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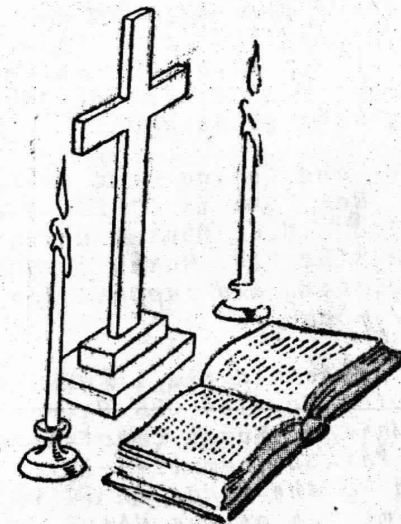
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FUNERAL SERVICE

for

NATHANIEL JOHNSON



WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 3, 1983
7:00 P.M.

BETHEL A.M.E. CHURCH
1525 Michigan Avenue
Buffalo, New York

Rev. Eugene E. McAshan, Pastor

OBITUARY
Nathaniel Johnson

Nathaniel Johnson was born on April 5, 1905. He was the son of the late Henry and Mary W. Johnson of Marion, South Carolina. He was converted in his early teens and attended St. John African Methodist Episcopal Church, Marion, South Carolina. He united in Holy Matrimony with Corine on June 16, 1934, forty-nine years ago.

Nathaniel and Corine came to live in Buffalo, New York in 1952 where he joined Bethel A.M.E. Church under the pastorate of the Rev. Harry J. White, Sr. His loyalty and support for his church was superb.

In 1949 he formed the Lily of the Valley Chapter No. 264 OES Prince Hall Masons in Marion, South Carolina and was the Worthy Patron from 1949-1951. He was awarded by the lodge in 1979. He was also a member of the NAACP.

His retirement was from the Republic Steel where he worked for 15 years.

His testimony was "I have done nothing that I'm ashamed of before God." He leaves to mourn: a wife, Corine; a son, Nathan Evans; a brother, Robert P. Johnson; & a host of neices, nephews & friends.

A precious one for me has gone
a voice I love is stilled

A place is vacant in my heart
which never can be filled.

The Wife, Corine

ORDER OF SERVICE

Prelude

Processional

Congregational Hymn # 393
"My Hope Is Built"

Invocation

Choral Response

Selection The Choir

Obituary

Selection The Choir

Words from the Family

Words from David, the Psalmist

Words from the Gospel

Words from Apostle Paul

Organ Medley

Words from the Pastor

Solo Mr. Henry Nance

The Funeral

Interment

Benediction

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PALL BEARERS

Vernon Taylor	Rudolph Laster
Manning Fogan	Eugene D. Thoma
Raymond Walton	Eugene Pitts

HONORARY PALL BEARERS

Curtis Avery	Jessie Hughes
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Forest Lawn Cemetery

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