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27th Infantry Regiment Association
 VVA Chapter #226
 DAv Naomi Chapter #15

Flower Bearers

Family and Friends



Acknowledgement

With grateful hearts, the family of the late **HERBERT S. JACKSON** wishes to acknowledge the numerous acts of sympathy and compassion which have been rendered during our period of bereavement. May the blessings of Almighty God be upon you all.



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In Loving Memory of
Herbert S. Jackson

Sunrise
 September 14, 1944

Sunset
 February 26, 2011



FUNERAL SERVICE

Monday, March 7, 2011
 Viewing: 10:00 a.m. — Service: 11:00 a.m.

Une Memorial Baptist Church

5600 West Girard Avenue
 Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19131

Reverend James S. Allen, D.D., Pastor

The Obituary

HERBERT S. JACKSON began his earthly pilgrimage on September 14, 1944. The son of Flora Mae Hall and Herbert L. Jackson, Herbert was born in Gastonia, North Carolina.

Herbert accepted Christ at an early age, and was baptized by his grandfather, Reverend Charles Spurgeon Hall. Later in life, he restored his membership with the Vine Memorial Baptist Church on June 9, 2002.

He was educated in the Gastonia school system and obtained his GED Diploma in the United States Army.

Herbert was employed by The Consolidated Rail Corporation (CONRAIL) in Hamlet, North Carolina and Detroit, Michigan. He later worked for The Southeastern Pennsylvania Transportation Authority (SEPTA).

Everyone who knew Herbert loved to be around him. He was a great deal of fun and possessed a very playful nature. He enjoyed fishing and was an impressive swimmer.


Herbert served with the 25th Infantry Division (C-Company 1st of the 27th Infantry Regiment) Wolfhounds' in the Republic of Vietnam, 1965-1966. He was wounded in action and received the Purple Heart, Bronze Star with Valor, Combat Infantry Badge, Presidential Unit Citation, Vietnam Campaign Medal, and Good Conduct Medal.

He was an active member of the 25th Infantry Association and attended their reunions.

Herbert was always there for other fellow Veterans and was a member of the Vietnam Veterans of America Chapter 266, Disabled American Veterans-Naomi Chapter #15 and the American Legion Post 292.

Herbert joined the Vine Memorial Baptist Church On Saturday, February 26, 2011 after a lengthy illness, the Lord called Herbert home to a well deserved rest. He was preceded in death by his wife, Pricilla Metz Jackson.

Herbert leaves to cherish precious memories: two daughters, Monica Jackson and Nicole Pettway; five grand children; mother, one sister, Valerie Jackson; honorary brothers, Rabbi Goodwin's PTSD Group; special friends, Ethel Scott, Catherine Washington and Randy Scrbling; and a host of other family and friends.

 Lovingly submitted,
The Family



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 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 found that 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've 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 hearts and peace to thee,
God wanted me now, He set me free!



The Order of Service

- ORGAN PRELUDE.....Charles Robert Jones
- THE CLOSING OF THE BIER
- THE OPENING SENTENCE
- HYMN OF FAITH#418
"We'll Understand It Better By and By"
- THE SCRIPTURES:
Old Testament — Psalm 23
New Testament — John 14: 1-6
- THE PRAYER OF COMFORT
- HYMN OF CONSOLATION#508
"Blessed Assurance, Jesus Is Mine"
- THE ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF
CONDOLENCESMarian W. Langdon
- THE OBITUARY
- RESOLUTION American Legion Post 292
- VETERANS CEREMONYCharles Benjamin Clark,
Veterans PTSD Group
- SOLO — "His Eye Is On The Sparrow"..... Wanda P. Robinson
- EULOGY..... Reverend James S. Allen, Sr., Pastor
Vine Memorial Baptist Church
- SOLO — "It Is Well With My Soul".....Juanita Ramsey
- THE BENEDICTION
- THE RECESSIONAL
- ORGAN POSTLUDE

