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REPAST

THE FAMILY WILL FELLOWSHIP WITH RELATIVES AND FAMILY FOLLOWING INTERMENT
IN THE CHURCH FELLOWSHIP HALL

Acknowledgements

The family of the late Herbert McClain, Sr. is truly grateful for your prayers, comforting messages, phone calls, and other expressions of kindness and concern shown during our time of bereavement. May God bless each of you.



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Herbert

LEE MCCLAIN, SR.

Saturday, January 25, 2020 @ 12:00 p.m.

CENTER RIDGE BAPTIST CHURCH

Mount Andrew Community | Midway, Alabama

Rev. Darius J. Moore, Pastor



Officiating: Rev. Darnell Hall, Former Pastor
Interment: Center Ridge Baptist Church Cemetery



Forever In Our Hearts

HERBERT MCCLAIN, SR.

April 5, 1944 ✿ January 13, 2020

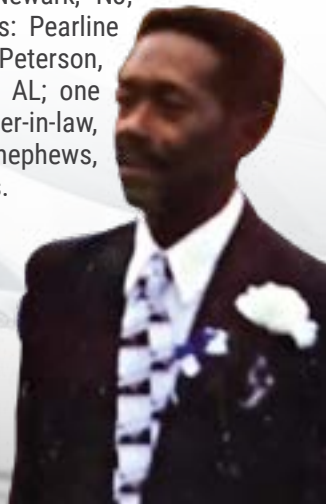
Herbert McClain, Sr., affectionally called "Jive" was born on April 5, 1944 to the late Adolph McClain and Wilma Brooks McClain in Barbour County Alabama. Herbert confessed Christ at an early age at Center Ridge Baptist Church in the Mt. Andrews Community of Midway, Alabama. Herbert spent several years in Sarasota, Florida, New Jersey, and New York, where he was employed at General Motors on the assembly line. Herbert moved to Atlanta, Georgia in 2013 to reside with his children. He remained there until he was called home to Glory.

Herbert was a very funny and outgoing person, who loved his family, and enjoyed spending time with them. Herbert lived life to its fullest, and enjoyed celebrating his birthday. He was extremely proud of all his children and wanted nothing but happiness for them.

Herbert departed this life after a long illness on Monday, January 13, 2020 in Norcross, GA.

Herbert is preceded in death by one son, Rodney Laren Gunter (Zapp), Sarasota, FL; two sisters: Renzia McClain-Hall and Annie Pearl Williams, both of East Chicago, IN; four brothers: Elevedis McClain, Hammond, IN, Aaron McClain, Miami, FL, Ezekiel McClain, Midway, AL, and Houston McClain, Sr., Sarasota, FL.

Herbert leaves to cherish his memories, five sons: Herbert L. (Rachel) McClain, Jr., Lake Hamilton, FL, Bernard (Mimi) Gunter, Columbus, GA, Calvin (Sabrina) Edwards, Virginia Beach, VA, Sayyid Sabuur, Norcross, GA, and Philip L. McClain, Newark, NJ; three daughters: Laura Gene Williams, Lakeland, FL, Selina McClain, Norcross, GA, Melinda (Thomas) Lampley-Merritt, Newark, NJ; 24 grandchildren, 15 great-grandchildren; four sisters: Pearlina Walker, Miami, FL, Nancy A. Calloway & Dessie Mea Peterson, both of Sarasota, FL, and Betty Y. Davis, Tuskegee, AL; one brother-in-law, Donald Hall, East Chicago, IN; one sister-in-law, Myrtle N. McClain, Hammond, IN; and many beloved nephews, nieces, great-nephews and nieces, cousins, and friends.



Order of SERVICE



PRELUDE..... **SOFT MUSIC**

PROCESSIONAL..... **FAMILY & CLERGY**

PRAYER OF COMFORT**REV. ELTON L. HEATH, PASTOR**
New Bethel Missionary Baptist Church, Midway, Alabama

SCRIPTURE READINGS:

OLD/NEW TESTAMENT.....**REV. ELTON L. HEATH, PASTOR**
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Moments of Reflection

SHALONDA HALL ✿ JANETTE PETERSON ✿ STEVEN YOUNG

MUSICAL SELECTION.....

OBITUARY..... **READ SILENTLY**

FINAL GOODBYE **SELINA MCCLAIN**

WORDS OF COMFORT.....

RECESSIONAL..... **SOFT MUSIC**

POSTLUDE

"THE MASTER CALLED"

I'm sorry I had to leave you, my loved ones oh so dear. But you see, the Master called me, His voice was very clear! I had made my reservation, a heaven-bound ticket for one. And I knew that He would call me when He felt my work was done. I know that your hearts are heavy because I have gone away. But when the Master called me, I knew that I could not stay. Yes, I'm sorry I had to leave you my loved ones oh so dear; but, you see, the Master called me and now I'm resting here. Yes, I've crossed on over to glory. And to you all I say: just stay in the hands of Jesus, and we'll meet again someday.