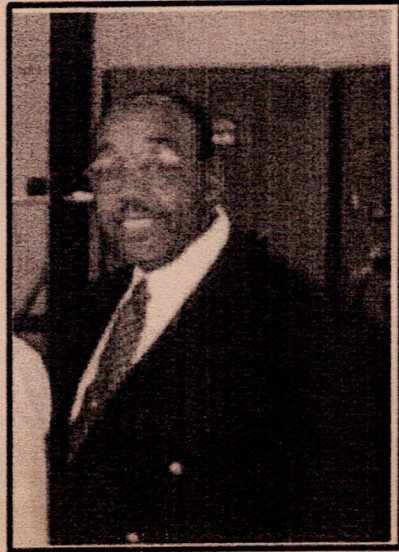


In Loving Memory
of
Brother William E. Rich

Sunrise:
January 21, 1928

Sunset:
February 27, 1998



Funeral Services Held At:
Good Samaritan Missionary Baptist Church
5337 Bellefontaine
Kansas City, Missouri

Thursday, March 5, 1998
11:00 a.m.

Pastor A.J. Foster
Greater Jerusalem Baptist Church,
Kansas City, Kansas
Officiating

Words of Reflection

Brother William E. Rich was born January 21, 1928 in Argentine, Kansas. He was a life long area resident. He received his grade school and high school education in Kansas City, Kansas. He professed a hope in Christ in his youth. He attended The Good Samaritan Missionary Baptist Church.

Brother William E. Rich retired from the City of Kansas City, Missouri in 1994. Brother Rich was preceded in death by his father, mother, brother, and sister.

He leaves to mourn his homegoing; his wife, Marie Rich of the home, four daughters; Olivia Rich of Kansas City, Kansas, Rena Rich of California, Joyce Smith of Independence, Missouri, and Debra Law (Rodger) of Houston Texas, two sons; Clifford Rich of Kansas City, Kansas, Ronald Smith (Fran) of Gladstone, Missouri, two brothers; James Rich (Earlene) of Louisiana, Oliver Rich (Gertie) of Kansas City, Missouri, two sisters; JoAnn Lewis of Kansas City, Kansas, Wanda Baily of Kansas City, Missouri, six grandchildren, six great grandchildren, a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives, many friends and church family.

Order of Service

Presiding.....Pastor A. J. Foster

Processional.....Soft Music

Selection.....Choir

Soon and Very Soon

Scripture & Prayer.....Pulpit

Selection.....Choir

Because He Live

Acknowledgment &

Condolences.....Sister Ann Hubbard

Words Of Reflection.....To Be Read In Silence

Soft Music

Selection.....Choir

Precious Lord

Words of Comfort.....Pastor A.J. Foster

Pastor, Greater Jerusalem Baptist Church

Benediction

Recessional

Interment

Leavenworth National Cemetery

Wadsworth, Kansas

Acknowledgments

The family wishes to thank their many friends for all of their kind expressions of sympathy during this time. May God bless and keep you.

Active Casketbearers

Clifford Rich
C.W. Johnson
Larry White

Joey Holman
Larry Ealy
Johnnie Cheatom

Miss Me But Let Me Go

When I come to the end of the road, the sun has set for me. I want no rites in gloom filled room. Why cry for a soul set free? Miss me a little, but not too long; and not with your head bowed low. Remember the love we once shared. Miss me, but let me go. For this is a journey we must take, and each must go alone. It's all part of the masters' plan. A step on the road home. When you are lonely and sick at heart go to the friend we all know, and bury your sorrows in doing good and cheer.

'Miss Me, But Let Me Go!'

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