

Pallbearers

Family and Friends

Floral Bearers

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I'm Free

Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free
I'm following the path God has laid you see.
I took His hand when I heard His call
I turned my back and left it all.
I could not stay another day
To laugh, to love, to work, or play.
Tasks left undone must stay that way
I found the peace at the close of the day.
If my parting has left a void
Then fill it with remembered joys
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss
Oh yes, these things I too will miss.
Be not burdened with times of sorrow,
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.
My life's been full, I savored much,
Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.
Perhaps my time seemed all too brief,
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.
Lift up your heart, and peace to thee-
God wanted me now; He has set me free.

*Homegoing Service
In Loving Memory
of*

MR. JOHN HENRY DIXON, JR.



THURSDAY, MARCH 27, 2025
11:00 A.M.

LEEVEY'S FUNERAL HOME
1831 TAYLOR STREET
COLUMBIA, SOUTH CAROLINA

MINISTER JANICE WOOLFORK
-OFFICIATING-

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Obituary

Mr. John Henry Dixon, Jr. was born on July 14, 1944, in Brooklyn, New York. He was the beloved son of the late Geraldine Alford Dixon-Doctor and John Henry Dixon, Sr. John departed this earthly life with his family by his side at Prisma Health Richland Hospital, on Tuesday, March 18, 2025, at 8:52 p.m.

John was educated in the public school of Darlington County, South Carolina. While at Spaulding High School, he excelled at playing basketball. After high school, John served his country in the Vietnam War as a paratrooper of the 101st Screaming Eagles Division. After his tour of service ended, John became employed in the private sector with Westinghouse Nuclear Plant as a mechanic. After 25 years of services and providing for his family, John retired. John's union with Gwendolyn Noble was blessed with two children and a stepson whom he loved as his own.

Ray, as he was called, was a family man, who loved his friends as well. His loved never wavered when it came to providing care and friendship. As a father and provider, he later began Dixon and Son's Home Repairs to continue to support his family and help the community. He opened his heart to many over the years. Through the ups and downs, he always tried to put a smile on your face. He will truly be missed by all.

Mr. John Henry Dixon, Jr.'s beautiful life will forever be cherished in the lives of: his surviving wife, Gwendolyn Teresa Dixon; his children, Renee Jaunita Dixon and John Henry Dixon III; stepson, Jacob Gidron III, all of Columbia, South Carolina; five grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; sisters, Ireatha, Mae, and Barbara; a host of nieces, nephews, great-niece, great-nephews, other loving family members, and friends, all of whom will miss him dearly.

Order of Service

Prelude
Processional
Viewing.....Funeral Directors
Opening Hymn
Old and New Testaments.....Minister Janice Woolfork
Prayer.....Minister
Selection.....Ms. Angie McCoy
RemarksMs. Angie McCoy
Mr. Jacob Gidron III
Mr. John Dixon III
Selection
Words of Comfort.....Minister Janice Woolfork
Recessional
Postlude



Committal, Benediction and Interment

1:00 p.m.
Fort Jackson National Cemetery
4170 Percival Road
Columbia, South Carolina

Acknowledgement

We, the family of Mr. John Henry Dixon, Jr., would like to express our deepest gratitude for your prayers, presence and love. This could not have been possible without your love and support.