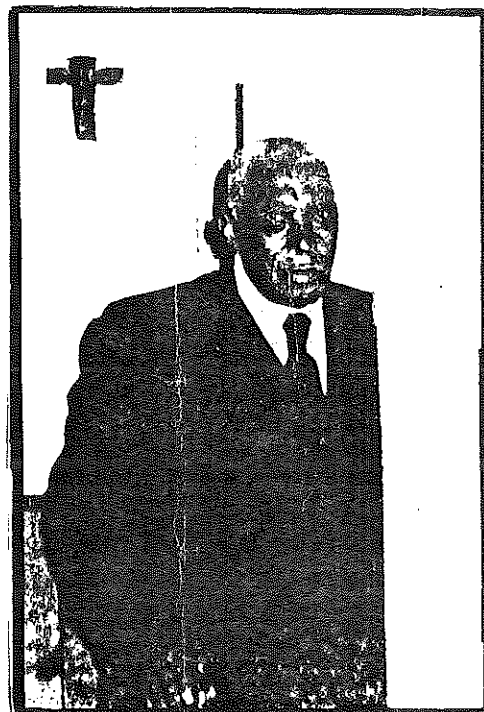


In Celebration,
OF
DEA. THEODORE B. ALLEN, SR.
DECEMBER 29, 1902 - MARCH 30, 1988



TUESDAY, APRIL 5, 1988
- 1:00 P.M. -

ZION BAPTIST CHURCH
4091 CARVER DRIVE
DORAVILLE, GEORGIA 30340

Reverend C.D. GEARING, JR., PASTOR

IN CELEBRATION

THEODORE BOSE ALLEN, SR. was born December 29, 1902 in Atlanta, Georgia the oldest child of the late Georgia Allen and Woodson David Allen. He attended Chamblee and Carter Elementary Schools, Bryant Institute, and Morehouse College. At an very early age he accepted Christ and joined Zion Baptist Church under the leadership of his uncle, the late Rev. L.T. Jones. He was ordained a deacon under the leadership of Rev. D.A. Dixon. He was an active member and deacon of Zion until his health failed. He served as Clerk of the Church, a member of the Finance and Building committee, and Superintendent of the Sunday School. He was also the Clerk of the Hopewell Association for many years.

He was happily married to Miss Emily Sawyer for 63 years. They were blessed with two children. Dea. Allen was a loving husband and a devoted father who wanted the best for his family.

He leaves to mourn his passing a loving and devoted wife, Emily Sawyer Allen, one daughter Emily B. Allen Smith, a son Dr. Theodore Bose Allen, Jr., two sisters Christine Allen Sanford Jackson and Hortense G. Allen one brother Dea. Madison William Allen, a daughter-in-law, a son-in-law, eight grandchildren, eight great grandchildren, three sisters-in-law, one brother-in-law, one aunt Mother Cynthia Hood, nieces, nephews, cousins, and a host of relatives and friends.

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"HIS SOUL"

His soul has but taken flight
Into the land where there is no night;
He is not dead, he has only gone on,
Into a brighter and more, wonderful dawn.
For his spirit lives on and like the warm sun,
It will nourish the dreams that he had begun;
So this hour of sorrow is only God's will,
for the good in this man is living here still.

ORDER OF SERVICE

Reverend C.D. Gearing, Jr., Presiding

PROCESSIONAL

HYMN

CHOIR

"What A Friend We Have In Jesus"

INVOCATION

REV. FREEMAN KELLAM, JR.

READING OF SCRIPTURES:

REV. C.D. GEARING, JR.

REV. B.J. JOHNSON, JR.

HYMN

CHOIR

"Jesus Keep Me Near The Cross"

REMARKS:

DEA. WILLIE VEAL

REV. SOLOMON WHITFIELD, JR.

TRIBUTES:

THE GRANDCHILDREN

HYMN

"Pass Me Not, O Gentle
Savior"

BRO. VERYL JONES

EULOGY

REV. HURELL SMITH, SR.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

SIS. ANNE OUISLEY

RECESSIONAL

INTERMENT

ZION BAPTIST CHURCH CEMETERY

FLOWER BEARERS

NIECES

HONORARY FLOWER BEARERS

MOTHERS

ACTIVE PALLBEARERS

NEPHEWS

HONORARY PALLBEARERS

DEACONS

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The family wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation, the many comforting messages, floral tributes, prayers, and many other expressions of kindness and concern shown at this time in thought and deed. Thanks to the Murdaugh Staff for your service. May God continue to smile upon each of you.

THE FAMILY

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