

A Fallen Limb

*Although a limb has fallen from the family tree,
Listen for the still small voice that says, "Grieve not for me.
Remember the best times, the laughter, the song,
The good life I lived while I was strong.
Continue my heritage, I'm counting on you;
Keep smiling and surely the sun will shine through.
My mind is at ease, my soul is at rest,
Remembering all, how I truly was blessed.
Continue traditions, no matter how small;
Go on with your life, don't worry about falls.
Although you may miss me, keep up your chin,
Until the day comes that we're together again."*

Author Unknown

Acknowledgements

*We would like to say **Thank You** for your cards,
food, flowers, and, most of all, your prayers
during our hours of bereavement.
May God continue to bless and keep each of you.*

The Family

ARRANGEMENTS BY:



Service of Love

*Genesis
December 2, 1945*

*Exodus
February 5, 2021*

Rev. Robert Lee Holland

Tuesday, March 2, 2021 - 11:30am

*Jacksonville National Cemetery
4083 Lannie Road.
Jacksonville, FL 32218*

*Reverend Titus Hill, Eulogist
Pastor, Philadelphia Baptist Church*

*Buggs-Bellamy Funeral Services, Inc.
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Laprinza Banks, L.F.D.
Lethenia Joyce Meadows, L.F.D.*

Obituary

On the evening of Friday, February 5, 2021, Robert Lee Holland had a reservation on a Boeing 737 scheduled for Heaven to be with God. His flight was on time with no delay and he boarded without a lot of hustle and bustle, bound for his Home in Glory. Robert was born on December 2, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. Willie Fred and Vira Mae Adkins Holland in Apalachicola, Florida. Later, the family moved to Jacksonville, where Robert attended the public schools, graduating from New Stanton Senior High with the Class of 1964.

Robert enlisted in the U.S. Army, where he earned the rank of SP4. Upon completion of his time of service, he was Honorably Discharged. In August 1976, he and Charlette Washington became one in Holy Matrimony. They honored their vows, “ in sickness and in health, till death do us part.” Robert retired after over three decades of faithful employment with Main Metal Recycling Company.

A faithful member of Philadelphia Baptist Church, Rev. Robert Lee Holland answered the call to the ministry. He was licensed and later ordained to preach the Gospel by Rev. Solomon Timmons, Pastor of Philadelphia at that time, and served well his assignment until his health began to decline. However, regardless of his situation, he always greeted one with a smile of assurance and a testimony that “all is well with my soul.”

Rev. Holland was preceded in death (2013) by his beloved wife, Charlette W. Holland; parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Fred and Vira Holland; and siblings, James Holland, Lucille Bolden, Winifred Bartley and Margaret Baskin.

Rev. Robert L. Holland’s memory will be shared by his daughter, Lisa Simmons; siblings, Mildred Lewis (Johnell), Bettye Douglas (James), Tommy Holland, Kentucky, and Willie Fred Holland; uncle, Sammy Atkins, Bainbridge, GA; his dedicated Godchildren, Christopher James, Jacqueline Smith, Bonita Dubose, Hopelton and Alicia Thompson, Bridgette Taylor, Leon and Bridgette Allen, and Jourdyn Williams; a host of loving grandchildren, nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives, his church family and friends.

Order of Service

Song of Praise

“Victory is Mine”

Scripture Reading

Rev. Marvin Blount

Prayer

Elder Lorraine Chavis

Hymn of Preparation “I Need Thee Every Hour”

Words of Comfort

Pastor Titus Hill

Committal Rites

Benediction