

CELEBRATING THE LIFE OF



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Janetha R. Henderson QueShundra Fowler  
Chrissy Williams Teresa Fowler  
Narshika K. Smith

# ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

THE FAMILY OF **ROY JAMES FOWLER** WILL FOREVER REMEMBER WITH HEARTFELT GRATITUDE YOUR SYMPATHY, EMPATHY, PRAYERS, KINDNESS, AND COMFORTING EXPRESSIONS SHOWN DURING OUR TIME OF SORROW.

A SPECIAL THANK YOU IS EXTENDED TO GWENDOLYN AND CHARLES RODGERS, DON LARKINS, AND BESSIE PUGH FOR KINDNESS SHOWN TO ROY JAMES. CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR OUR FAMILY AS WE CONTINUE TO HEAL. MAY GOD CONTINUE TO BLESS EACH OF YOU.



FINAL LIFE CELEBRATION ENTRUSTED TO:

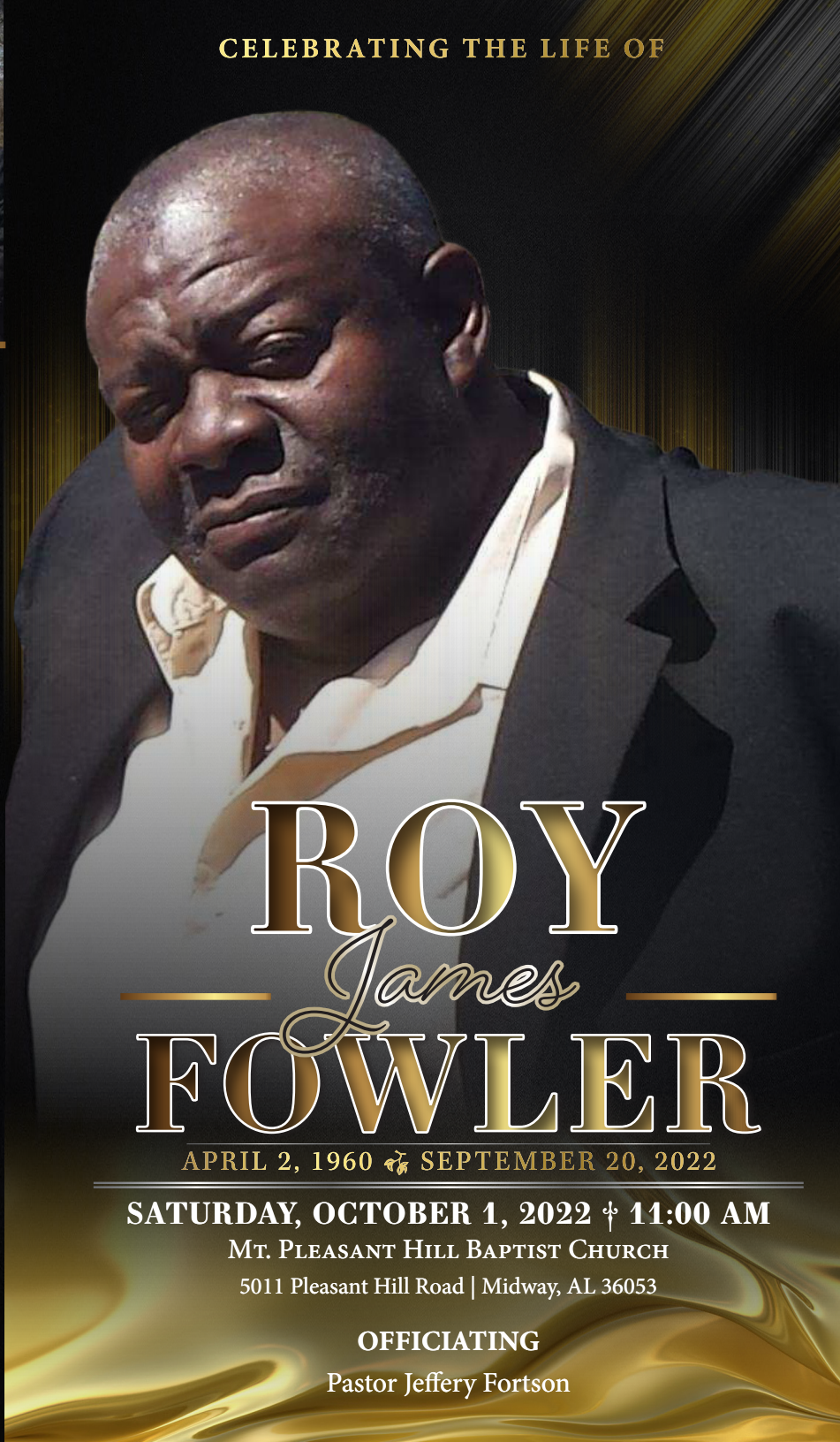
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# ROY *James* FOWLER

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**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1, 2022 ✠ 11:00 AM**

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# Obituary

A CELEBRATED LIFE

## ROY JAMES FOWLER

REMEMBERED

In my Father's house are many mansions: if it were not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you. And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again, and receive you unto myself; that where I am, there ye may be also.

John 14:2-3 KJV

**ROY JAMES FOWLER** was born April 2, 1960 in Midway, AL to the late Mr. Johnny Fowler, Sr. and Mrs. Arlena S. Fowler. He was the youngest of six children.

Roy James accepted Christ at an early age and joined the Mt. Pleasant Hill Baptist Church in Midway, AL. He was educated in Bullock County School System, where he played varsity football at Bullock County High School. Later, Roy James graduated from Bullock County High School.

After graduation, Roy James moved to Fort Pierce, FL and gained employed at Citrus Industries. Afterwards, he returned home to Midway, AL, where he met and married Ezella Tolbert.

Roy James was also preceded in death by his brothers, Russell Fowler, Melvin H. Fowler, and Jesse L. Arnold; and one precious niece, Lytonia C. Fowler.

He leaves to cherish his memories: two sons, Marquis DuRoy Ingram-Fowler (Vivian) and Cedric Demetrious Antwan Ingram-Fowler (Rhonda), all of Houston, TX; one daughter, Cynthia Tolbert Johnson, Columbus, GA; ex-wife, Ezella Tolbert Fowler; three grandsons, PFC Jordan T. Vaughn (Kazia), Cedric P.A. Ingram, Jr., and Elijah I. Ingram; two granddaughters, Kiarra K.N. Williams and Marquiesha D. Ingram; two great-grandchildren; seven sisters, Sally Larkins, Marilyn Gachett, both of Midway, AL; Lacy (Eugene) Holmes, Union Springs, AL, Beverly F. (James) Goree, Bessemer, AL, Natassia (Hermon) Taylor, Fort Mitchell, AL, Evelyn (Reuben) White, Mason, OH, and Marshal Chisolm, Chicago, IL; four brothers, Johnny (Consuella) Fowler, Ronnie (Christina) Parker, Midway, AL, Sammie L. (Shirley) Fowler, Fort Pierce, FL, and Keith (Sharon) Rodgers, Phenix City, AL; two aunts, Johnnie B. Anglin, Haines City, FL and Ora B. Stewart, Midway, AL; two uncles, Joseph L. Scott, Fort Pierce, FL and James A. Fowler, Montgomery, AL; a lifelong friend, Marilyn J. Ingram; two special great-nephews, Donovan W. Henderson and David S. Henderson, Jr., both of McCalla, AL; along with a host of loving nieces, nephews, cousins, other family members, and friends. Everyone knew if Uncle Roy James was around fun was about to be had, Step-Up! Step-Up!

## Order of SERVICE

PROCESSIONAL.....  
 MUSICAL SELECTION..... *"When All God's Children get Together"*  
 READING OF THE HOLY SCRIPTURES:  
 OLD TESTAMENT.....  
 NEW TESTAMENT.....  
 PRAYER OF COMFORT.....  
 MUSICAL SELECTION..... Get Right with God

### Expressions of Love

FAMILY & FRIENDS

SOLO..... Pastor Jerome Anthony  
 WORDS OF COMFORT..... Pastor Jeffery Fortson  
 RECESSIONAL.....

### TRIBUTE TO ROY JAMES

*NOT, HOW DID HE DIE, BUT HOW DID HE LIVE?*

Not, how did he die, but how did he live?	But had he befriended those really in need?
Not, what did he gain, but what did he give?	Was he ever ready, with words of good cheer,
These are the units to measure the worth	To bring back a smile, to banish a tear?
Of a man as a man, regardless of his birth.	Not what did the sketch in the newspaper say,
Nor what was his church, nor what was his creed?	But how many were sorry when he passed away?

FOR EVER IN OUR HEARTS