



Reverend John Carl Flowers, Sr.

February 25, 1932 - March 10, 2017

Reverend John Flowers, Sr. the last of six children, attended public school in Summit county. He then furthered his education by attending Kent State University. Shortly, after he began working in the rubber industry as a consultant for General Tire and Rubber Company.

John dedicated his life to the Lord at an early age and became a member of St. Paul Missionary Baptist Church under the leadership of Rev. Yancey. John was called to preach the good news under Pastor Jerry Boler. From there, John was licensed and ordained and served as the Assistant Pastor under Pastor Boler until he moved to Florida. John joined Tabernacle Missionary Baptist Church under the leadership of the late Dr. Wilbert Hawkins.

As John continued serving in the ministry, he was called upon to serve as Pastor of the West Coast Baptist Association Church in Lakeland, FL.

On December 6, 1986, John and Janice were united in Holy Matrimony into this union was born John Jr. and Shanna to unite with their brother Jason.

John attended Jacksonville Theological Seminary where he earned a Bachelor's degree in Theology.

John and Janice founded the Lighthouse Church of Intercession. John

received an Honorary Doctorate from J.D. Price Bible College.

He was proceeded in death by his daughters Deborah and Annie Queen and his son Gary, his sisters Minnie, Lily and Anne and his brothers Isaac and Melvin.

He leaves to cherish many fond memories of his life and legacy: his loving and devoted wife of 30 years Dr. Janice Hawkins Flowers; his daughters- Shanna, Angela and Sandra; his sons- Andre, Jason and John Jr.; god-daughters- ShaRonda, Victoria, Jerica; 27 grandchildren and 30 great-grandchildren, 3 great-great grandchildren; sister-in-law - Mert Flowers, Earlene (William) Cottrell; a host of special nieces, nephews, cousins, friends and church families of both Ohio and Florida.

Cemetery Details

Glendale Cemetery

150 Glendale Avenue
Akron, OH 44302

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 17. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Community Baptist Church
651 Campanella Ave
Orlando, FL 32811

Service

MAR 18. 11:00 PM (ET)

Tangelo Baptist Church
7001 Ravenna Avenue
Orlando, FL 32819

Tribute Wall



“ *Reverend John Carl Flowers, Sr.*

October 22, 2023 at 05:49 PM



“ *I worked with John at Sonitrol/Advantor back in 1991-1994 and he was a wonderful inspiration to many of us. He made me laugh and was a great person and spirit.*

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“ *Janice and family my prayers are with you.*

Mrs. Maxwell



Mary Maxwell - March 14, 2017 at 08:38 PM