

## *The Fallen Limb*

A limb has fallen from the family tree.

I keep hearing a voice that says,  
"Grieve not for me."

Remember the best times, the laughter, the song.

The good life I lived while I was strong.

Continue my heritage, I'm counting on you.

Keep smiling and surely the sun will  
shine through.

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

Remembering all, how I truly was blessed.

Continue traditions, no matter how small.

Go on with your life, don't worry about falls

I miss you all dearly, so keep up your chin.

Until the day comes we're together again.

## *Acknowledgements*

We sincerely appreciate the thoughtfulness of our family and friends for their many acts of kindness, remembering us in our time of sorrow with prayers, words, thoughts, visits, and flowers. Words alone cannot express our gratitude. Keep us in your prayers and may God bless you all.

## *The Family*

*Final Arrangements Entrusted To:*

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**CELEBRATION**  
*Home Going*  
*Donnie L. Carson*

*Sunrise*  
September 1, 1959

*Sunset*  
February 2, 2025

*Saturday, February 8, 2025*  
**11:00 AM**  
*Mind of Christ of The Living God*  
**7031 GA Highway 32 West  
Douglas, Georgia 31533**  
**Pastor Barbara Bradshaw, Presiding**  
**Dr. Reverend James W. Anthony, Eulogist**

# Order of Service

Presider, Pastor Barbara Bradshaw

Processional.....Ministers & Family  
Invocation.....Minister Stephanie Mizell  
Selection.....Church Choir  
Scripture Readings  
    Old Testament.....Elder James Floyd  
    New Testament.....Min. Elsworth Swanson III  
Selection.....Church Choir  
Reflections.....Please Limit To Two Minutes  
    Anyone Desiring to Speak  
Solo.....Minister Kentaiwon Carter-Durham  
Eulogy.....Dr. Reverend James. W. Anthony Jr.  
Acknowledgements.....Harrell's Staff  
Committal Service  
Benediction



# Obituary

Ecclesiastes 3:1

To every thing there is a season, and a time to every purpose under the heaven

## A Time To Be Born

Donnie L. Carson was born on September 1, 1959, to the late Bessie Carson-Wells.

## A Time To Grow

He attended Coffee High School, where he graduated in 1971. After high school, Donnie earned a scholarship to play collegiate football, showcasing his dedication and talent on the field. Following his college years, he proudly served his country in the United States Navy. Upon returning home from his service, Donnie was employed at Fleetwood Mobile Home, where he worked diligently. He was a hardworking and loving father, grandfather, brother, and friend who touched the lives of many.

## A Time Of Sorrow

On February 2, 2025, Donnie L. Carson passed away, leaving behind a legacy of love and cherished memories. He was preceded in death by his beloved mother, Bessie Carson-Wells.

## A Time To Rejoice

He is survived by his four children: Lashonda Carson, Dion Carson, Craig (Karen) Adam, and India Everette; eight grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; and two devoted siblings: Maxine (James) Floyd and Carl (Vivian) Carson. He also leaves behind a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and dear friends who will forever hold his memory close to their hearts.

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