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Homegoing Celebration

of



Roland C. Mikell

Sunrise
December 30, 1959

Sunset
September 11, 2024

"The race is not to the swift or strong, but to those who endure to the end."

Ecclesiastes 9:11

The Obituary

Roland C. Mikell transitioned from this life on September 11, 2024, at Magee General Hospital.

Roland was a native of St. Louis, Missouri, where he attended school and later became a chef because of his love for cooking.

Roland moved to Simpson County, Mississippi, several years ago after his health failed. He resided at Hillcrest Nursing Home in Magee, Mississippi.

Roland was preceded in death by his parents, L.C. Mikell and Amanda Payne Mikell. He leaves behind one brother, Bobby (Pamela Mikell) of Mendenhall, Mississippi; one aunt, Vera of Chicago, Illinois; and a host of nieces, nephews, and cousins.

"The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake. Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me. Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the LORD for ever."
Psalm 23

Making A Difference

Can I say today in honesty
As the hours slip by so fast
That I've helped a single person
Of the many I have passed?



Did I waste the day or lose it
Was it well or properly spent
Did I leave a trail of kindness
Or moments of content?

As I close my eyes to slumber
I hope that God will say
"You have made the world a better place
By the way you lived today."

Roland C. Mikell

1959—2024