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A SERVICE IN LOVING MEMORY

-OF-

JAMES ROOSEVELT EVANS

1905 1990

Saturday, November 10, 1990
11:00 a.m.

Lincoln Memorial United Methodist Church
641 Masten Avenue
Buffalo, New York
JAMES ROOSEVELT EVANS, also known as "Pittsburgh" to his friends, departed this life after a lengthy illness, Wednesday, November 7, 1990 at 9:55 a.m. in the Erie County Medical Center.

JAMES was born to Joe and Laura "Curry" Evans on July 23, 1905 in Denmark, South Carolina. He accepted Christ and was baptized at the age of 12. JAMES was the third child born in the family of two sisters and five brothers.

At the age of 16 JAMES moved to Buffalo and began his employment with the New York Central Railroad and retired after 42 years of service on March 14, 1924.

JAMES married Anna York. Eleven children were born of that marriage. Daughter, Jewel, and son, Wallace, are deceased.

Left to mourn are his loving wife of 66 years, Anna; his children: Dolores Collier, Eleanor Alston, Clara Small, James, Jr. (Betti Ann); Irvin (Sara); Willie (Robert); Brenda (Stanley) Moore, Antionette (Robert) Sims and Paula Evans; 31 grandchildren, 36 great grandchildren, 1 great, great grandson, 1 brother, Edward, and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

ORDER of SERVICE

Prelude
Mrs. Joyce Mathis

ORGAN VOLUNTARY

PROCESSION OF THE FAMILY

PRAYER OF HOPE
The Rev. M. Chaney

Holy Scriptures

Solo
Mrs. Lauretta Anderson
"I'd Rather Have Jesus"

Reading of the Obituary
Kedra Burgos

Eulogy
The Rev. Howard Reeves
Second Baptist Church
Lackawana, New York

SERMON
"Even Death Passes into Life"

Solo
Mrs. Anderson
"His Eye is on the Sparrow"

Benediction
The Rev. Chaney

RECESSION OF THE FAMILY

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Services Entrusted to: Thomas T. Edwards
Funeral Home
Buffalo, New York
P O E M

Sunset and evening star, And one clear call for me:
And may there be no moaning of the Bar,
When I put out to sea.

Twilight and evening Bell,
And after that the dark,
And may there be no sadness of farewell
When I embark.

PALLBEARERS

Bobby Robinson Kenneth Melvin
Ross Small Antone Small
Conrad Burgos Lewis Small

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