



Caleb Grace

January 27, 1935 - August 18, 2020

COLUMBUS — Caleb O. “Jabo” Grace, 85, passed away. Funeral services are at 11 a.m. Saturday, at Brownridge M.B. Church. Burial will follow in Oakland Cemetery. Visitation is from noon-6 p.m. today, at Lee-Sykes Funeral Home Chapel. Lee-Sykes Funeral Home of Columbus is in charge of arrangements. Mr. Grace was born to the late Aaron and Lula Ward Grace. He was a graduate of Lowndes County Schools, Jackson State and Mississippi State University. He was formerly employed as a high school mathematics teacher and a teacher at Meridian Community College. He was a member of Mt. Zion M.B. Church. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his siblings, Ida Mae Grace and George Grace. He is survived by his children, Burndetta Y. Davis, Lougenia Barton, LaRita V. Brengettsy, Trenetta Grace and Jenetta Butler; sister, Ophelia Waites; 13 grandchildren; and 19 great-grandchildren.

Tribute Wall



“ *Caleb Grace*

October 09, 2023 at 04:28 AM



“ *Well, Well, Well. I am Mr. Caleb O. Grace's Baby daughter and I loved and still love my daddy. He was a wonderful man. He had me to come and sing at his church which is where my Great Grandfather started that church. Oh my daddy put on some great programs. He is now deceased but his memory is yet alive. Thru the years I keep on toiling was one of his favorite songs. I give God honor, glory and praise for my daddy as well. Now all I can say is sleep well Mr. Grace and to all who reads this be encouraged.*



Jenetta Grace-Butler - March 10, 2023 at 12:08 PM



“ *I needed a tutor, God sent me Mr. Grace! I will never forget you as long as I live. Thank God for men of your stature, grace, kindness and helpfulness. I will share my memories of you with anyone that is struggling and wanting to give up. Shine on my shining STAR!*

Georgia Dismuke - January 29, 2023 at 01:24 PM

ES

“ *Cousin Caleb, on August 18, 2020 when God called you home. I miss you so much, the almost daily phone calls that we'd make to each other, you telling me about my family (many I never met), your daughters and of course Crawford, Mississippi where it all started. Then when I came to Mississippi to meet you the pleasant smile that I'll always remember. Rest on my brother and THANK YOU FOR WECOMING ME.*



Danny

Elder Danny C Brewster Sr. - August 15, 2021 at 10:07 AM

MG

“ *Grandaddy* ❤️😭💔...

Megan Grace - October 26, 2020 at 10:38 PM

LA

“ *My prayers and condolences go out to the Grace family. My mom, Rosie Anthony (cousin), and Jabo talked all of the time. They all are up there now talking again, mom, Jabo, and his sister Ida Mae. May he rest in peace. Love the Anthony Family.*

Linda Anthony - August 29, 2020 at 10:06 PM

LO

“ *To Jeanette and FAMILY may God continue too STRENGTHEN and BLESS U ALL!! UR FATHER WILL BE MISSED FROM THE BROWN RIDGE CHURCH FAMILY!! FROM LENETRA LISA HINES OUTLAW, SO SORRY FOR U ALL LOSS!!! GOD IS THE BEGINNING AND THE END OF ALL OF OUR LIVES. HE KNOWS US BEST.*

LENETRA OUTLAW - August 25, 2020 at 08:54 PM

JG

Lisa, i think this is you. Well anyway thank you. I do miss my daddy so much. His memory will live on. I am going to try to get down there to the church, to let them know I have not forgotten them. God is a good God. He has helped me so much and he is still helping me. God is all I have now and I have to depend on him. May God continue to bless you and your family as well.

Jenetta Grace-Butler - March 10, 2023 at 12:14 PM

LO

“ *LENETRA OUTLAW sent a virtual gift in memory of Caleb Grace*



LENETRA OUTLAW - August 25, 2020 at 08:43 PM

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“ *LENETRA OUTLAW lit a candle in memory of Caleb Grace*



LENETRA OUTLAW - August 25, 2020 at 08:41 PM

AC

“ *My condolences to the family of Mr. Grace, I was a student of Mr. Grace at Philadelphia High School, Mr. Grace was the smartest math teacher that ever was. He loved teaching math. I will always remember his joke telling and teaching skills.*

Angela Carter - August 23, 2020 at 10:47 PM

BH

“ *Mr Grace was the best Math teacher ever, He truly cares about his students, He used to call me by my last name BAXSTRUM STOP TALKING OR STEP IN THE HALLWAY 😊❤️ REST ON MR. GRACE*

Belinda Baxstrum Harris - August 22, 2020 at 12:52 PM

LL

“ *Best walking partner one could ask for. Of course we couldn't keep up with him but he made us try. Rest in Heavenly Peace Mr. Grace.*

Laverne Greene Leech - August 22, 2020 at 10:19 AM

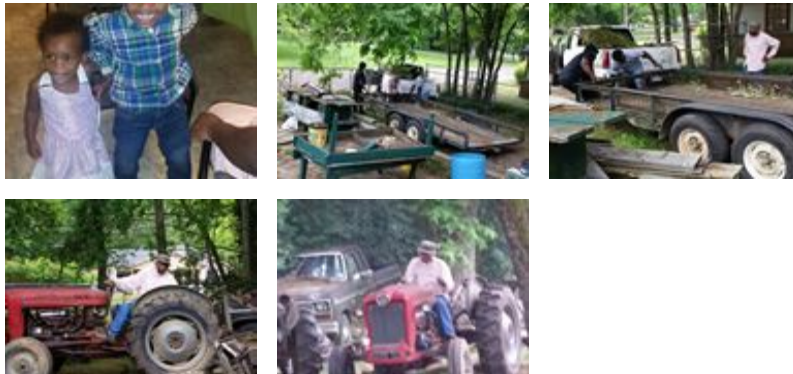
IR

“ *Mr.Caleb was a beautiful person. I remember working with him in the Unity Springs Minister's, Deacons and Layman's Institute. He gave me such encouragement.*

Iris Roberts - August 22, 2020 at 08:16 AM



“ *60 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Lee-Sykes Funeral Home - August 21, 2020 at 10:19 AM