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OF THE LATE**

1987



PASTOR OF  
HOPEWELL MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

**Rev. John F.D. Lyles**

**Saturday, December 12, 1987**

**1:00 P.M.**

**Triedstone Baptist Church  
559 Woodlawn Ave.  
Buffalo, New York 14211**

**Reverend J.B. Williamson, Officiating  
Pastor of  
Triedstone Baptist Church**

**ORDER OF SERVICE**

**OBITUARY**

Rev. John F.D. Lyles was born May 4, 1900 in Alabama to the late Mr. & Mrs. John Lyles Sr. He came to Buffalo at a young age from West Palm Beach, Florida. He was united in Holy Matrimony to the late Mollie Patterson. He was a shipper at the Chevrolett plant where he retired. He was a long standing member of the Buffalo Ministers Conference. He also served as treasurer of the West Niagara Association. He organized the Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church in 1956 in his home and remained pastor until his death. He leaves to mourn his home-going three daughters, Mrs. Bessie Lucas, of Voxhall, New Jersey; Mrs. Marguerite Dunford, and Lovetta Anderson of Buffalo, N.Y. Two sons, Kenneth D. King of Buffalo, N.Y., and Lance Cpl. Kenneth M. Lyles stationed in Okinawa, Japan. One adopted daughter, Mrs. Eloise Hunter, of Buffalo, N.Y. Eleven grandchildren and 17 great grandchildren and 3 great great grandchildren. A host of nieces, nephews, relatives and friends.

Behold how good and how pleasant it is  
for brethren to dwell together in unity.

Psalm 133:1

Processional

Selection ..... Choir

Old Testament Scripture ..... Rev. James Loynes  
Ecc. 12-1-7.

New Testament Scripture ..... Rev. John. D. Washington  
John 14-1-7

Prayer ..... Rev. James Smith

Selection ..... Choir ✓

( Cards and Telegrams )

Solo ..... Carol Blackmon

( Resolutions )

( Obituary )

Selection ..... *Sis. Carmel Dietz* Choir  
Precious Lord Take My Hand

Remarks, Three Minutes

Selection ..... Choir

Eulogy ..... Rev. J.B. Williamson

Recessional

**INTERMENT**

Forest Lawn Cemetery

## **ACKNOWLEDGMENT**

The family of the Rev. J.F.D. Lyles wishes to thank everyone who provided their sincere support by their prayers, deeds, words, and flowers during the illness and the death of Rev. Lyles. God bless all of you.

### **PALL BEARERS**

Cornell Adams  
Benjamin Mennefield  
W.P. Davis  
Ray Merritt  
Joe Henderson  
Daniel Edwards

### **HONORARY PALL BEARERS**

Deacon J.C. Brabham  
Deacon C. Hooks  
Deacon L. Rutledge  
Deacon E. Hudson  
Deacon J. Willett  
Deacon S. Barnswell