## Acknowledgment

The Family wishes to express their sincere gratitude for the many deeds of kindness shown during their time of sorrow. May God be with you always.

Pallbearers

Grandsons

Interment

Salem Cemetery

## A Service of Memory Celebrating the Life of

JOHNIE THOMAS ELCAN



Monday, March 8, 1992 12:00 p.m.

Salem Missionary Baptist Church Mason, Tennessee

Officiating
Reverend S. H. Mickens, Pastor

## The Obituary

Johnie Thomas Elcan was born July 27, 1904 in Tipton County, Tennessee, to Mr. Leby Elcan and Mrs. Nannie Johnson Elcan.

In April of 1925, he was joined in holy matrimony to Jessie Mae Dyson and unto them were born five children. The family united with the Salem Missionary Baptist Church.

In 1970, he married Hattie Mae Alston.

He leaves to celebrate his homegoing: five children — L. C. Elcan and his wife, Louise, of Chicago, Illinois, John Earl Elcan of Pontiac, Michigan, Dorothy Grant and her husband, James, of Troy, Michigan, Adell Howard of Detroit, Michigan and Willie Elcan and his wife, Unice, of Pontiac, Michigan; one sister, Ida Smith of Stanton, Tennessee; two stepbrothers, Jesse Cannon of Stanton, Tennessee and John Cannon of Memphis, Tennessee; one stepsister, Emma Hall of Buffalo, New York; eighteen grandchildren, eleven great grandchildren; one great great granddaughter; two brothers-in-law, one sister-in-law; three stepdaughters, Irene Palmer of Detroit, Michigan, Susie Brown of Flint, Michigan and Thelma Mitchell of Covington, Tennessee; a very special nephew, Paul Taylor of Detroit, Michigan; several nieces, nephews, cousins, and other supportive relatives and friends.

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The Lord giveth, and the Lord taketh away.

And all power and glory is in his hands.

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It is with this thought that we, the Family, bear this great loss.

## The Order of Service

The Entrance of the Family

Musical Selection
The Scripture Lesson
The Prayer of Consolation
Solo
The Obituary
(soft music)
Solo
The Word of Comfort Reverend S. H. Mickens
The Closing Prayer and Benediction