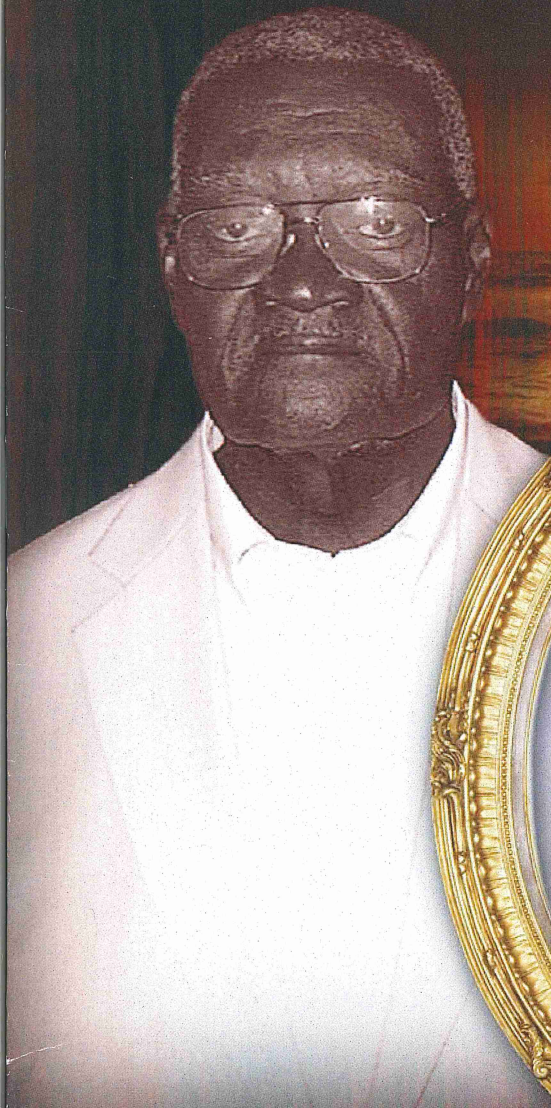


CHERISHING

MEMORIES OF A WONDERFUL

Life and Legacy for



Eddie Lee Jones Jr.

MAY 6, 1937 | DECEMBER 8, 2023

Saturday, December 23, 2023-10:00AM

FIRST BEAULAH BAPTIST CHURCH

14 Railroad Avenue | Savannah, Georgia 31406

Rev. David L. Wilcox, Pastor

Rev. Dr. Tracy McCloud, Officiating

Infinity Funeral Services, Directing



A portrait of Eddie Lee Jones Jr. is positioned on the left side of the page. He is an older man with short, graying hair, wearing glasses and a light-colored, textured sweater. He is looking slightly to the right of the camera. The background of the portrait is a sunset over a body of water, with warm orange and yellow tones. The overall background of the page is dark, possibly black or dark blue.

REMEMBERING THE LIFE OF

Eddie Lee Jones Jr.

Life for Eddie Lee Jones, Jr. began on May 6, 1937, as the son of Rebecca Wingster Jones and Eddie Lee Jones, Sr. On December 8, 2023, following a lengthy illness, Eddie transitioned to his eternal home. He was surrounded by his wife Gritzella and niece Veronica as he gained his wings.

Eddie, affectionately known as Cocoa, moved from his birth place of Savannah, Georgia to the Overtown community of Miami during his childhood. He attended Booker T. Washington High School, however, he was a Class of 1956 graduate of Northwestern Senior High School.

Although Eddie was no longer a resident of Savannah, he made annual donations to his former church, Montgomery Baptist Church in memory of his mother, Rebecca Jones and his aunt Ethel Martin.

Eddie was a career employee of Beth David Congregation for 55 years. After his retirement, he spent much of his time fishing in the Florida Keys and attending area car shows.

On March 7, 1974, Eddie married his life partner, Gritzella Perrin. He was a truly devoted husband who absolutely adored his wife better known as Grits.

Eddie was very much a family man and truly adored his children, grand and great grandchildren. Preceded in death by his parents: Rebecca Wingster Jones and Eddie Lee Jones, Sr. and siblings, Dorothy Hendrix, Margaret Jones, Martha Marshall and James T. Wingster, Sr.

Eddie's life and memory will be cherished by his life partner and wife, Gritzella (Grits) Jones; sons, Eddie Lee Jones III (Shika) of Hallandale, FL, Dedric Jones Sr. of Miami, FL, and Yon Perrin (Beverly) of Mattapan, MA; sister, Alice Jones Martin of East Providence, RI; twelve grandchildren; seven great grandchildren; brother-in-law Willis Johnson (Tracey); lifelong friend Robert (Pop) Nelson; devoted niece and nephew Veronica and Willie (Monk) Harris, goddaughter, Tameika (Squirrel) Crawford, a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and other loving family and friends.

Order of Service

Musical Prelude

Processional.....Clergy & Family

Final Glance

Selection

Prayer of Comfort

Scriptural Reading

Old Testament.....Ecclesiastes 3:1-8

New Testament.....1 Corinthians 15:54-58

Congregational Song

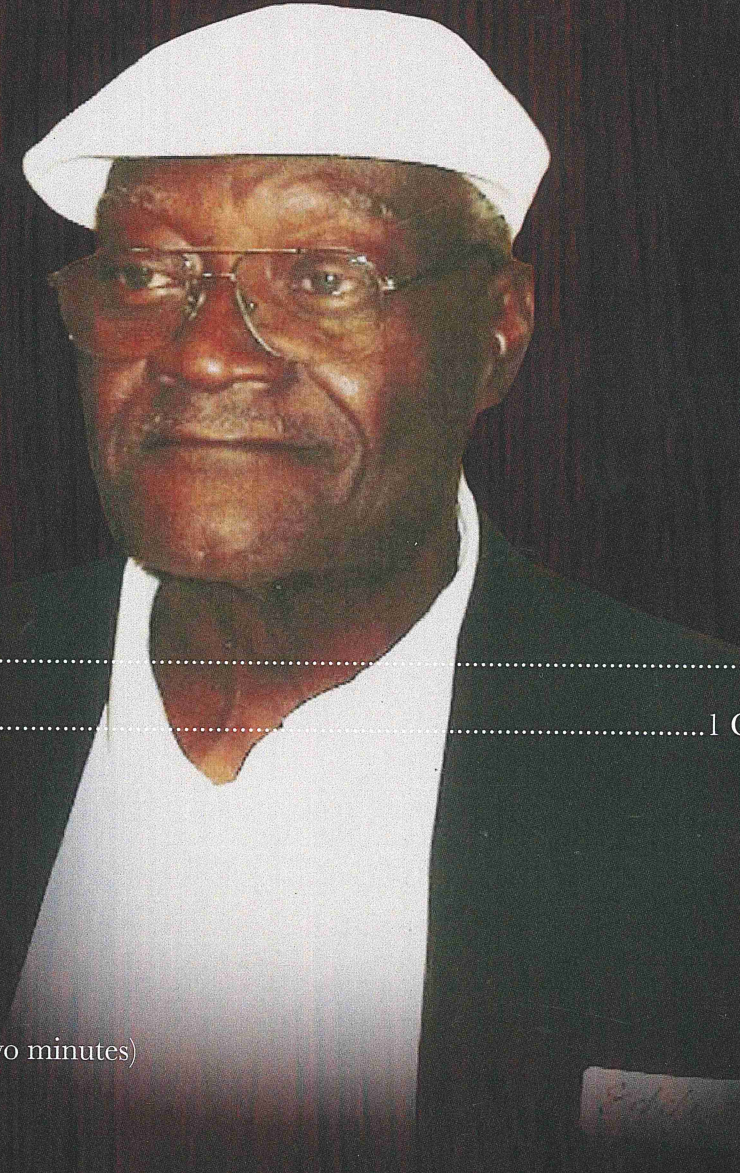
Life's Reflections: (limit two minutes)

Acknowledgements & Tributes.....Infinity Funeral Services

Solo.....Marion Wingster

Words of Comfort.....Rev. Dr. Tracy McCloud

Recessional





Happy Birthday
To our King
Eddie Jones

YOUR LIFE WAS A BLESSING



YOUR MEMORY A TREASURE

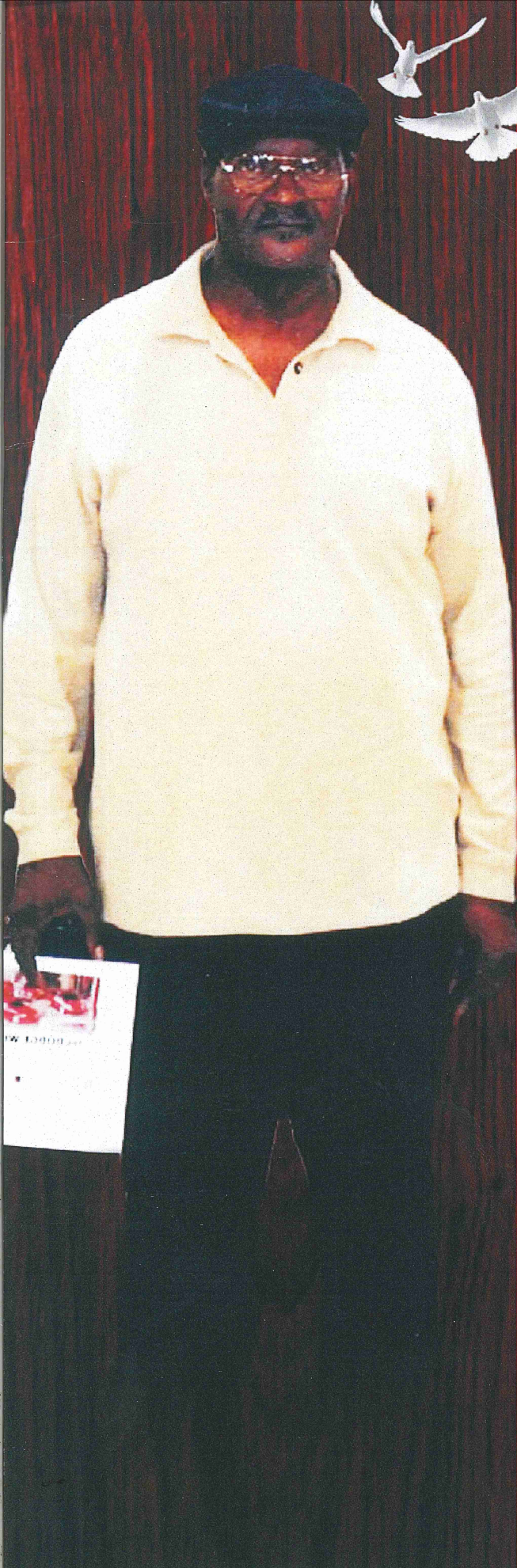


My Honey Bear



Loving you Eddie is an understatement I can't explain.
As they say, " Actions speak louder than words"!
In the forty-nine years plus me and you have never been apart.
We've done practically everything together.
You gave me everything I wanted even not asking because we knew each other.
Honey you lived the Life of Eddie Lee "Cocoa" Jones, Jr.
the way he wanted it.
"The World Don't Owe You Nothing"

Forever My Love
Grits



- PALLBEARERS -

Dedric Jones Sr. | Joshua Williamson | Dedric Jones Jr.
Jarret Moore-Perrin | Yon Perrin | De'Yon Perrin

- INTERMENT-

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- EXPRESSIONS OF GRATITUDE -

We are most grateful for the gift of friends like you, who have been so kind and thoughtful during these hours of sorrow. Your prayers, visits, calls, flowers, and every act of kindness, have given us strength and inspiration for the facing of this hour.
May God forever bless each of you.

Im 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's been full, I've savored much,
Good friends, good times, my loved one's touch
If my time seemed all too brief,
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief
Lift up your heart, rejoice with me,
God wanted me now, He set me free.*



- REPAST -

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*Memories Are Forever ...
Let Them Be Beautiful...*