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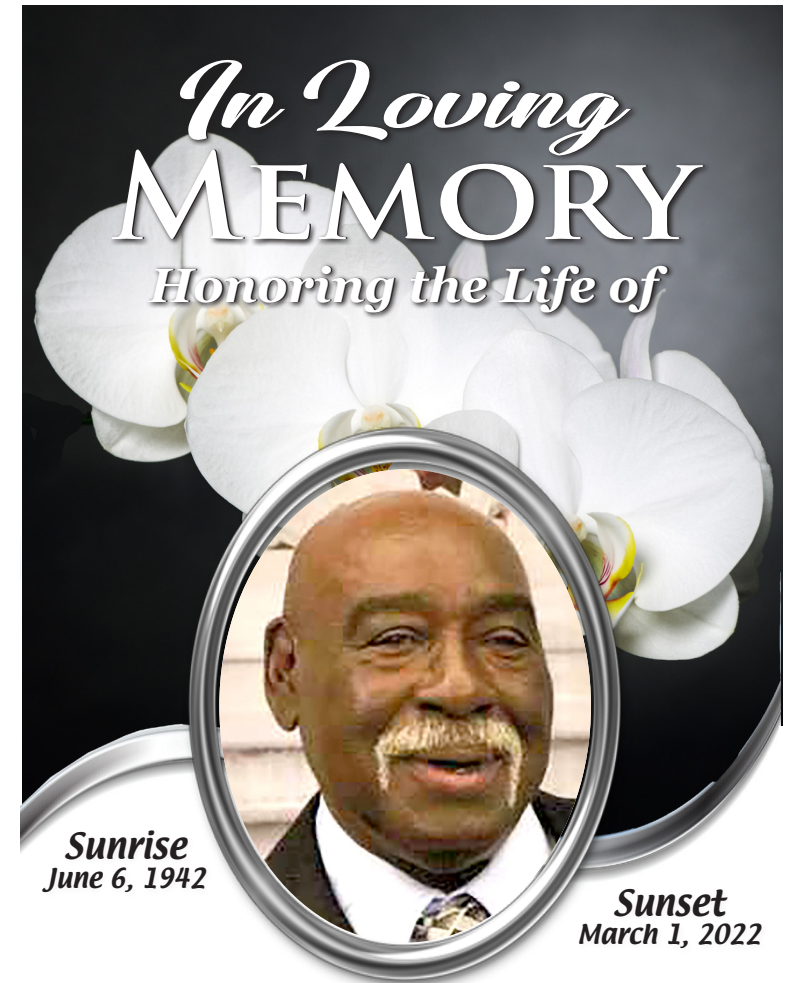
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Acknowledgement

The family of James Ross would like to extend a special thank you to everyone for their kind expressions. Your phone calls, visits, flowers, thoughts and prayers have all helped greatly during our time of bereavement. May God continue to bless each of you, is our prayer.

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James Ross

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**LEWIS CHAPEL MISSIONARY
BAPTIST CHURCH**

5422 Raeford Road • Fayetteville, North Carolina

Rev. Dr. Christopher D. Stackhouse, Sr., Eulogist

James' Life...

JAMES RICHARD ROSS was born on June 6, 1942 in Moore County, NC to the late Tommie and Eula Mae Ross. Mr. Ross departed this life on March 1, 2022 peacefully at his residence where he transitioned to his eternal home.

He was a faithful member along with his wife at Lewis Chapel Missionary Baptist Church under the leadership of the late Rev. Dr. John D. Fuller and the present Rev. Dr. Christopher D. Stackhouse. They joined the church and enjoyed over the years both fellowship and having an extended family.

MR. ROSS was educated by the Moore County School System and while attending school went on to work as a caddy for Jackie Gleason to help his parents meet financial needs for a family of twelve. Later in life, James tenaciously went to Business School by day and worked by night ultimately becoming a Business Owner as a Transportation Operator. He credited that “ God did it All.” Trucking over the road became his career and many friends and family look forward to his frequent visits during the years as he made stops in different states.

After decades over the road, James relocated in 2005, to Fayetteville, NC where he settled down with his soulmate and love of his life, Queen Robson Ross. He was affectionately known as her “Black Knight”. The lovely couple was together for 30 years. He enjoyed being in his yard, cutting grass, pruning flowers and gardening. His most enjoyed time was entertaining family and friends with his witty sense of humor, storytelling followed by laughter and dancing which captured his ultimate personality. With a very caring nature, he never hesitated to jump on the road to visit sick family members, even sitting bedside during a hospital stay.

He was preceded in death by sisters, Ora Lee Ross and Rosie Lee Ross; brothers: Robert Ross, Frederick Lewis, Paul Ross and Tommie Lee Ross.

MR. ROSS leaves to cherish his memory: his devoted wife, Queen Robson Ross of Fayetteville, North Carolina; daughters: Graun Ross(GA), Samantha Ross(GA), Regina Ross Peaks (GA), Tanya Purnell (NJ), Jessica Ross(SC), Aisha Williams (NY), Akita Johnson (SC), Mary Ann Legranden (NY); sons: James Ross Jr.(NC), Chad Ross (NC), Jeremy Ross (NC), Shannon Ross (SC), Jamie Ross (SC), Rick James Williams (NY) and Danny Lee Williams (NY). Two sisters: Sarah Wallace(Theodore)(NC) and Emily Covington (James)(NC); three brothers: John Johnson (Clara)(NY) Billy Ross (NY) and Joe Ross (NC).

He will be dearly missed by his beloved grandchildren and a host of great-grandchildren, relatives and friends.

GOD'S HEAVENLY GARDEN

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in full bloom; sometimes the rosebuds chosen
that we feel He's picked too soon.
Sometimes the flower is fading with petals
floating down, but God knows the perfect
time to gather flowers from the ground.
There is a heavenly garden in which God takes
great pleasure because He's placed within
it the loved ones that we treasure.
He walks among the blossoms giving them
eternal rest, and I know that it must please
Him because He chose my very best.*



Order of Service

Processional Clergy and Family

Hymn of Praise “He'll Welcome Me”
Minister Will Harris
*Minister of Music, Lewis Chapel MB Church
Fayetteville, North Carolina*

Scriptures Rev. Perry B. Irby
*Pastor, Restoration MB Church
Fayetteville, North Carolina*

OLD TESTAMENT *Isaiah 46:4*
NEW TESTAMENT *2 Corinthians 4:8-9*

Prayer Evangelist Emily Covington

Hymn of Comfort “Jesus Is My Rock”
Minister Harris

Acknowledgments Brother James Rich

Hymn of Assurance “Blessed Assurance”
Minister Harris

Eulogy Rev. Dr. Christopher D. Stackhouse, Sr.
*Senior Pastor, Lewis Chapel MB Church
Fayetteville, North Carolina*

Hymn of Victory “Victory Medley”
Minister Harris

Recessional