

CELEBRATION OF LIFE

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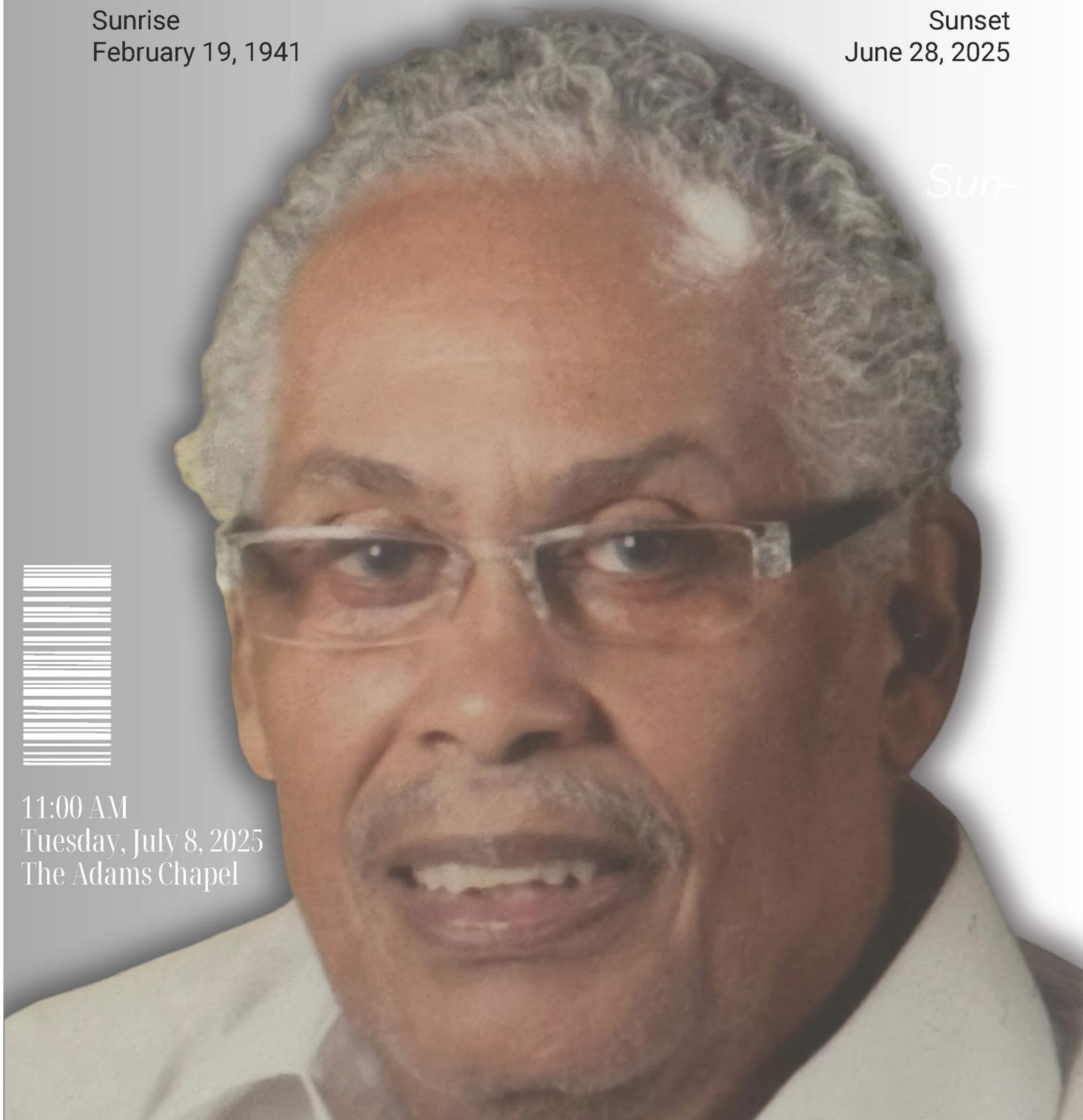
Sunrise
February 19, 1941

Sunset
June 28, 2025

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11:00 AM
Tuesday, July 8, 2025
The Adams Chapel



LIFE STORY

Oscar S. Matthews, Sr., 84, passed away peacefully in the company of his loved ones on Saturday, June 28, 2025, in Savannah, Georgia. He was born on February 19, 1941, to the late

Johnnie Matthews and Mary Barnes Matthews.

On December 3, 2003, Oscar married his devoted wife, Alzenia, who remained faithfully by his side.

A proud graduate of Beach High School, Class of 1959, Oscar continued his education at Savannah State University, where he pursued a degree in marine biology.

Throughout his life, Oscar wore many hats. He worked as a carpenter, truck driver, and electrician apprentice. He was also a successful entrepreneur, operating Matthews Fashion for over 10 years.

Oscar was an active member of the Savannah Corvette Club and took great pride in his contributions to his parents' family businesses, including their restaurants and clothing store.

Oscar was preceded in death by his son, Oscar Jr., and siblings Rufus Matthews, Ida Maxwell, Johnnie Matthews and Johnny Matthews.

He leaves to cherish his memory his beloved wife, Alzenia; three sons, Daryl (Alicja) Matthews of Virginia Beach, Rahshi (Stephanie) Matthews of Savannah, GA, and Tory McIntosh of Florida ; four daughters, Samona Hollingsworth, Tonya Sellars, Mea (Ricky) Matthews, all of Savannah, GA, and Cher McIntosh of Augusta, GA; one brother, Lester Anthony; along with a host of grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews, cousins, and dear friends.

Oscar's legacy of love, hard work, and dedication to his family and community will live on in the hearts of all who knew and loved him.

ORDER OF SERVICE

Processional

Final Glance

Old Testament – Pastor Donna Davis Curry

New Testament – Mr. Aubrey Bryant

Prayer – Rev. Dr. Angela Jones

Solo - Ms. Omega Deloach

Poem- Ms. Trinity Wright

Reflections

As a Friend/ Classmate - Dea. Blackshear

As Classmate - Mr. Lawrence Hutchins, Jr.
Alfred L. Beach High School class of 195

Acknowledgments- Mrs. Amber Hall

Solo- Ms. Micaela Echols

Words Of Comfort – Rev. Lee Wright

Recessional

Interment

Laurel Grove South
802 W Anderson St.
Savannah, GA 31415

MEMORIES

A Father's Hands

These hands once worked from dawn to dusk,
With steady grip, with strength, with trust.
They built, they carried, drove and mended,

A life of labor, love unended.

You showed us how to stand up tall,

To work with pride, to give our all.

No task too small, no load too great,

You bore it all, you shaped our fate.

Through every job, through every mile,

You faced it all with grit and smile.

You taught us more than words could say,

By how you lived, day after day.

But now, dear Dad, you take your rest,

Your work is done, you gave your best.

Lay down the tools, the road, the strain,
And find your peace beyond life's pain.

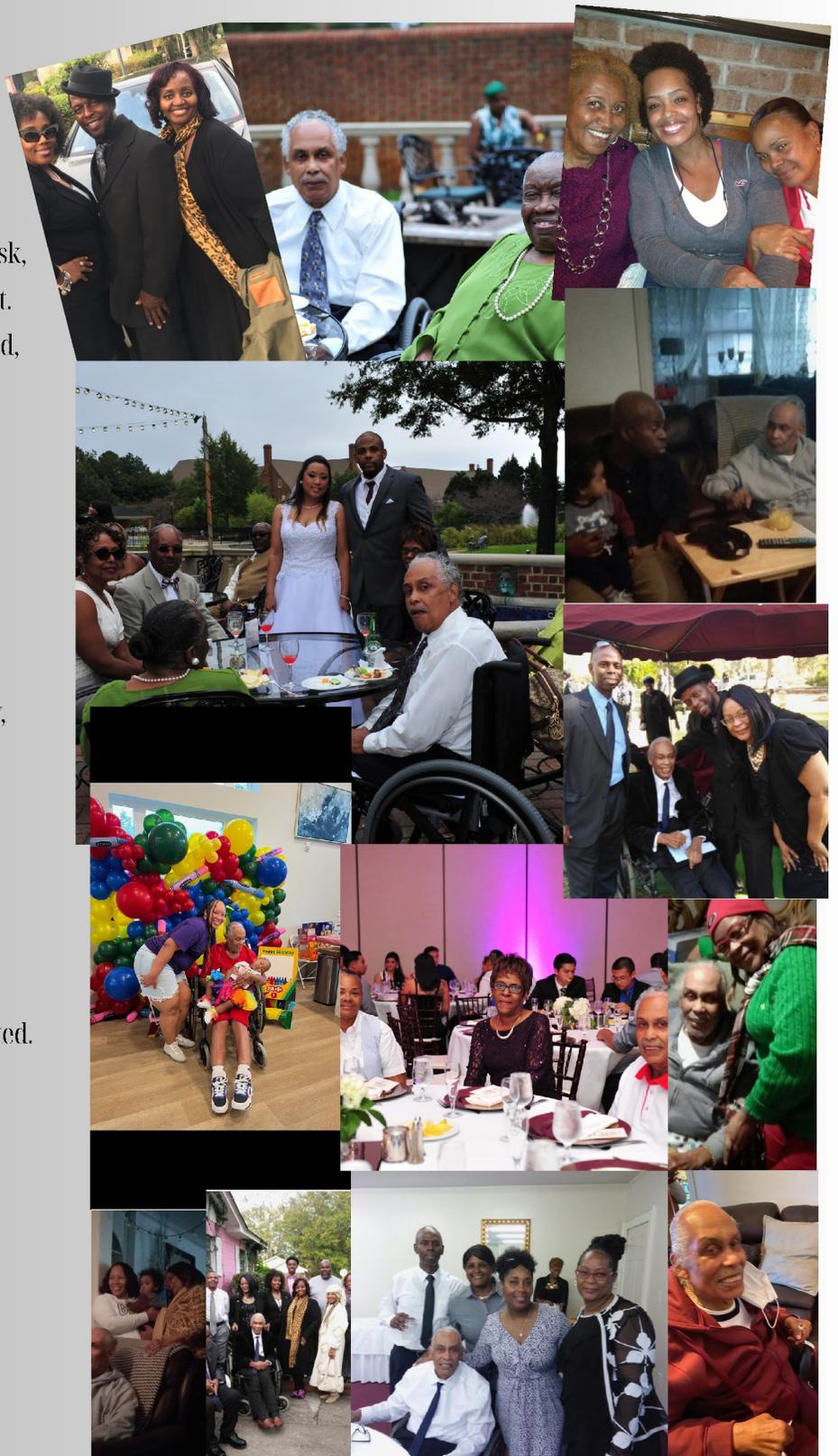
We'll carry on what you have started,

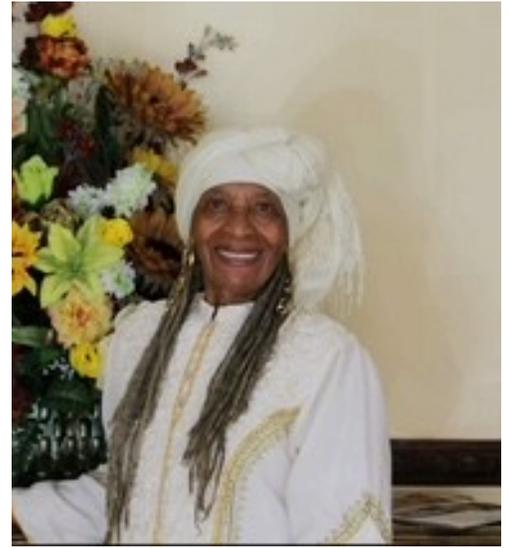
With hands made strong, and faithful-hearted.

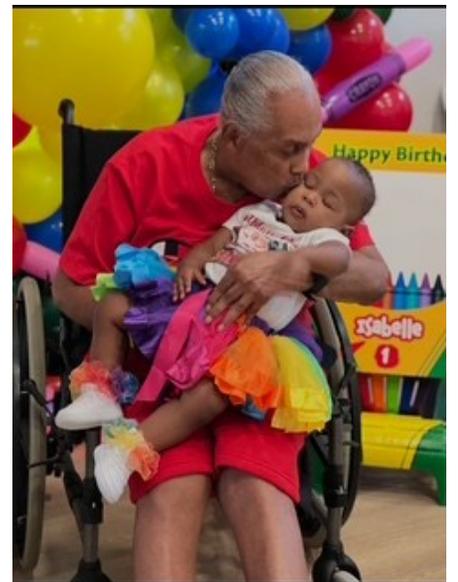
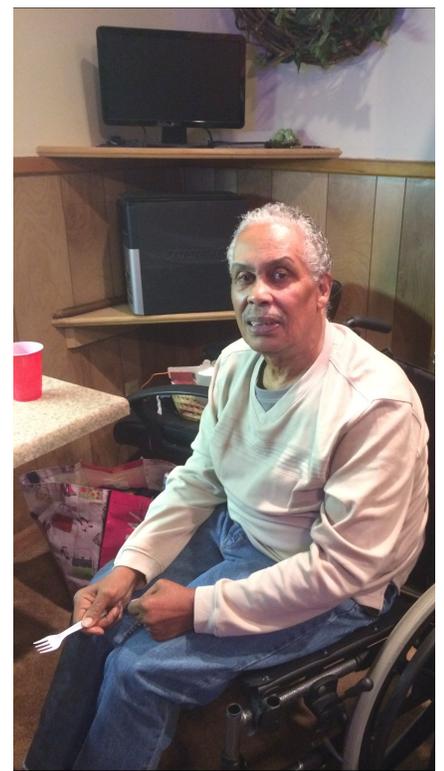
Thank you, Dad, for all you've done,

Your legacy shines in every one.

-From your children







PALLBEARERS

Roosevelt Emerson

Aaron Matthews

Daryl D. Matthews

John O. Maxwell

Walter B. Maxwell

Ricky White

FLORAL ATTENDANTS

Family & Friends

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

The family of the late Oscar S. Matthews, Sr. extends our heartfelt gratitude for the love, prayers, and expressions of kindness during this time of loss. A special thank you to Affinis Hospice, family and friends for your compassionate care and support. Your dedication and comfort will always be remembered. Thank you to everyone for your continued love, care, and thoughtfulness.

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ADAMS FUNERAL HOME

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