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As we embark upon this journey, the family of the late Charles Frank Dumas wishes to express their sincere thanks for all acts of kindness shown during their bereavement. Words cannot express our gratitude. Our prayer is that you will be richly blessed for your labor of love shown towards us.



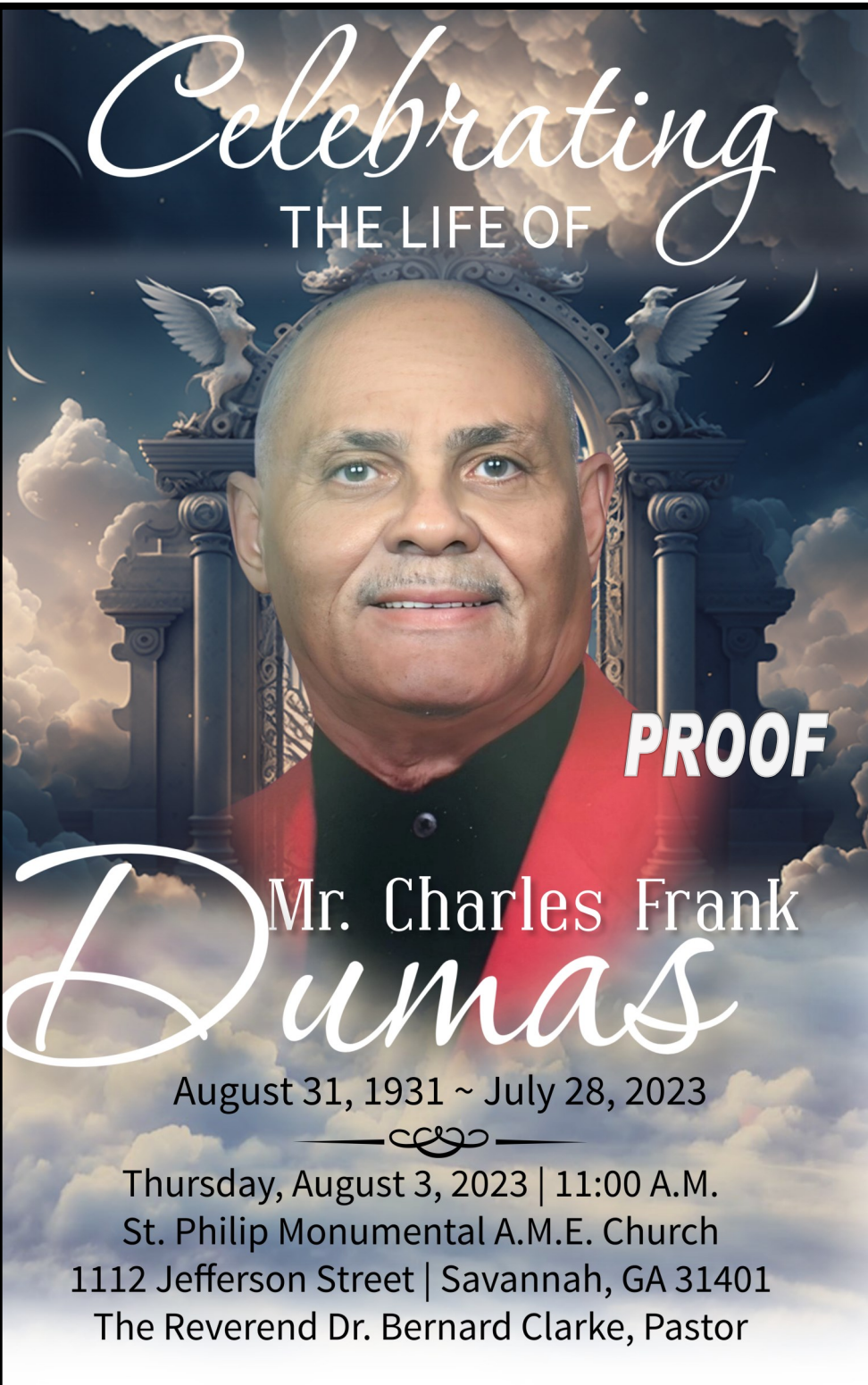
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THE LIFE OF



PROOF

Dumas

Mr. Charles Frank

August 31, 1931 ~ July 28, 2023

Thursday, August 3, 2023 | 11:00 A.M.
St. Philip Monumental A.M.E. Church
1112 Jefferson Street | Savannah, GA 31401
The Reverend Dr. Bernard Clarke, Pastor

The Obituary

On August 31, 1931, Charles Frank Dumas, affectionately known as "Smokey" to family and close friends, was born to Duey and Rosa Bell Walton, in Nashville, a small town in Berrien County, GA. Charles moved to Savannah in 1939. He was the youngest of three children.

Charles attended Beach High School, graduating in 1949. He joined the Army during the Korean Conflict, and served until he was honorably discharged in 1955. Charles was employed by Hunt Wesson for 38 years making hydrogen gas to provide edible cooking oil.

In 1955, Charles married Barbara Juanita Mitchell, and from this union, six children were born.

Charles professed his faith in God at an early age and was a faithful member of St. Phillip Monumental A.M.E. Church until his death. Charles served in several capacities, including Steward, Trustee Board, Male Chorus, Finance Committee, Class Leader, and a member of the Sons of Allen. Charles received many accolades, and was recently recognized as "Father of the Year" by St. Phillip Monumental A.M.E. Church.

In 1976, Charles married Julia Annette Jaudon, and he remained a faithful and devoted husband until the Lord called her home in 2018. Charles was preceded in death by his parents, Duey Dumas and Rosa Bell Walton; wife, Julia Annette Jaudon Dumas; sister, Minnie Bacon; brother, Walter; son, Charles Anthony Dumas; and grandson, Dalan Ira Dumas.

He leaves to cherish his memories, his five children, Rodney (Sedalia) Dumas of Cameron, North Carolina, Michael (Viola) Dumas of Atlanta, GA, Enoch (Elinda) Dumas of Savannah, GA, Glenn (Aundrea) Dumas of Atlanta, GA, and Andrea (Rickey) Dumas Davis, of Sugar Land, TX; 15 grandchildren, 10 great grandchildren; a special cousin, Peggy (Elder Leroy) Bolden; and a host of other relatives, church members, and friends.

Order of Service

Reverend Dr. Carolyn Jordan, Presiding



Prelude

Processional

Opening Hymn

Choir

Invocation

Bishop Dr. Ronald B. Engram

Scriptures:

The Old Testament

Rev. Anthony Scott

The New Testament

Bro. Eddie McCarthy

Selection

Choir

Reflections: (3 minutes please)

As a Class Leader

and Lay Member

Bro. Christopher Floyd

As a Family Member

Ms. Catherine Mitchell

As a Healthcare Worker

Ms. Whitney Forney

Friends

Selection

Choir

Obituary

Read Silently

Resolution

Sis. Kahntilida Coleman

Acknowledgement

Sis. Kahntilida Coleman

Solo

Reverend Dr. George A. Moore, Jr.

Words of Comfort

Reverend Dr. Bernard Clarke

Benediction

Recessional

Service of Interment

Hillcrest Abbey East | 1600 Wheaton St.
Savannah, Georgia

