

Obituary

Henry "Jimmy" Lewis Jr. was born to the late Zadine Lewis and Henry Lewis Sr. on March 24, 1960 in Neshoba County. Henry was the youngest of his nine siblings.

At an early age, he accepted Christ and was baptized at Providence Missionary Baptist Church. Henry graduated from Neshoba Central High School. He later joined and committed to 14 years of service in the Mississippi National Guard. From Henry's years of service, he gained a trade as an auto mechanic and used his skills to provide auto services in the local community. He was known amongst many others as a jack of all trades. Henry was shown to be helpful to close family and friends. Henry was united in holy matrimony to Sherri McBeath-Lewis, who departed this life February of 2014. In this union two children (Jimmy and Amanda) were born.

In 2019, He received a critical diagnosis of terminal cancer. He again accepted Christ in his life and was baptized again at Calvary Apostolic Church on November 25, 2019.

On Wednesday, September 16, 2020, God's angels came and called him to his heavenly home to be with his Father. While "Jimmy" will truly be missed, we know he has earned his place of rest.

He was preceded in death by his mother Zadine Viverette Lewis, his father, Henry Lewis Sr, his brothers, Arthur Braggs and Nathaniel Braggs, his sisters, Evelyn Shelby, Rita Warner, Helen Triplett and Flossie Warner.

Henry leaves to cherish his precious memories, one son, Jimmy McBeath of Philadelphia, MS, one daughter, Amanda (Christopher) Turner, two sisters, Georgia Shell of Philadelphia, MS, and Dottie Price of Joliet, IL, one brother, Edward (Joyce) Braggs of Noxapater, MS, one aunt, Bonnie Calloway of Moss Point, MS, five grandchildren, Dyjanae McBeath, Jauquez McBeath, and Ivyunna McBeath of Philadelphia, MS, and Christopher Turner Jr. and Amie Turner of Chicago, IL, and a host of family members, friends, nephews and nieces including his 2 special nieces that were instrumental in his final fight with Cancer: Sandra Braggs and Ashley Coleman.

