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taught me everything I know except how to live without him

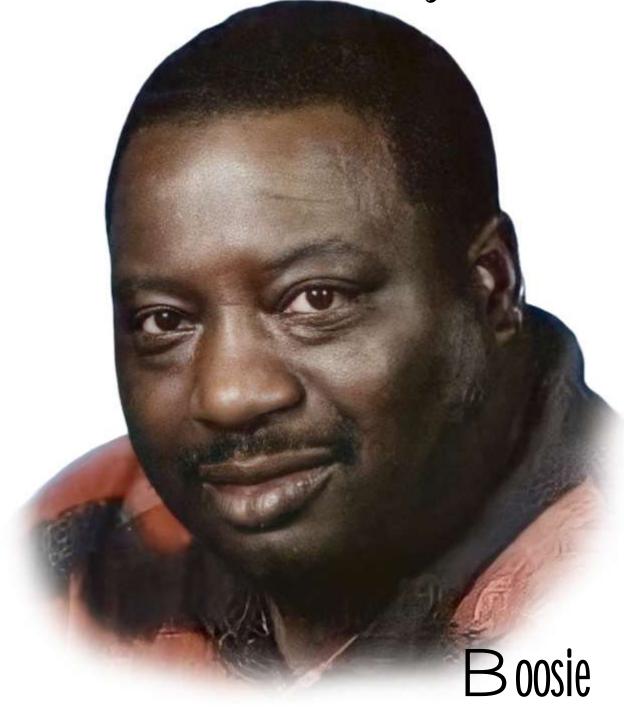
With Our Heartfelt Thanks

We through patience and comfort of the scriptures might have hope, (Romans 15) God has given us our church family, neighbors and dear friends, to help us as we go forward. God's Word has been manifested through your many expressions of sympathy and support; we praise God from whom all blessings flow. Thank you for honoring the memory of our beloved "Boosie" and for remembering us during his passing. In our risen Lord, we have peace that passes all understanding. The Family



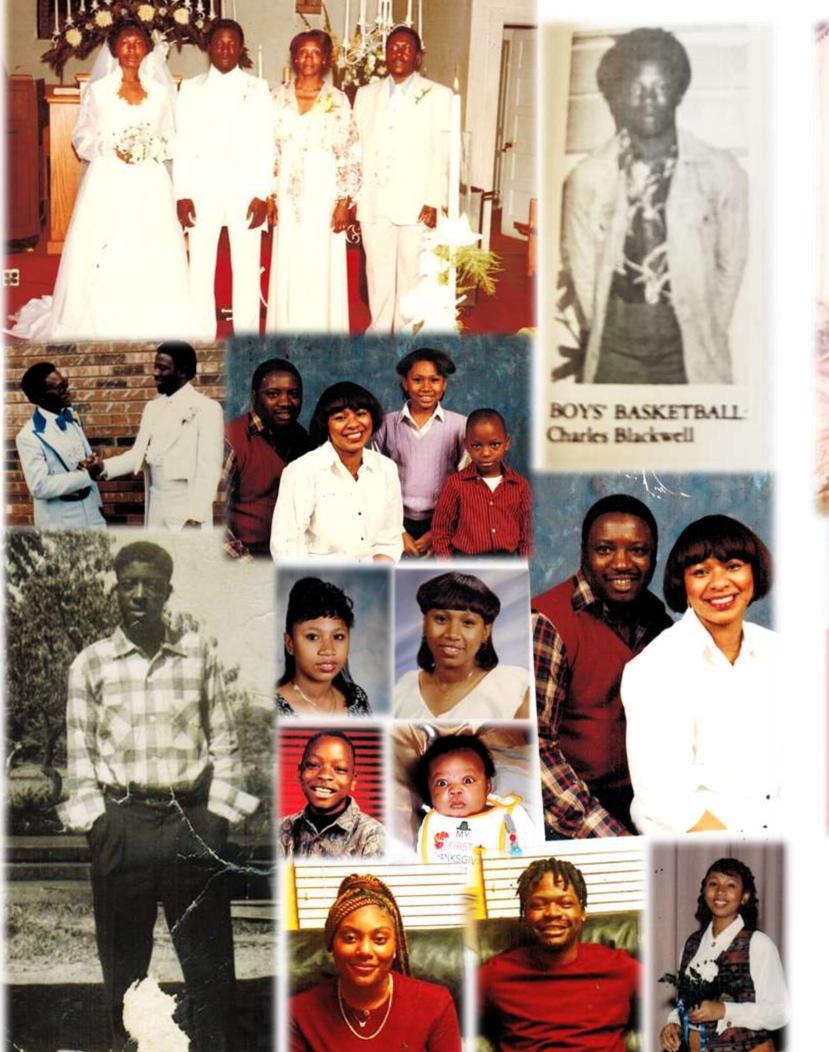
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A Celebration of Life
Remembering



MR. CHARLES WILLIAM BLACKWELL, SR. FEBRUARY 13, 1957 — JANUARY 13, 2022









The Family Tribute

Come, ye disconsolate, wherever ye languish, Come to the mercy seat, fervently kneel. Here bring your wounded hearts, here tell your anguish; Earth has no sorrow that heav'n cannot heal.



Mr. Charles William Blackwell, Sr., son of Mrs. Brenda Blackwell Nixon and the late Phillip Darty, was born in Iredell County on February 13, 1957. He departed this life on Thursday, January 13, 2022, at Iredell Memorial Hospital, unexpectedly. He was raised by his step-father, Joseph E. Nixon, who preceded him in death.

"Boosie", as he was affectionately called, was a graduate of Statesville High School and attended Elon College. At an early age became a member of Bethel Congregational United Church of Christ. He was once married to Sonia McGee Blackwell.

In addition to his father, he was also preceded in death by his grandmother Francis Blackwell, his grandfather, Junius William "Jake" Taylor, his granddaughter, Amari Wilson, his uncle, Donald Blackwell, his aunts, Shirley Blackwell and Robin Blackwell and a nephew, Cadet Blackwell.

In addition to his mother, Mrs. Brenda Blackwell Nixon, he leaves to cherish the memory of his life, his children: Charles (Joe) Blackwell, Jr. and Amanda Wilson, both of Statesville; his step-daughter: LaToya McGee of Raleigh; his brothers, Danny Blackwell of Miami, FL and Markus (Natasha) Nixon of Statesville; his sisters: Janice "Boo" Daniels of Statesville, Alfreda Dunlap of Greensboro, and Angie Caldwell Ray of Wilmington, Delaware; his grandchildren, Malik Blackwell, Daniel Miller, Jr., Savonnah Camp, Alivia Caldwell, and Amarion Blackwell; his aunts: Phyllis (Joe) Johnson

and Deborah Blackwell, both of Statesville, NC; his uncles: Robert Blackwell of Kings, NC and Todd Blackwell of Winston-Salem, NC; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives, neighbors and friends.



The call was sudden,
The shock severe
We little thought the time was near
Those who have lost can only tell
The pain of parting, without farewell.

Homegoing Service for

Mr. Charles William "Boosie" Blackwell, Sr.

Saturday, January 22, 2022
The Mary B. Bigham Memorial Chapel
Rutledge and Bigham Funeral Home
Statesville, North Carolina
Reverend James E. Williams, Officiating

The Moments of Sharing

1:30 p.m. until 2:30 p.m.

The Processional Friends are welcome to visit with family

The Selection

The Order of Service

2:30 p.m.

The Scripture Meditation:	
Old Testament	
New Testament	
The Prayer of Comfort	
The Selection	
The Remarks (Limit two minute	es please)
♥ Mr. Keith Keaton	
The Acknowledgements and Th	ne Commemorative PresentationThe Funeral Director
The Selection	Praise Singers
	Bethel Congregational United Church of Christ, Statesville, N. C
The Eulogy	
	Bethel Congregational United Church of Christ, Statesville, N. C.
The Recessional Selection	Praise Singers

Please remain prayerful as we travel to the final resting place.

At The Belmont Cemetery

Statesville, North Carolina

The Gathering of the Christian Community
The Ritual of Consignment
The Prayer of Benediction
The Final Departure