



David Dillard, Jr.
"JUNE PIE"

April 18, 1935



September 29, 2014



We'll Remember You!

Flower Bearers

New Bethel Baptist Church Senior Missionaries

Pall Bearers

New Bethel Baptist Church Deacons, Laymen and Trustees

Honorary Attendants

Mr. Alphonzo Amason

Mr. Fred Chavis

Mr. Barnabus Hart

Olympic Lodge #795

Our Gratitude

*We appreciate your words of comfort,
your acts of kindness
and all of your expressions of love
during these very difficult days...
And when the winter of our sorrow is gone
and the flowers of loving memories spring up,
We will remember you.*

*We also thank Dr. Charles Stinson,
The Palliative Care Unit of Forsyth Medical Center,
Ms. Angela Burton and Mr. Carlos Sawyer for
the professional and compassionate care that they provided.*

The Family of David Dillard, Jr.



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Home-Going Celebration for
Mr. David Dillard, Jr.



*"My flesh and my heart faileth: but God is
the strength of my heart, and my portion forever."*
Psalm 73:26

Thursday, October 2, 2014
12:00 p.m.

NEW BETHEL BAPTIST CHURCH
1016 North Trade Street
Winston-Salem, North Carolina

Reverend Dr. Kendall D. Jones, Sr.
Pastor/Eulogist

OBITUARY

“Those we love don’t go away...
They walk beside us everyday;
Unseen, unheard, but always near,
Still loved, still missed and very dear.”
-Unknown

Mr. David Dillard, Jr., affectionately known as “June Pie,” was the only child born to the late David Dillard, Sr. and Ada Mosely Dillard in Winston-Salem, North Carolina on April 18, 1935.

He attended the public schools of Winston-Salem/Forsyth County and graduated from Atkins High School in 1953.

David married Larn Perry Dillard on July 5, 1958 and their union was blessed with the birth of a baby girl, Debbie. The family settled and made their home in Winston-Salem.

He was employed by RJ Reynolds Tobacco Company and retired following thirty-five years of dedicated service to the company. Following retirement, David became an activity bus driver for the Winston-Salem/Forsyth County School System and was especially fond of his experiences as a driver for the students of Mount Tabor High School.

Mr. Dillard exercised the tenets of his faith in membership and fellowship at New Bethel Baptist Church. He gave faithful service to the New Bethel Baptist Church Mass Choir, Outreach Ministries and Laymen’s League. Declining health eventually eliminated his active participation.

He was a respected member of Olympic Lodge #795, Sethos Temple #170 and King Solomon Consistory #64.

Mr. David Dillard, Jr. peacefully transitioned from this earthly life at 4:25 p.m. on Monday, September 29, 2014 at Forsyth Medical Center in Winston-Salem. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his stepmother, Viola Belton Dillard.

Those family members who survive and who will forever cherish fond memories of a loving and devoted family man include, Larn P. Dillard, his wife of fifty-six years; his daughters, Debbie (Wayne) Thomas and Sharon Simmons; two granddaughters, Airis DaNa`e and Ajada Tsieg`e Thomas; sister-in-law, Ruby Perry of Saint Albans, NY; brother-in-law, Robert (Ophelia) Perry; sister-cousins, Hazel Dillard Black and Elizabeth Dillard Speight; goddaughter, Erica Garvens; god grandchildren, Allen and Arianna; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and many friends.

Musical Prelude

The Processional

Gathering of Family and Friends 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Order of Service

Hymn of Worship and Praise Choir/Congregation
“It Is Well With My Soul”

The Holy Scripture Reverend Dennis Bishop
Pastor, First Waughtown Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, NC
Old Testament Reading - Psalm 23:1-6
New Testament Reading - II Corinthians 5:1-8

Prayer of Comfort Dr. Paul Lowe
Pastor, Shiloh Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, NC

Musical Selection New Bethel Baptist Church Mass Choir

Church Resolution Ms. Ruby Cain

Community Resolution Ms. Lauren Ross

Poetry Reading Ms. Airis D. Thomas

Musical Selection New Bethel Baptist Church Mass Choir

The Eulogy Reverend Dr. Kendall D. Jones, Sr.
Pastor, New Bethel Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, NC

The Recessional

Interment Parklawn Memorial Park
Winston-Salem, NC

Final Rites Olympic Lodge #795



YOU LEFT AT SUNSET

It wasn’t until after you’d parted
That we realized you left at sunset
For the earth and sky were still bathed
In shining rays of rose-gold light

And there was a tangible peace in the air
A sweet and beautiful calm
And we could feel it touch the depth of sadness
That had opened in our hearts

It seemed that the whole earth was reminding us
That the privilege of knowing you
Far outweighed the sadness of goodbye

And as the sun continued its course, beyond our view
We thought of what a fitting tribute it was
That you left at the most glorious moment of the day
When the earth and heavens are transformed into brilliance

Now like the sun moving over the horizon
You’ve moved to a place beyond our sight
But we know you haven’t disappeared
Your spirit’s still shining in heavenly realms

We will miss you more than you will ever know
You were a cherished presence
And we will think of you every day
We’ll honor your loss through sweet memories
Your influence will stay with us forever

And just as we experience a tug and a longing
When the setting sun spreads golden rays throughout the sky

We’ll remember you too with longing... and a smile
Feeling eternally grateful to have known and loved you
BEFORE YOU LEFT AT SUNSET...
AND MOVED FORWARD IN THE DAWN...

-JILCHRISTY DEE (excerpts)