

*Loving Memories*



*In Loving  
Remembrance  
of  
Alfred Whitley*



*Sunrise*

March 26, 1935  
Indianola, MS

*Sunset*

April 27, 2020  
Jacksonville, FL

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## *Obituary*

**Alfred Whitley** was born in Indianola, Mississippi on March 26, 1935 to Elisha and Mary Ella Whitley. He confessed Christ at an early age and united with Oakland Avenue Missionary Baptist Church. He received his education in the Detroit Public School System and went on to work as a chauffeur for the greater part of his life.

**Alfred** later met and married JoAnne in Detroit, Michigan. No children were born from their union. Alfred departed this life on Monday, April 27, 2020. He was the youngest and last remaining of thirteen siblings. Preceding him in death are his parent, Elisha and Mary Ella Whitley. Brothers, Willie Whitley, Henry Whitley, Elisha Whitley, Abraham Whitley, Robert Whitley, MC Whitley, Sylvester Whitley, McKinley Whitley, and Gilbert Whitley. Sisters, Laura Whitley-Sloan, Rosetta Whitley-Trotter and Thelma Whitley-Brooks.

**Alfred** also leaves to mourn his passing his loving and devoted wife JoAnne Whitley. Six children, Ronald Whitley (Rebecca), Alfred Whitley, Jr. (deceased), Deano Whitley, Tony Whitley, Tonya Whitley, and Alvin Whitley, and a host of other relatives and friends.

## *Poem*

*Don't weep at my grave, for I am not there, I've a date with a butterfly to dance in the air. I'll be singing in the sunshine, wild and free playing tag with the wind while I am waiting for thee.*

## *Acknowledgements*

Perhaps you made a comforting call or sat quietly in a chair on behalf of the family. Perhaps you spoke the kindest of words any friend could say. Perhaps you were not there at all, just thought of us that day. Whatever you did to console our hearts, we thank you so much. Whatever the part, may God bless you.

~ *The Family* ~

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A memorial service will be held in Detroit, Michigan at a later date. Details to follow.