

The Lord is my Shepherd, I shall not want.

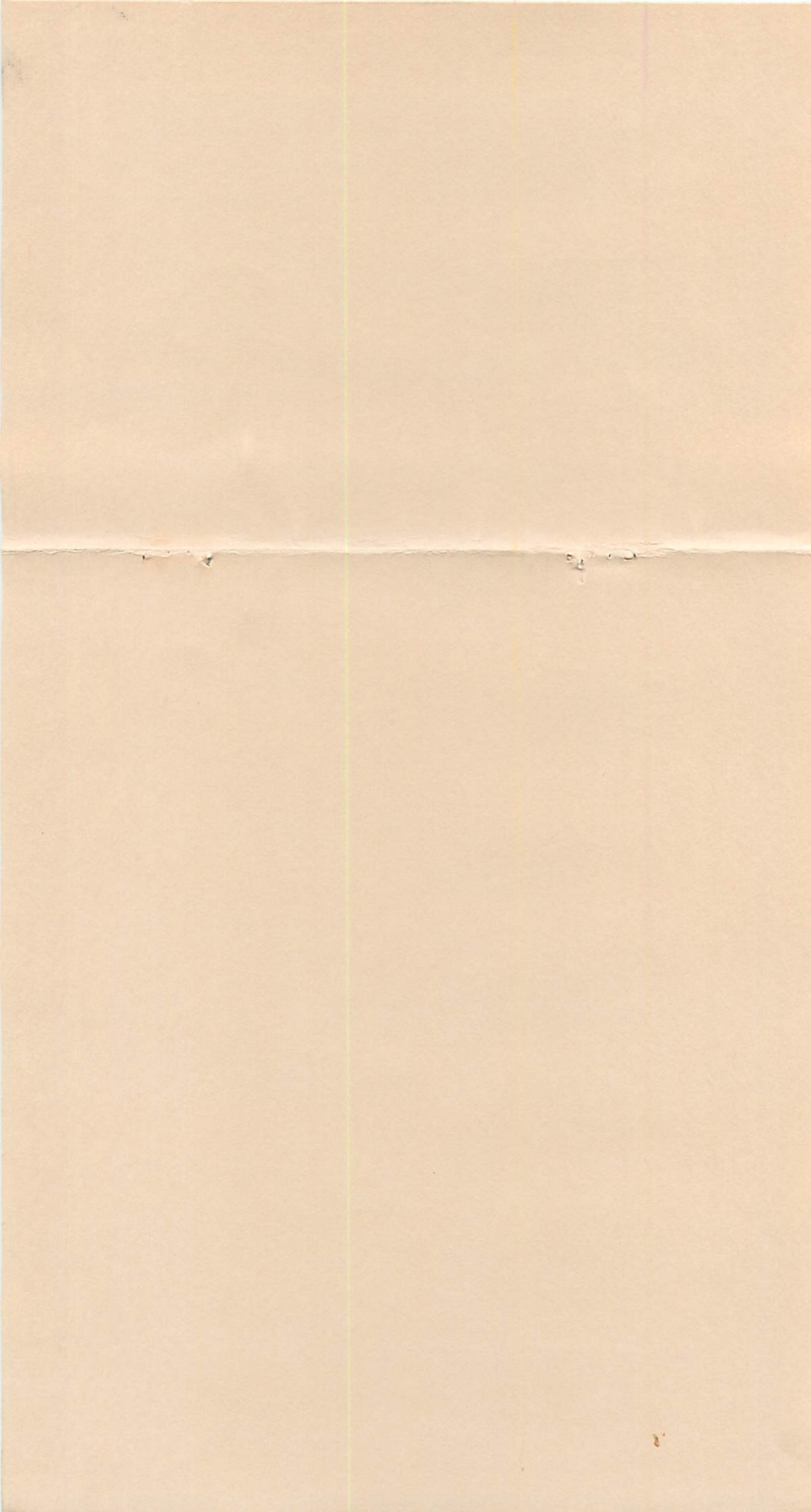
He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside still waters.

He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake.

Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.

Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over.

Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.



ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

*Perhaps you sent a lovely card
or sat quietly in a chair
Perhaps you sent beautiful flowers,
if so, we saw them there.
Perhaps you sent or spoke kind words,
as any friend could say
Perhaps you were not there at all
just thought of us that day.
Perhaps you prepared some tasty food,
or maybe furnished a car
Perhaps you rendered services unseen,
near at hand or from afar.
Perhaps you traveled many miles
or maybe sat for a little while
Whatever you did to console our hearts
we thank you so much whatever the part.*

January 29, 1915 — May 11, 1992

Saturday, May 16, 1992

1:00 P. M.

Douglas Chapel C. M. E. Church
Stanton, Tennessee

REV. PERCY LEE, JR., Officiating

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*Friends came in to comfort,
Brought flowers by the score,
Did many things to comfort,
Till they could do no more.*

*We shall start another
Long and lonesome mile
Thinking of you so often,
Hungry to see you smile.*

*We're trying to carry on
As you would have us do,
Hoping to have you clasp our hands
When our work on earth is through.*

Gladys & Mammie

PALLBEARERS

DR. HARVEY WAYNE BOWLES
JOHN TITUS BOWLES
DARYL BOWLES

DEXTER BOWLES
MAURICE DOUGLAS
CYRUS LOWERY

FLOWER BEARERS

USHERS

INTERMENT

DOUGLAS CHAPEL CEMETERY

*Arrangements
Rawls Funeral Home
Brownsville, Tennessee 38012*

Saturday, May 16, 1992

PROGRAM

The Prelude

The Processional

Song - *"Blessed Assurance"*

Old Testament Scripture

Gloria Patria

New Testament Scripture

Solo Andre Hess

Remarks *(2 Minute Limit)*

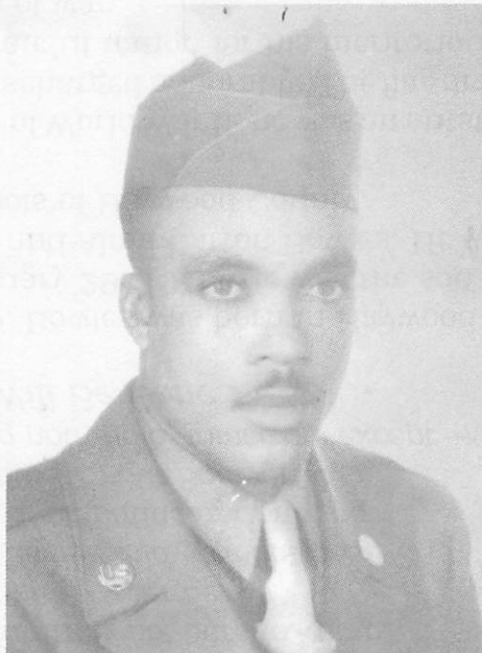
Acknowledgements Hattie Watkins

Solo Mattie Morris

Obituary - *(Read Silently)* Soft Music

The Eulogy Pastor Percy Lee Jr.

Recessional



BRO. A. D. BOWLES

THE OBITUARY

*"The future is not ours to know,
And it may never be,
So let us live and give our best,
Never anticipating or doubting
The power of our Saviour;
Asking nothing of tomorrow except —
Thy Will Be Done."*

Bro. A. D. Bowles was born in Haywood County, Stanton, TN on January 29, 1915. He was the son of the late Charlie Bowles and Alma Catron Bowles. He was educated in the public schools of Haywood County.

A veteran of World War II, he was an outstanding serviceman who was discharged honorably. The flag draping his casket is given by a grateful nation for his meritorious service to his country in time of war.

His memory will be forever cherished by Gladys M. West with whom he was united in marriage on January 10, 1953. They lived happily together until his passing.

Brother Bowles obeyed the gospel at an early age and became a member of Douglas Chapel C. M. E. Church.

His passing Monday night, May 11, 1992 at the Baptist Tipton Memorial Hospital, Covington, TN is a deep and personal loss to his family and relatives and a deep and personal bereavement to his many friends of the Douglas community. In their hearts there will live admiration, affection and respect for him.

In addition to his wife Gladys, he leaves to cherish his passing a son, Willie T. Palmer; a daughter, Mammie Bowles; two sisters, Amanda (Roosevelt) Walker and Betty (Calvin) Douglas of Stanton, TN; five brothers, Carey (Emma) Bowles, Harvey L. Bowles of Stanton, TN, Julius (Lurline) Bowles of Jackson, TN, Rev. Joe A. (Cathy) Bowles of Tacoma, Washington, Arthur D. Bowles of Memphis, TN; four additional sisters-in-law, Ovally Bowles, Shaker Heights, Ohio, Josephine West, Brownsville, TN, Johnnie Coleman, Chicago, IL and Mary Sue Hall, Nashville. Six stepbrothers and sisters. A host of nieces, nephews, cousins and many loved ones that will always remember his thoughtfulness and the wonderful life he lived.