



Daniel Adams

August 9, 1914 - July 3, 2013

Brother Adams was born on August 9, 1914 to the late Daniel and Laura Adams in Greenville, North Carolina. He was the seventh child of 13 siblings and was affectionately known as "Boss" or "Clyde" to friends and loved ones. He received his education in Pitts County, North Carolina and was employed at the Newport News Shipbuilding & Drydock Company for over 50 years as a ship fitter. He also attended the Anthony Barber College, where he graduated and became a licensed barber for more than 40 years. Among all his natural jobs, being an Usher at St. Johns, COGIC was his favorite position. He seemed to love being a doorkeeper in the house of God, under the leadership of the Honorable Bishop Samuel L. Green, Jr. Brother Adams took pride in his position as a usher, until his health began to fail. He was just as happy to know that he was the oldest member of the church. His hobbies included, fishing, cooking, and hunting. Even the neighbors would enjoy the aroma coming from his house when he would cook cabbage and potatoes. His was preceded in death by his soul mate of over 40 years, Mattie Adams; his two sons, David Earl Adams and Alphonso Adams; four brothers, Joseph, Isaac, Manning and Alonzo Adams; six sisters, Mary Ebron, Rosa Fleming, Annie Carney, Bessie Hopkins, Penny Purchett and Laura Clemons and two son-in-laws, Abner Earl Turner and Rothell Vincent Fallen, Sr. He leaves to cherish his memory, four daughters, Christabel Turner, Shelia F. Fallen, Darla Seward (David), and Dorothy Burnette Colter; two sons, Vincent Miles (Rebecca) and Charlie Miles (Verenda); a sister, Delois Fleming, Newark, New Jersey; a daughter-in-law, Annie Adams; brother-in-laws, John Clemons and Samuel Fleming; sister-in-law, Helen Adams; twenty grandchildren, fifteen great-grandchildren, ten great- great grandchildren, and a host of nieces, nephews, and other relatives and friends.

Previous Events

Service

JUL 9. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. John Church of God in Christ
2416 Orcutt Avenue
Newport News, VA

Tribute Wall

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“ I'll miss you dad love you tell mom I love her

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