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Acknowledgements The family of Abraham Myles would like to say "Thank You" for the kindness, support and generosity shown to us during the illness and passing of our loved one. Words cannot express our deep appreciation for the support shown to us during this difficult time. A special "Thank You" to Dr. Tariq Nazir and the staff of the Health Pavilion North Cancer Center and the staff of the Rockfish Dialysis Center. May the Almighty God reward your kindness and keep you in perfect peace.

PRIVATE INTERMENT SANDHILLS STATE VETERANS CEMETERY

"I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. Henceforth there is laid up for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will award to me on that day..." 2 TIMOTHY 4:7-8 (ESV)

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Abraham Myles

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Order of Service

Prelude

Processional

"A LETTER TO MY BROTHER" written by Rev. Willie L. Myles

Reflections
Harvey "Butch" Raynor, Friend
Orriel Smith, Neighbor
Kathy Williams, <i>Nurse</i>
Abraham Tobias Myles &
Rachelle Demetria McLeod, Children
Acknowledgements Evonne Atkins
Reading of the Obituary Evonne Atkins
Musical Tribute Jeffrey McLeod "Great is Thy Faithfulness"
Eulogy Dr. A. Jamale Johnson
Recessional

Abraham's Life...

n June 18, 2020, the Lord called one of his faithful servants, ABRAHAM MYLES home. Born on March 6, 1953 in Gloster, Mississippi to the late James and Lizzie Myles. Abraham was a true servant of the Lord until his death.

ABRAHAM was formally educated in the public school system in Gloster. He accepted Jesus Christ at an early age and was baptized at Holly Grove Baptist Church.

Upon graduating from Alcorn State University with a B.S. in Accounting, he was commissioned as a Second Lieutenant in the United States Army. He actively served his country for 11 years, ending his career with the Rank of Captain.

After serving his country, Abraham transitioned into life as a civilian. For many years, he was a supervisor at Black & Decker industrial tool manufacturer. He eventually joined the Kelly Springfield Team (Goodyear Tire and Rubber) as a regional manager until his retirement in 2015.

While stationed at Ft. Benning, Georgia, Abraham met the LOVE of his life, Letitia Booth at a Young Adult Bible Study. They married and journeyed together for 38 years. Abraham loved family gatherings, especially reunions and birthday parties. He wanted his children to know their family ties and history.

As a family man, Abraham was a devoted husband, father and grandfather. He was a provider, protector, and encourager. He loved his family unconditionally. He spent countless hours supporting his children's extra-curricular activities ... especially when they were in the Magnificent Marching Machine at E. E. Smith High School (where he once served as Band Booster President).

ABRAHAM loved our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ! When his family moved to Fayetteville from Germany, he immediately made sure they connected with a church. Mt. Sinai Missionary Baptist Church became home. At Mt. Sinai, under the leadership of Pastor Emeritus Aaron Johnson, he was ordained as a deacon, and as a minister. An avid reader, Abraham's favorite book was the Holy Bible. He also served as a teacher of the high school Sunday School Class, worked with the Boy Scout Troop at Mt. Sinai and later served as a teacher of one of the adult Sunday School classes. Also, in order to the meet the spiritual and emotional needs of cancer patients, Abraham earned his Chaplain Certification.

ABRAHAM was actively involved in the political arena. He served as First Vice Chairman of the Cumberland County Republican Party.

He was preceded in death by his parents; two brothers, Leon Myles and Joe Myles and one sister, Florostein Myles.

He leaves to cherish his memories a devoted wife, Letitia Booth Myles; children, Abraham Tobias Myles (Jennifer) of Huntersville, NC and Rachelle Demetria McLeod (Jeffrey) of Fairfax, VA; three grandchildren, Abraham Tobias Myles II, Jonathan Luke Myles and Lydia Arielle McLeod; two sisters, Etta J. James (Otis-deceased) of Vicksburg, MS and Melva E. Belcher (Darwin) of Martinsville, VA; five brothers, Andrew J. Myles and Marvin E. Myles of Gloster, MS, Albert Myles (Vera) of Starksville, MS, Willie L. Myles (Marcella) of Sweeny, TX and James W. Myles Jr. of Baker, LA, along with a host of nieces, nephews, relatives and friends.