

Pallbearers

New Laurel Hill Men's Club

In Honor of Deacon George Evens Rawls, he was a caring husband, father, grandfather, brother, and friend.

The Broken Chain

*We little knew that morning,
that God was going to call your name.
In life we loved you, dearly,
in death, we do the same.
It broke our hearts to lose you,
but, you didn't go alone;
For part of us went with you
the day God called you home.
You left us peaceful memories,
your love is still our guide.
And though we cannot see you,
you are always at our side.
Our family chain is broken,
and nothing seems the same.
But as God calls us one by one,
the Chain will link again.
We love and miss you ever so much.*

Floral Bearers

Family and Friends

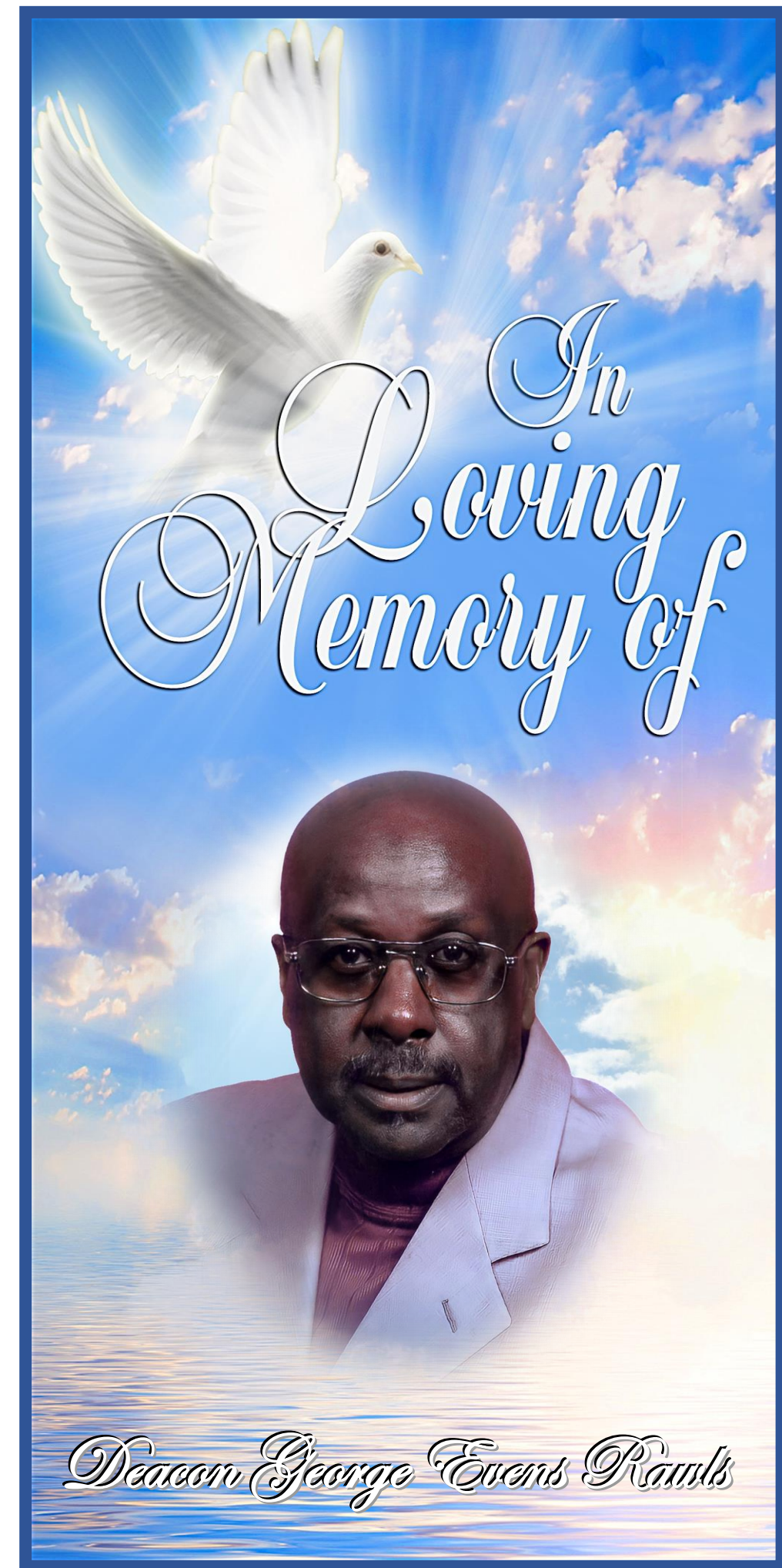
Family Acknowledgement

There are not enough words to fully express our heartfelt thanks for the sympathy, love, and support you extended to our family, during our time of loss. May God bless each of you with His mercy.

Thank You
from the family of
Deacon George Evens Rawls

Services Entrusted To:

Taylor Street Chapel 1831 Taylor Street Columbia, SC 29201 (803)771-7799 I. S. Leevy Johnson -Owner & Director-	Leevy's FUNERAL HOME Chris Leevy Johnson -President & Managing Director-	Lower Richland Chapel 9120 Garners Ferry Road Hopkins, SC 29061 (803) 776-6922 Leverette A. Williams, II -General Manager-
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Obituary

Deacon George Evens Rawls was born on September 15, 1944, in Paterson, New Jersey. He was the son of Ms. Rosa Lee Miller and Mr. George Rawls. He departed this life on Tuesday, October 19, 2021, in Columbia, South Carolina.

He was educated in the public schools of Richland County, South Carolina, and graduated from Booker T. Washington High School. In his younger years, he played semi-pro baseball for the Columbia Whips. Soon after, he grew to become the ultimate professional working over forty-six years in the pest control industry. He worked for Orkin Pest Control (20+ years) and Terminix Pest Control (26 years). He eventually retired in 2015.

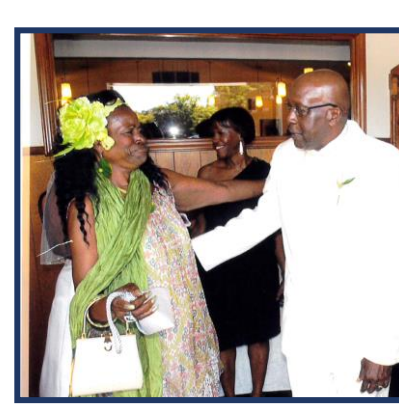
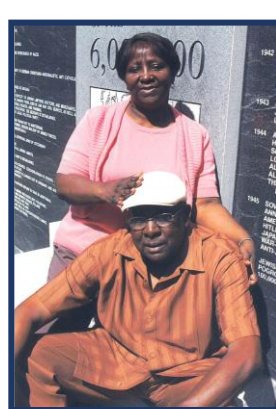
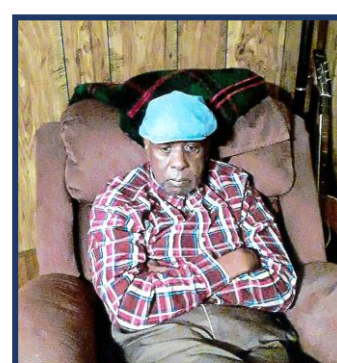
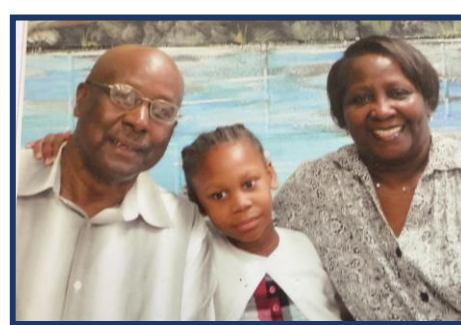
Deacon Rawls was baptized at an early age at The Greater St. Luke Baptist Church, where he served as a Deacon for 26 years. He was a dedicated member of The Tribe of Asher, a member of the Care Ministry, Jubilee Choir, and Men's Choir.

He was the President of the Laurel Hill Men's Club for more than 35 years. He was well known for helping those in need in his community.

He was preceded in death by: his parents, Rosa Lee Miller and George Rawls; one son Mr. Bernard Rawls; and three siblings, Vivian Rawls, Bill Rawls, and Eva Mae Rumph.

Deacon George Evens Rawls leaves to mourn his passing: his devoted wife, Pearlina Evens Rawls; sons, George E. Rawls, Larry J. Rawls, Clifford Rawls, Delazandro T. Rawls (Carol), Gregory L. Rawls, and stepson, Larry U. Outing (Akia); two sisters, Diane Anderson and Theresa Lorenzo (Frankie); nine grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; a host of nieces, nephews, and other family members, and friends, all of whom will miss him dearly.

Memories



A Service of Remembrance

Monday, October 25, 2021 - 2:00 p.m.

Levy's Funeral Home Chapel

1831 Taylor Street

Columbia, South Carolina

Reverend Doug Hudson, Presiding

Prelude.....Musician
 Opening Selection.....Mr. Anthony Outen
 Old Testament.....Reverend Willie Wilson
 New Testament.....Chaplain Nicole Middleton
 Prayer of Comfort.....Reverend Douglas Hudson
 Selection.....Mr. Anthony Outen
 Remarks.....Deacon Robert Cook
 Minister Anthony Ervin
 Deacon Willie Williams
 Poem.....Ms. Angela Outing
 Selection.....
 United Voices of Christ – New Williams Street Baptist Church
 Words of ComfortReverend Michael H. Baker
 Pastor – The Greater St. Luke Baptist Church, Columbia, SC
 Recessional
 Postlude



Committal, Benediction and Interment

Lincoln Cemetery
 4900 Farrow Road
 Columbia, South Carolina