*

A Tribute To Our Father

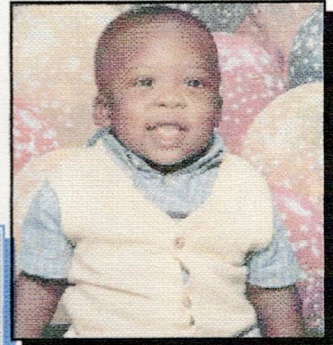


*Thank you for the times you
sacrificed for us
You have been a great father to us.
You are the Best.
We will always love and miss you.*

*Love,
Tr. & Shanell*

Family Portraits

We Love You



Acknowledgements

The Lord has blessed the Goeyns family. It is with sincere and heartfelt gratitude that we extend thanks to everyone for the kind acts and words of encouragement they have shown. Whether it was a visit, card, flowers, plants, telephone call, or most of all your prayers, your loving care has meant a great deal to us. Whatever you did to console our hearts, we thank you so much.

~ The Goeyns Family ~

Active Pallbearers

Bob Goeyns
Ronald Van Dixon
Jarvis Bennett

Charles Goeyns, Jr.
Osric Bennett

Rodney Van Dixon
Stephen K-K Jackson
Robert Proctor, Jr.

Honorary Pallbearers

Elder Thomas Smith
Artice Smith
Charles Goeyns, Sr.
Rev.L.R.Bullock

Supt. Robert E. Proctor, Sr.
Elder Reginald Shankle, Sr.
Elder Charlie Porter
Elder Charles Phipps

Elder Oscar Dixon, Jr.
Donald Bennett
Vernon Goeyns
Wayne Goeyns

Flower Bearers

Ladies of The Church By Christ Jesus – Lufkin District

Services Entrusted to Tims Funeral Home

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Lufkin, Texas 75904

936-634-7911

*Food for the family and guests will be provided at the
Fellowship hall of The Church By Christ Jesus
1701 Sayers St., Lufkin, Texas*