

### "When Tomorrow Starts Without Me"

When tomorrow starts without me,
And I'm not there to see,
If the sun should rise and find your eyes,
All filled with tears for me;
I wish so much you wouldn't cry
The way you did today,
While thinking of the many things,
We didn't get to say.

I know how much you love me,
As much as I love you,
And each time that you think of me,
I know you'll miss me too.
But when tomorrow starts without me,
Please try to understand
That an angel came and called my name,
And took me by the hand.
He said my place was ready,
In heaven far above,
And that I'd have to leave behind
All those I dearly love.

So when tomorrow starts without me, Don't think we're far apart. For every time you think of me, I'm right here, in your heart.

### Pallbearers

Family and Friends

### Floral Bearers

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# <u>Acknowledgement</u>

A very special **THANK YOU** to the staff at **Tucker Center** and **Warriors Way** who did a remarkable job in caring for our father during his time of illness.

The family of the late **Alfred Pope** would like to thank each of you for every act of kindness that you have rendered to us, during this time of bereavement. Your phone calls, cards, flowers, food, visits, and prayers have been a blessing to us. May God bless each of you.

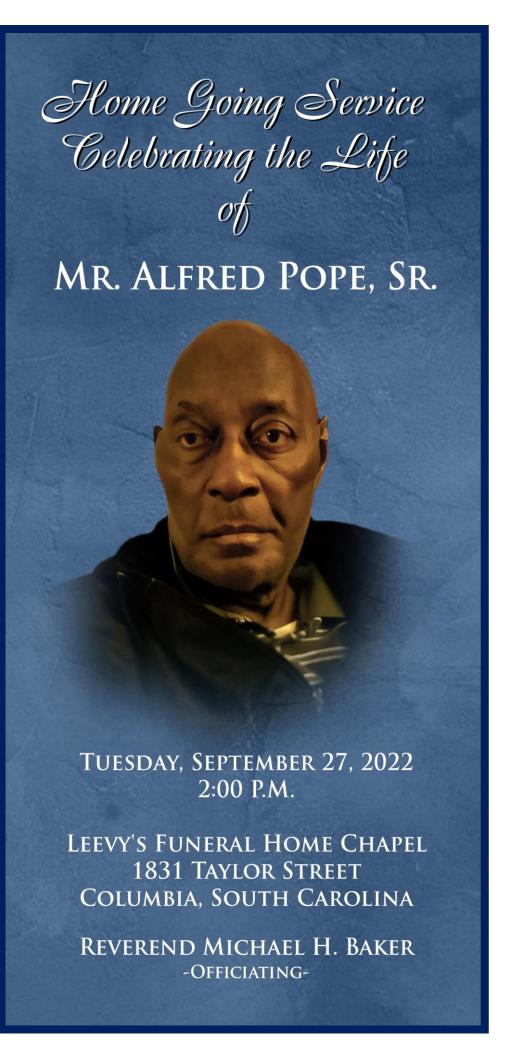
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#### **REPAST**

Greater St. Luke Baptist Church 5213 Farrow Road Columbia, South Carolina

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# Obituary

"...the time of my departure has come; I have fought a good fight,
I have finished the race, and I have kept the faith."

II Timothy 4:7

Mr. Alfred Pope was born December 20, 1930, in Columbia, South Carolina. He was the beloved son of the late Stella Mickens and McKinley *King* Taylor. He departed this life to be with his Heavenly Father on Wednesday, September 21, 2022, at WJB Dorn VA Medical Center, in Columbia, South Carolina.

Alfred was educated in the public schools of Richland County, South Carolina, where he graduated from Booker T. Washington High School. After graduation, he joined the United States Army. After returning home, he later was employed at WJB Dorn VA Medical Center, in Columbia, South Carolina, until his retirement.

At an early age, **Mr. Pope** joined St. Luke Baptist Church, when it was on Green Street. He later changed his membership to First Nazareth Baptist Church.

He was preceded in death by: his parents, **Stella Mickens** and **McKinley Taylor**; siblings, **Virginia**, **George**, **Lee Green**, **Walter Green**, **Alfreda Taylor**, **Raymond Taylor**, and an adopted sister, **Willie Mae Owens**.

Mr. Alfred Pope leaves to cherish his memory: two sons, Alfred (Sandra) Jackson and Alvictor Pope; four daughters, Constella (Reginald) Jacobs, Vanessa (Bobby) Lawton, Althea Mack, and Linda Nuttry; four granddaughters, LaShawn P. Jackson, Kalaia Jacobs, Somolia Lawton, and Gelisa Mack; six grandsons, Jackson Pope, Jazz Jacobs, Alex Jacobs, Garrick Lawton, Marvin Nelson, and Marcus Nuttry; one great-granddaughter, Saphria Nuttry; eight greatgrandsons, Chade'rick Chavis-Jackson, Euri Tucker, Chase Pittman, Devlin Gibbs, Isaiah Lawton, Odysseus Nuttry, Thadeus Nuttry, and Maliki Nuttry; one sister, Elizabeth Taylor; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and dear friends, all of whom join the family in sharing the celebration of Alfred's transition into the eternal presence of God.

### Memories







Prelude





















## A Service of Remembrance



### Committal, Benediction and Interment

Greenlawn Memorial Park 845 Leesburg Road Columbia, South Carolina