

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

We, the family of Deford Johnson, send our most sincere thanks to you for your kind expressions of sympathy in our recent time of loss. We deeply appreciate your thoughtfulness, and kindness will always be remembered.

The Family

ACTIVE PALLBEARERS

Eddrick Hogan

Eric Reed

Tremayne Thomas

Doyle Berry

Robert Williams

John Williams

FLOWER BEARERS

Family & Friends

INTERMENT

Morning Star Cemetery

Eden Midway Road

Eden, MS

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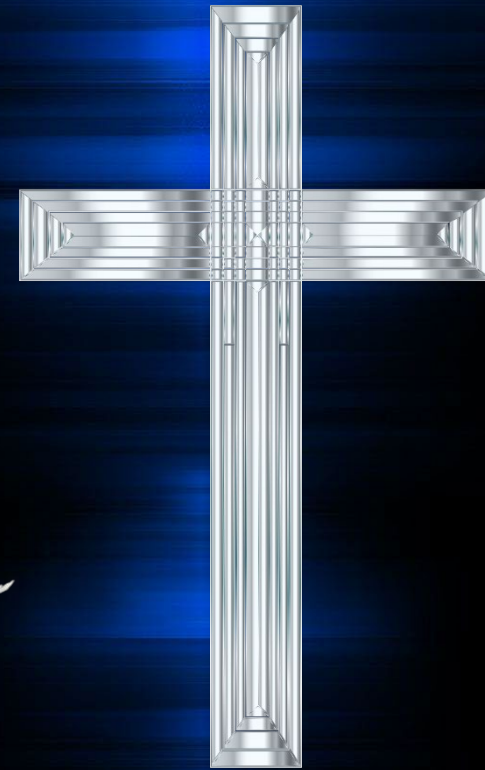
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IN LOVING MEMORY OF



Deford Johnson

ALPHA

May 3, 1955

OMEGA

December 27, 2025

"Forever In Our Hearts"

Sunday, January 4, 2025 | 1:00 p.m.

Scott Memorial Funeral Home Chapel

1401 E. Broadway St. - Yazoo City, MS 39194

Pastor Willie McCullum, Eulogist

LIFE'S REFLECTIONS

Deford Johnson

We are confident, I say, and willing rather to be absent from the body, and to be present with the Lord. | II Corinthians 5:8



Deford was born May 3,1955 to the late Thelma Faris Mother and the late Perry Johnson.

Deford Johnson leaves to cherish one living sister Perlle Johnson. Six siblings which preceded him in death. Nathaniel Kirk, Charlotte Kirk, Perry Johnson (Jeanette), Will Ella Johnson, Bertha Johnson-Baker, and Catherine Brown.

Seven living nieces and nephews Amin Hassan, Willie Broadux, Chandra Brown, Kimberly Brown, Diana Johnson, Charlotte Johnson, and Janet Garrett.

Deford was a man known for his steady walk and gentle presence.

Day after day, he walked not just the streets, but through life with quiet strength, determination, and purpose. His walks were moments of reflection, peace, and connection times when he greeted neighbors, shared kind words, and showed us that consistency and humility matters.

He taught us, without many words, the value of perseverance.

Each step he took was a reminder to keep moving forward, no matter the pace. Deford walked with dignity, kindness, and an open heart, leaving footprints of love in the lives of all who knew him.

Though his earthly walk has ended, his journey continues in our memories, our stories, and our hearts. We will remember his calm spirit, his familiar stride, and the quiet lessons he shared simply by being himself.



ORDER OF SERVICE



Prelude..... Soft Music
Processional Clergy and Family
Scripture Reading..... Lakisha Hogan
Prayer Pastor Willie McCullum
Obituary Read Silently Soft Music
Eulogy..... Pastor Willie McCullom
Scott Memorial Funeral Directors in Charge
Recessional.....Clergy, Family and Friends



TO MY FAMILY

*There is no need for tears,
I am at peace, my soul is at rest,
There is no pain, I suffer not,
For with your love, I was blessed.*



God Called You Home

*God called you home, and we let go,
Though our hearts were not prepared.
We trust His will, His perfect plan,
And the promise that you're cared for.
Your life was love, your legacy faith,
Your example still shines through.
Until we meet in glory bright,
We place our hope in Him – and you.*

Love Your Family