

GOD'S GARDEN

*God looked around His garden, And He found an empty place.
He then looked down upon the Earth And saw your precious face.*

He put His arms around you And lifted you to rest.

God's garden must be beautiful; He always takes the best.

He knew that you were suffering; He knew you were in pain.

He knew you would never, ever Get well on Earth again.

So He closed your weary eyelids And whispered, "Peace be thine."

Then He took you up to Heaven With hands so gentle and kind.

It broke our hearts to lose you, But you did not go alone

For part of us went with you The day God welcomed you home.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

The family of the late Mr. Paul James Boyd, Sr., acknowledges with grateful appreciation all acts of kindness, prayers, cards, visits, telephone calls, flowers, and words of comfort extended to us during our time of bereavement. We pray for God's continuous blessings upon you all.

SERVICE BY PROFESSIONALS



GRAVESIDE SERVICES FOR



Mr. Paul
JAMES BOYD, SR.

SUNRISE
August 8, 1950

SUNSET
August 26, 2022

Saturday, September 3, 2022
11:00 AM

LINCOLN HILL CEMETERY
408 Miller Avenue
Gadsden, Alabama 35903

Pastor Darrell Davis, Eulogist

Obituary



Mr. Paul James Boyd, Sr., was born on August 8, 1950, in Gadsden, Alabama, to the late John H. Boyd and Vera M. Boyd. At a young age, he confessed to Jesus Christ as his savior, and he attended Bethlehem Missionary Baptist Church. He attended the Gadsden City school system, and he retired from Attala Steel Mill.

He was preceded in death by his brothers, Johnny Boyd, Robert Boyd, and Elbert Boyd, and nephew, Craig Boyd.

He leaves to cherish his memories: a loving son, Paul James Boyd, Jr., (Gennetta) of Anniston, AL; a special devoted and loving sister, Ella Boyd Hall (Bobby) of Gadsden, AL; brothers, Joseph Boyd of Gadsden, AL, and Charles Boyd of Gadsden, AL; sister-in-law, Linda Boyd of Gadsden, AL; aunt, Juanita Chambers of Boston, MA; grandson, D'Metry James Boyd of Anniston, AL; nieces, Tara Boyd Reid of Gadsden, AL, Tanita Amegble (Kossi) of Gadsden, AL, Echo Boyd of Gadsden, AL, and Theresa Johnson of Gadsden, AL; and a host of other special nieces, nephews, and other family and friends.



Order of Service

Scripture Reading..... Pastor Edward Pace

Prayer of Comfort Pastor Edward Pace

Solo Candi McKee

Words of Encouragement Pastor Darrell Davis

Committal

Benediction

I'M FREE

*Don't grieve for me, for now, I'm free.
I'm, following the path God has 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 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,
Oh yes, these things I too will miss.
Be not burdened with times of sorrow,
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.
My life's been full, I've savored much,
Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.
Perhaps my time seemed all too brief,
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.
Lift up your hearts and share with me,
God wanted me now, HE SET ME FREE!*