

## Flower Bearers

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## Acknowledgement

For every kind word and every expression  
of sympathy, we thank you.

For allowing us to share memories of Robert with you,  
we are extremely grateful.

## The Family

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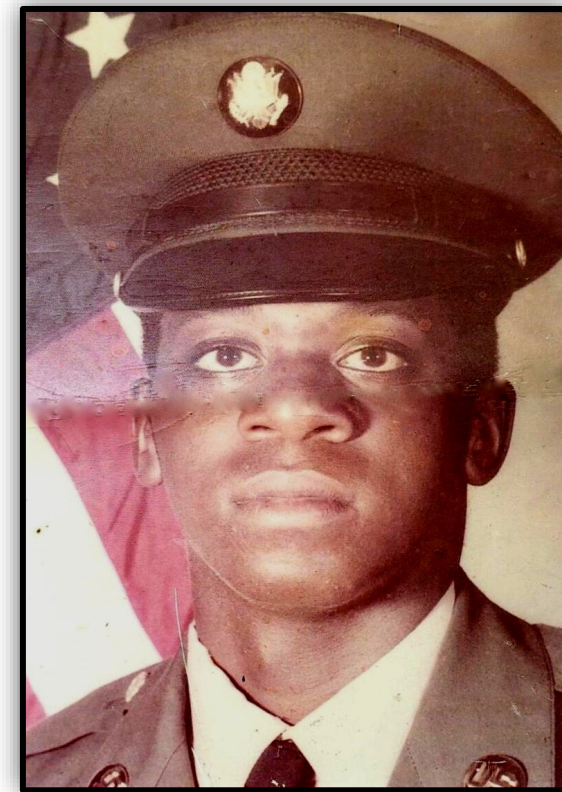


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# Homegoing Celebration

for

**Mr. Robert J. Duckett, Jr.**



*Sunrise*  
10~24~1956

*Sunset*  
2~9~ 2020

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**Friday, February 14, 2020**

**12:00 PM**

**Clark S. Brown & Sons Chapel**

**727 N. Patterson Avenue**

**Winston-Salem, North Carolina**

**Rev. Dr. Dennis Bishop, Eulogist**

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# Obituary

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Mr. Robert Jerome Duckett, Jr., affectionately known as “Bruh”, “Nooky”, and “Duck”, was born on October 24, 1956 to the late Robert J. Duckett, Sr. and Etheleen Peoples Duckett. On Sunday, February 9, 2020 , “Nooky’s” last chapter in his earthly journey ended peacefully at the Kate B. Reynolds Hospice Home in Winston-Salem, NC.

He attended local schools including Parkland High School. Previously employed by Pepsi Cola and Cloverdale Ford, he retired after thirty years of service with the City of Winston-Salem.

“Nooky” enjoyed life to the fullest: racing, watching old movies, repairing cars, motorcycle riding, fishing, finding antiques and recycling. He saw value in everything and collected everything you could imagine. If there was something you needed, he could find it and fix it up. He was always willing to give a hand to anyone in need and had a heart for children. While feeling needed was important to him, he received more pleasure from helping others. Bringing laughter to situations and often sharing his sense of humor was his pleasant gift.

Preceding him in death were his parents and his youngest sister, Ethelene Duckett; and his dog, Diamond.

Those left with fond memories of Robert are his two sons: Staff Sgt. Robert Jerome (Tamlyn) Murray of Edwards Air Force Base, CA and Teron Tate of the city; step sons: Corey Reaves and Dwayne Reaves; grandchildren: Malachi, Tatiana and Toriana; sisters: Jackie Frazier and Dorothy Hughes; foster brother, Curtis Murphy; aunt, Alice Scott of Winston-Salem, NC nieces: Tavonya Frazier of Los Angeles, CA and Telathia Frazier; two great nephews; two great -great nephews; God daughters: Shawn Brandon and Keesha Dover of Clemmons; and numerous cousins in Charlotte, NC, Greenville, SC, Augusta, GA and Coatesville, PA and his cat, Kitty Kitty.

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# Order of Service

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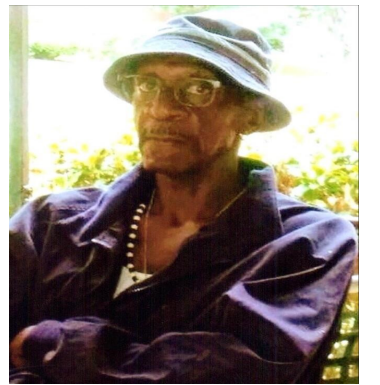
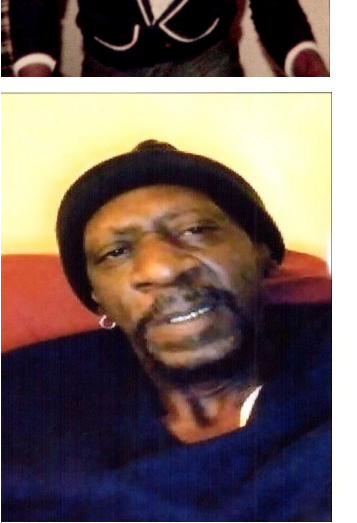
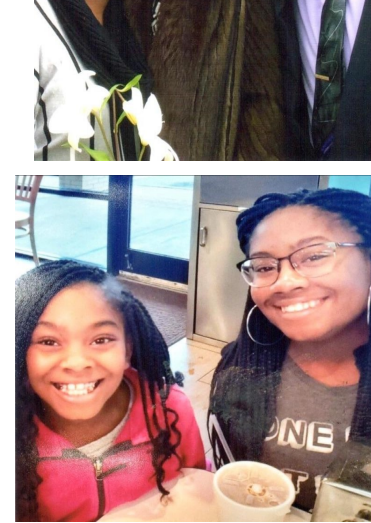
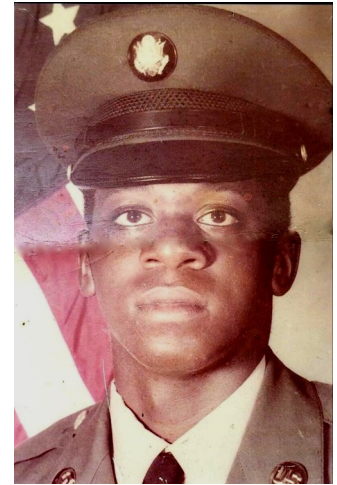
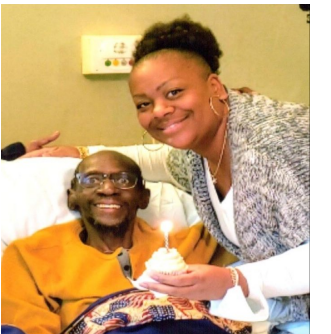
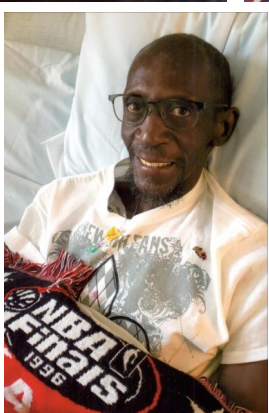
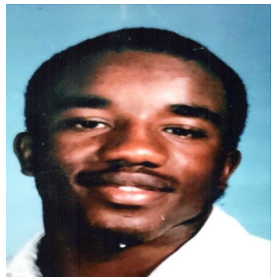
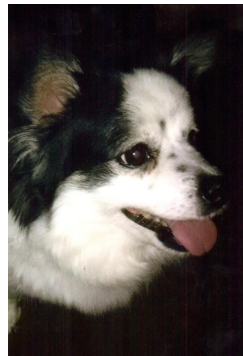
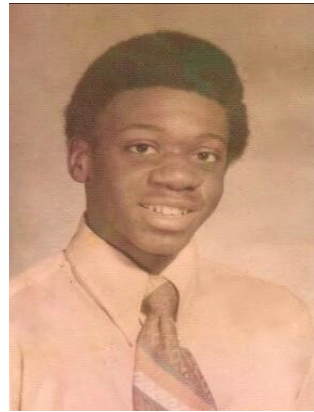
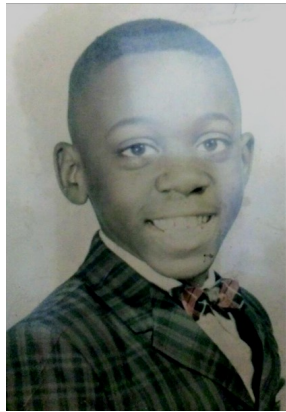
<b>Processional</b>	Clergy and Family
<b>Family Visitation</b>	
<b>11:00 AM - 12:00 PM</b>	
<b>Opening Hymn</b>	“It Is Well”
<b>Scripture Readings</b>	Reverend James Rowdy
<i>Old Testament</i>	<i>Psalm 23</i>
<i>New Testament</i>	<i>I Thessalonians 4:13-14</i>
<b>Solo</b>	“Troubles of the World”
<b>Prayer of Comfort</b>	
<b>Solo</b>	Ms. Gail Couthen
<b>Community Remarks</b>	Mr. Ron Hunter
<b>Solo</b>	“Encourage Yourself” Ms. Gail Couthen
<b>Eulogy</b>	Rev. Dr. Dennis Bishop First Waughtown Baptist Church
<b>Recessional</b>	“Another Soldier”
<b>Interment</b>	Piedmont Memorial Gardens Winston-Salem, NC



*Duckett Family*

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*Together Again*



## After Glow

I'd like the memory of me  
to be a happy one.  
I'd like to leave an after glow  
of smiles when life is done.  
I'd like to leave an echo  
whispering softly down the ways,  
Of happy times and laughing times  
and bright and sunny days.  
I'd like the tears of those who grieve,  
to dry before the sun  
of happy memories  
that I leave, when life is done.

Author Unknown



## “If I Can Help Somebody”

Recorded by Mahalia Jackson

*If I can help somebody, as I pass along  
If I can cheer somebody, with a word or song  
If I can show somebody, that he's travelling wrong  
Then my living shall not be in vain*

**Chorus:**

*My living shall not be in vain  
Then my living shall not be in vain  
If I can help somebody, as I pass along  
Then my living shall not be in vain*

*If I can do my duty, as a good man ought  
If I can bring back beauty, to a world up wrought  
If I can spread love's message, as the Master  
taught  
Then my living shall not be in vain*

**Chorus:**

*My living shall not be in vain  
Then my living shall not be in vain  
If I can help somebody, as I pass along  
Then my living shall not be in vain*