

The Family Tree

A limb has fallen from the family tree.

I hear a voice that whispers, "Grieve not for me".

Remember the best times, the laughter, the songs,

the good I lived while I was strong.

Continue my heritage, I'm counting on you.

Keep on smiling, the sun will shine through.

My mind is at ease, my soul is at rest.

Remembering all ...how I was truly blessed.

Continue traditions, no matter how small.

Go on with your lives, don't stare at the wall.

I miss you all dearly so keep up your chin.

Until that fine day, we're together again.



Active Pallbearers

Joshua Ellerton Brian Lewis
Ricky Mills, Jr. Antonio Wright
Octavious Jones Alex Smith
Curtis Wright Johnny Williams
Sandriguez Wright

Flower Bearers

Nieces and Friends

Internment

Macedonia Baptist Church Cemetery
Wray, Georgia

Acknowledgements

The family extends warm appreciation to the celebrants and well wishers who have highlighted and paid homage in myriad ways to the treasured legacy of our matriarchs. Glorious decades of loving, leading, and caring and generous giving.

May God Ever bless you for your kindness as he keeps you in his eternal care.

– *The Ellerton/ Wilcox Family*

FUNERAL SERVICES ENTRUSTED TO:

Harrell's
FUNERAL HOME

Mr. Sidney Keith Harrell- Licensed Funeral Director & Embalmer
400 E. Cherry Street
Douglas, Georgia 31533
(912) 384-2251

Celebration of the life, love and labors

Of

Samuel Morris Wilcox
"Pee Wee"



February 27, 1957 – August 29, 2018

Saturday, September 8, 2018

2:30 P.M.

Beth' -el Family Worship Center

86 East Meadow Loop
Nicholls, Georgia 31554

Dr. Dawn T. Jones, Pastor
Pastor Kenneth Wilcox, Officiating
Pastor Christopher Gaskins, Eulogist

Obituary

Samuel Morris Wilcox (Pee Wee) was the 10th of 15 children born to the late Hubert Sr. and Ollie Mae Exum Wilcox. He received his education from Broxton High and later enrolled into Job Corps where he learned many trades that was utilized throughout the community. He was preceded in death by three wives: Doris Ellerton, Maria Stepherson, and Amelia Adams. Two children: Bridgette and Antonio Wilcox.

Six siblings proceeded him in death: Aaron Adolphus Wilcox, Albert Lee Wilcox, Maggie L. Taylor, Isaac Wilcox, Aretha Anderson, Herbert Wilcox, Jr.

He leaves to cherish his precious memories three sons: Tyrone (Sequoia) Ellerton, Frederick (Beverly) Wilcox and Joshua Ellerton, all of Douglas, GA. Two step-children: Anthony and Antjuan Stepherson and eight grandchildren. Four Brothers: Henry James (Shirley) Wilcox, and Anthony Jerome Wilcox, Ambrose, GA; Ronnie (Linda) Wilcox, Fitzgerald, GA.; Rev. Kenneth (Deborah) Wilcox, Columbus, GA.; Four Sisters: Brenda Wilcox, Yolenda (Willie) Hicks, Douglas, GA.; Jennifer (Christopher) Gaskin, Plant City, FL.; Tonya (Alex) Smith, Savannah, GA. Three Sister-In-Laws: Willie Bell Wilcox, Douglas, GA., Sandra and Elaine Wilcox, both of Ocilla, GA.

A host of uncles, aunts, nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

I'm Free

*Don't grieve for me,
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've
found that peace at the close of the 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
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 to brief,
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.
Lift up you heart and share with me.
God wants me now. He set me free!*



Order of Service

Processional.....Ministers, Pallbearers, & Family
Final Glimpse
Family Prayer of Comfort.....Pulpit
Holy Scriptures:
New Testament.....Pulpit
Old Testament.....Pulpit
Selection.....Beth'-el Family Worship Center
Anyone Desiring to Speak (Limit 2 Minutes)
Acknowledgements.....Harrell's Staff
Selection.....Commissioner Kentaiwon Durham
Eulogy.....Rev. Christopher Gaskin
Reading of Flowers
Family Recessional

Committal Service
Macedonia Baptist Church Cemetery
Wray, GA 31519