

## Miss Me But Let Me Go

When I come to the end of the road  
And the sun has set for me,  
I want no rites in a gloom-filled room  
Why cry for a soul set free?

Miss me a little - but not too long  
And not with your head bowed low.  
Remember the love that we once shared,  
Miss me-but let me go.

For this is a journey that we all must take  
And each must go alone.  
It's all a part of the Master's Plan,  
A step on the road to home.

When you are lonely and sick at heart,  
Go to the friends we know  
And bury your sorrows in doing good deeds  
Miss Me - But Let Me Go.

## Pallbearers

Deacon Board

## Floral Bearers

Family and Friends

## Acknowledgement

We, the family of the Deacon Walter R. Shiver, Sr., would like to thank each of you for your many expressions of love and sympathy during the passing of our loved one. We pray that the Lord blesses each of you in a very special way.

## Services Entrusted To:

<b>Taylor Street Chapel</b> 1831 Taylor Street Columbia, SC 29201 (803)771-7799 I. S. Leevy Johnson -Owner & Director-	<b>Leevy's</b> FUNERAL HOME Chris Leevy Johnson -President & Managing Director-	<b>Lower Richland Chapel</b> 9120 Garners Ferry Road Hopkins, SC 29061 (803) 776-6922 Leverette A. Williams, II -General Manager-
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# A Service of Victory Celebrating the Life of Deacon Walter R. Shiver, Sr.



Sunday, December 24, 2023

1:00 p.m.

St. Matthews Baptist Church

752 Old Congaree Run  
Eastover, South Carolina

Reverend Tommy Gibson  
-Pastor-

# Obituary of Deacon Walter R. Shiver, Sr.

Deacon Walter R. Shiver, Sr. was born on December 8, 1957, in Columbia, South Carolina. He was the son of the late Walter Pinckney and Estelle Shiver. Deacon Shiver departed this earthly life on Tuesday, December 19, 2023.

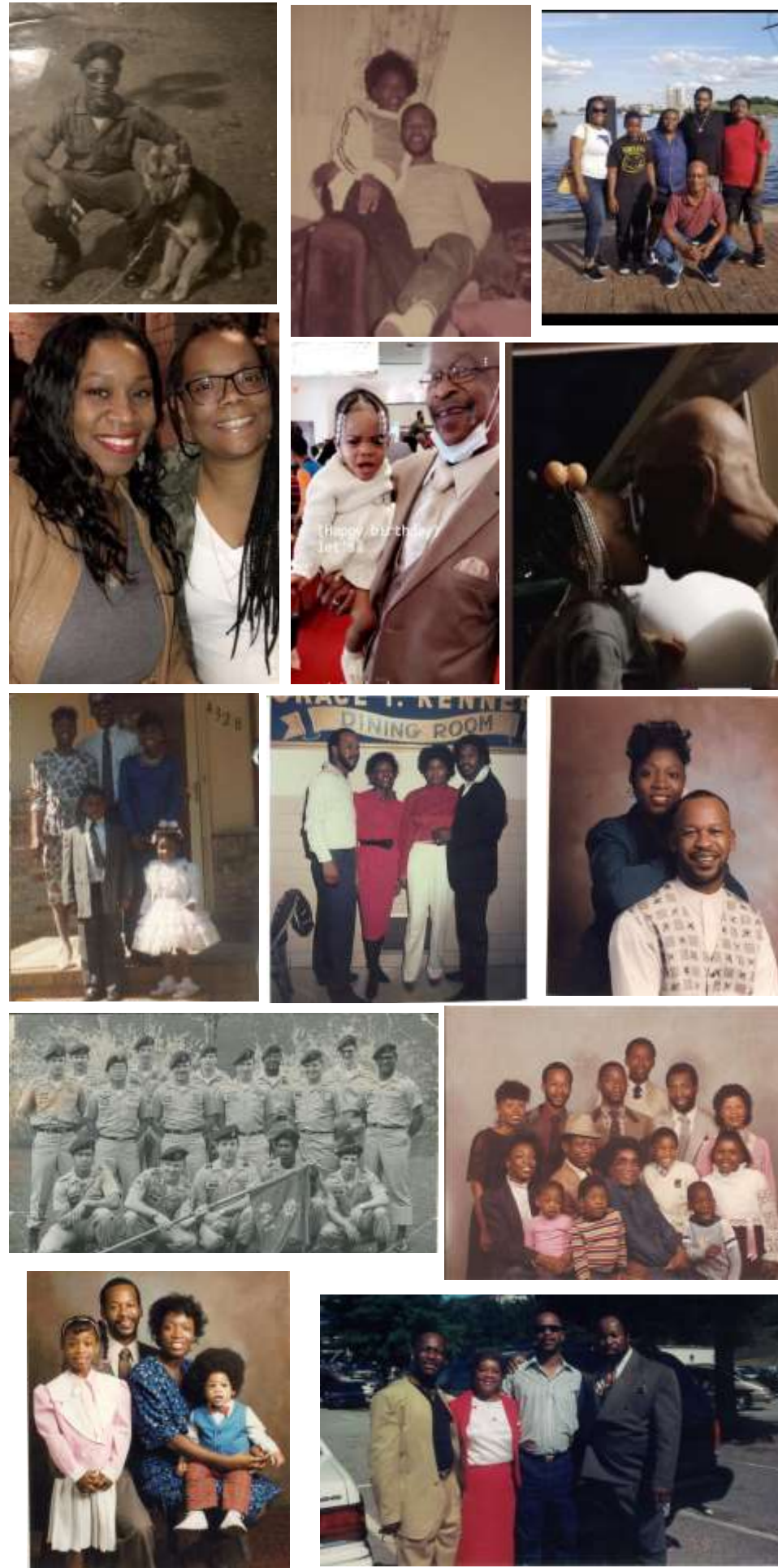
Walter was educated in the public schools of Richland County, South Carolina, and was a graduate of Lower Richland High School. After graduating high school, he enlisted in the United States Army, where he served as a Green Beret Special Forces Officer. Walter was a faithful member of the St. Matthews Baptist Church, Eastover, South Carolina, where he served as a Deacon for over 25 years.

In addition to his parents, Walter was preceded in death by his wife, Glorie L. Shiver; sister, Francina Sims; and brother, Edward Simpkins.

Deacon Walter R. Shiver, Sr. leaves to cherish his precious memory: his beloved children, Kameatrius R. Shiver and Walter J. (Ebony) Shiver, Jr.; grandchildren, Xavius Chapman, Bryson Chapman, and Glorie-Rain Shiver; brother, Alphonso (Gwendolyn) Shiver; brothers-in-law, George (Carrie) Lewis, Jr., Nathan (Sharon) Lewis, and Jerry Lewis; god children, Gelisa Mack and Falesha Johnson; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other loving relatives, and caring friends, all of whom will miss him dearly.



## Memories



## A Service of Remembrance

- Prelude
- Processional
- Opening Selection.....St. Matthews Baptist Church Choir
- Old and New Testaments.....Minister Kory Ward
- Prayer .....Minister Kory Ward
- Selection.....St. Matthews Baptist Church Choir
- Remarks.....Representative of the Deacon Board  
  - Mr. Bryson Chapman
  - Deacon Elijah Green, Sr.
  - Mr. Walter J. Shiver, Jr.
- Poem.....Ms. Safara Sims
- Selection.....St. Matthew Baptist Church Choir
- Words of Comfort .....Reverend Tommy Gibson
- Viewing .....*In the Vestibule*.....Funeral Directors
- Recessional
- Postlude



## Committal, Benediction and Interment

St. Matthews Baptist Church Cemetery