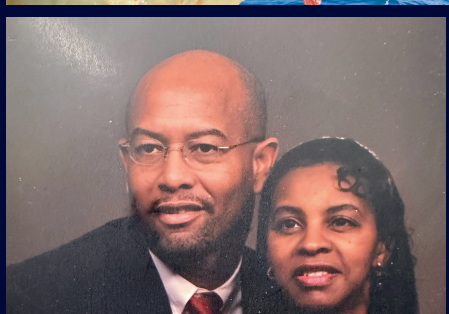


Memories



Last Forever!

Pallbearers

Family & Friends

Floral Bearers

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Expression of Gratitude

The Family of Robert H. Kershaw Jr extends our heartfelt gratitude for the love, support, and kindness shown during this difficult time. Your comforting words, thoughtful gestures, and presence have brought strength and comfort to our family. We offer special thanks to JP Holley Funeral Home and Jerusalem Baptist Church for the care and compassion shown. We are grateful to all who traveled, prepared meals, sent flowers, and/or extended hands in so many meaningful ways. Though our hearts are heavy, we are deeply thankful for the love that surrounds us and for the many lives that Bobby touched. With sincere appreciation,

The Kershaw Family



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IN LOVING MEMORY OF
Robert "Bobby"
HERMAN KERSHAW JR.
AUGUST 21, 1952 - JUNE 5, 2026

Monday, June 15, 2026
12:00 PM

Jerusalem Baptist Church
1051 Clarkson Road, Hopkins, South Carolina 29061
Pastor Patrick Harvin, Senior Pastor

Reflections of His Life

Robert Herman Kershaw Jr, “Bobby” as he was affectionately known by many, was born on August 21, 1952, in Hopkins, South Carolina, to the late Robert Kershaw Sr. and the late Georgia Belle Johnson Kershaw.

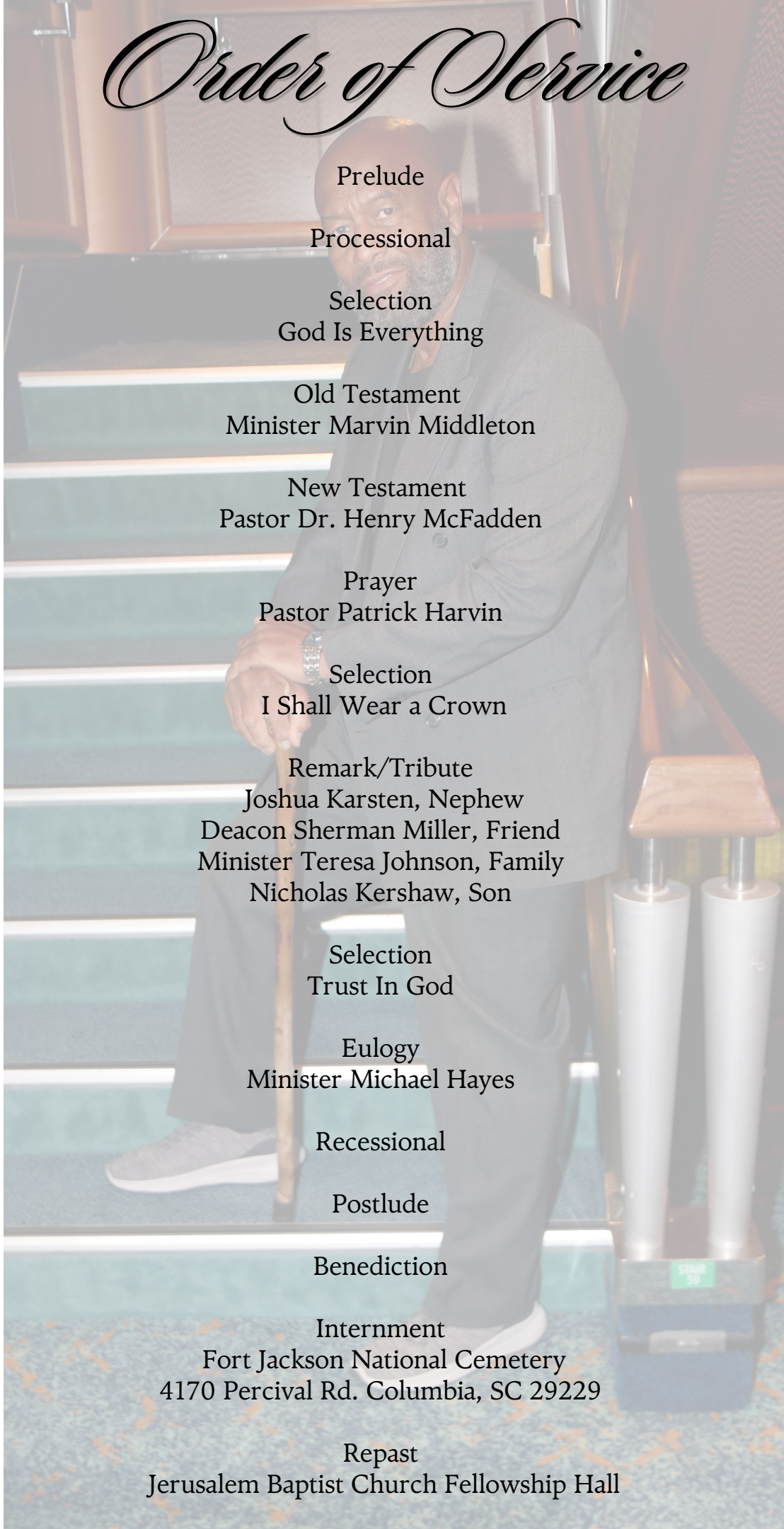
Robert attended and graduated from Hopkins High School in Hopkins, South Carolina. Following graduation, he proudly served his country in the United States Marine Corps, including service during the Vietnam War. After completing his military service, he continued his education at Midlands Technical College in Columbia, South Carolina. For 38 years, Robert dedicated himself to a distinguished career with QS/1 Governmental Solutions, where he served as a Program Analysis Manager until his retirement.

Robert had a passion for life and enjoyed many hobbies. He was an avid golfer who also loved playing pool and chess. Known for his competitive spirit, he often paired his victories with quick wit and a well-timed joke. He enjoyed fishing, traveling, and spending time outdoors. Robert never met a stranger; his warm personality, genuine kindness, and magnetic presence allowed him to build lasting friendships wherever he went.

A devoted man of faith, Robert was a faithful member of Jerusalem Baptist Church in Hopkins, South Carolina. He served as both a Trustee and Deacon, taught Sunday School, and sang in the church choir. He loved sharing God’s Word and never missed an opportunity to testify to the goodness of Christ, regardless of the circumstances.

In addition to his parents, Robert was preceded in death by his sister, Patricia Elise Kershaw, and his brother, George Bennett Kershaw.

He leaves to cherish his memory, his beloved wife, Brenda Kirkland Kershaw; his sons, Robert Kershaw III and Nicholas Kershaw (Tyné), both of Columbia, South Carolina; and his nephew, Sean Kershaw (Christi), who was loved and regarded as a son of Mount Pleasant, SC. He is also survived by his sister, Miriam Wright (William) of Charleston, South Carolina; his honorary brother, Joseph Johnson (Rosa) of Hopkins, South Carolina and his sister-in-law Laydrian Kershaw of Columbia, SC; and a host of nieces, nephews, other loving relatives, and dear friends, all of whom will miss him dearly.



Order of Service

Prelude

Processional

Selection
God Is Everything

Old Testament
Minister Marvin Middleton

New Testament
Pastor Dr. Henry McFadden

Prayer
Pastor Patrick Harvin

Selection
I Shall Wear a Crown

Remark/Tribute
Joshua Karsten, Nephew
Deacon Sherman Miller, Friend
Minister Teresa Johnson, Family
Nicholas Kershaw, Son

Selection
Trust In God

Eulogy
Minister Michael Hayes

Recessional

Postlude

Benediction

Internment
Fort Jackson National Cemetery
4170 Percival Rd. Columbia, SC 29229

Repast
Jerusalem Baptist Church Fellowship Hall

I'm Free

Don’t grieve for me for now I’m free,

I’m following the path God laid for me

I took his hand when I heard him 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’ve found that peace at the close of day

If my parting has left a void,

Then fill it with remembered joy

A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,

Ah yes, these things I too will miss

Be not burdened with times of sorrow,

I wish for you the sunshine of tomorrow

My life’s been full, I’ve savored much,

Good friends, good times, my loved one’s touch

If my time seemed all too brief,

Don’t lengthen it now with undue grief

Lift up your heart, rejoice with me,

God wanted me now, He set me free.