

SINCERE APPRECIATION

We are comforted to know that the love of our dear “No Knock” will live on in the hearts of many. Thank you for your many expressions of sympathy and kindness. We are truly grateful for all the calls, visits and displays of kindness during this difficult time.
—The Family—

I'M FREE

Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free
I'm following the path God laid for me
I took His hand when I heard Him call
I turned my back and left it all
I could not stay another day,
To laugh, to love to work or play
Tasks left undone must stay that way,
I've found that peace at the close of day
If my parting has left a void,
Then fill it with remembered joy
A friendship shared, a laugh a kiss,
Ah yes, these things I too will miss
Be not burdened with times of sorrow.
I wish for you the sunshine of tomorrow.
My life has been full, I've savored much
Good friends, good times, my loved one's touch
If my time seemed all to brief,
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief
Lift up your heart, rejoice with me.
God wanted me now, He set me FREE!

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Willie Hill
James Pressley
Brad Vance

FLOWER BEARERS

Grandchildren
Step Grand-
children

HOMEGOING CELEBRATION FOR



Mr. Bobby
Cheeks

“NO KNOCK”

NOVEMBER 24, 1947 AUGUST 23, 2022

Tuesday, August 30, 2022
Antioch AME Church Cemetery
2:00 PM

Reverend Harold Chapman, Pastor
Reverend Jerry Aiken, Officiating

ORDER OF SERVICE

LETTING GO

HOME GOING CELEBRATION FOR
Mr. Bobby Cheeks
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Musical Prelude	
Processional	Clergy and Family
Final Viewing	Family and Friends
Prayer	Reverend
Scripture Readings	Reverend
Old Testament	Psalms 23:1-6
New Testament	
Musical Selection	Reverend John Booker “When You Hear My Homegoing”
Words of Comfort	Reverend Jerry Aiken
Musical Selection	“Something About the Name Jesus”
Committal Rites, Closing Prayer and Benediction	
INTERMENT	
Antioch AME Church Cemetery	

The Angels gathered near your bed, so very close to you.
For they knew the pain and suffering that you were going through.

I thought about so many things, as I held tightly to your hand.
Oh, HOW I WISHED that you were strong and happy once again.

But your eyes were looking homeward, to that place beyond the sky.
Where JESUS held His outstretched arms, it was time to say goodbye.

I struggled with my SELFISH THOUGHTS, for I wanted you to stay.
So we could walk and talk again, like we did—just yesterday.

But JESUS KNEW THE ANSWER, and I knew He loved you so.
So I gave to you life’s greatest gift, the gift of letting go.

Now my heart will carry MEMORIES of the love you gave to me.
Until we meet again in heaven, where the best is yet to be.

Surrounded by his loved ones, Mr. Bobby Cheeks answered the call of his Heavenly Father on Tuesday, August 23, 2022. Affectionately known as “No Knock” to everyone who loved him, he was blessed with seventy-four years in his earthly journey.

Mr. Cheeks was born on November 24, 1947, in Laurens County. He was a 1969 graduate of Bell Street High School in Clinton, South Carolina. Bobby was a retired contractor who left his mark on everything he touched.

Mr. Cheeks was preceded in death by his parents, Willie Gary and Ida Cheeks as well as four brothers and two sisters.

Many precious memories and a legacy of love will remain alive and well in the hearts of Bobby’s loved ones. They include two sons: Bryant (Daphne) Cheeks and Antonio Abernathy; seven stepdaughters: Mary (Willard) Hester, Rosie Harris, Elaine Foggie, Linda Singleton, Ann (George) Stoddard, Tracy

(Henry) Bluford and Sharon (Stephen) McBeth; six grandchildren, thirteen step grandchildren, two great grandchildren, thirty-four step great grandchildren; two brothers: Willie (Geraldine) Gary and James Dennis (Fern) Gary; one sister, Rosia Lee Richey and a host of nieces, nephews, extended family members and friends all of whom will miss him dearly. There are those whose lives death cannot diminish. Their love radiates forever in the hearts of family and friends. Rest in Heaven, “No Knock”.



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