

Obituary

Bro. James Earl Rudd was born the third child of ten children born to the late Mother Johnnie M. Lewis-Rudd and Jessie James Rudd on March 29, 1942 in Jackson, MS. He was called to his rest on Sunday, August 26, 2012.

He was educated in Jackson Public Schools; graduated from Lanier High School in 1960. He furthered his education at Utica Jr. College (Hinds Community College). James served in the US Army with an honorable discharge due to an injury. Upon his discharge he moved to Las Angles, CA where he lived for some 20 years.

Bro. Rudd accepted Christ as the Lord of his life at an early age at Cade Chapel MB Church. He later united with Faith Temple Church of God in Christ and Spoken Word Ministries Church of God in Christ under the pastorate of his brother, Elder Clyde Rudd. James loved reading and was a devout music lover. Faithful to the ministry, he always testified giving thanks to God. His famous saying was "I thank God, just to thank God", and ended his testimony with a musical selection on the harmonica.

Bro. James Earl Rudd was proceeded in death by his sister Jessie Mae Rudd-Catchings (Carl) of Jackson, MS. He leaves to morn his demise, nine brothers: Clifton Lewis (Margaret) of Richmond, CA; Elder Clyde Rudd (Patsy) of Jackson, MS; Ralph Rudd of Richmond, CA; Lefeldt Rudd and Furthey Rudd (Ollie "Kat") both of Jackson, MS; Elder Calvin Rudd (Barbara) of London, England; Lawrence Rudd of Michigan; Donald Rudd (Beatrice) of Michigan and Dewayne Rudd; and three sisters: Evanugelas Perkins-Fredrick (George) and Johnnie Ruth Rudd of Jackson, MS; Carolyn Rudd-Williams (Arnold) of Detroit, MI; a special sister-in-law, Lucaus Benderson-Rudd of Las Angles, CA, and a host of nephews, nieces, great nieces and nephews, cousins, and friends.

*"The days of our years are threescore years and ten;
and if by reason of strength they be fourscore years,
yet is their strength labor and sorrow; for it is soon cut off, and we fly away."*

Psalms 90:10

The Home Going Celebration Honoring the Life of

James Earl Rudd

Alpha:
March 29, 1942

Omega:
August 26, 2012



Saturday, September 8, 2012
11:00 a.m.

Liberal Trinity Church of God In Christ
725 Hollis Musgrove Blvd.
Jackson, Mississippi

Elder Patrin Rudd, Officiating