

When I come to the end of the day  
And the sun has set for me  
I want no rites in a 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 all must take  
And each must go alone.  
It's all a part of the Maker's plan,  
A step on the road to **HOME**.  
When you are lonely and sick at heart  
Go to the friends we know, & bury your sorrows  
In doing good deeds-  
*Miss me,* but let me go.

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### **Pall Bearers and Flower Bearers**

Relatives and Friends

### *-Note of Thanks -*

The family of Leon Barnett, Sr., have been deeply touched by the many acts of kindness and prayers offered during this most difficult time. Thank you and may God continue to richly bless you.



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# **CELEBRATION OF LIFE FOR Leon Barnett, Sr.**

**SEPTEMBER 16, 1948 — AUGUST 1, 2021**



**Saturday, August 7, 2021  
1:00 PM**

**Costner Funeral Home Chapel  
2425 West Franklin Boulevard  
Gastonia, North Carolina 28052**

**Apostle Theron O. Feemster, Pastor  
Miracle Tabernacle International Ministries  
Kings Mountain, North Carolina  
Officiating**

# IN LOVING MEMORY OF LEON

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## Mr. Leon Barnett, Sr.

Leon Barnett, Sr., 72, passed away peacefully August 1, 2021 at Robin Johnson Hospice House, in Dallas, North Carolina.

Leon was born September 16, 1948 to Parnell B. Gwinn and the late Isaiah Adams.

Leon was educated by Gaston County Schools. He was a graduate of Highland High School.

In addition to his father, Leon is preceded in death by a son, Toby Woody; two brothers, Bobby Gwinn, and Sam Hill.

Left to cherish memories of Leon are his mother, Parnell B. Gwinn of Gastonia, North Carolina; three daughters, Anita Ann Williams, Chastity Barnett, Leontranette Harper Lipscomb all of Gastonia, North Carolina, four sons, Jeffery Williams, Leon Barnett, Jr., Sean Woody, Antonio Woody all of Gastonia, North Carolina; three sisters, Jean Brown of Rock Hill, South Carolina, Deborah Gwinn, Janie Barnett of Gastonia, North Carolina, one brother, William Gwinn of Gastonia, North Carolina; a host of nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles, grandchildren, and other relatives and friends.



"YOU HAVE LEFT OUR LIVES, BUT YOU WILL  
NEVER LEAVE OUR HEARTS"

## Order of Service

### PROCESSIONAL

#### SONG

#### SCRIPTURE READING

New Testament

Old Testament

#### PRAYER OF COMFORT

#### REMARKS

William Brown

#### SONG

Jean Brown

#### READING OF THE OBITUARY

#### SONG

Apostle Theron Feemster

#### WORDS OF COMFORT

Apostle Theron Feemster

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#### BENEDICTION/RECESSIONAL

#### INTERMENT

Armstrong Cemetery  
Gastonia, North Carolina