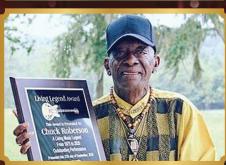
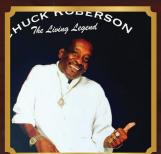
## Precious Memories





















Family and Friends

Due to COVID-19 and the Family's concerns for their welfare and yours, there will be NO Repast.

#### The Family's Message of Gratitude

Friends are those who never seem too busy to lend an ear, do a thoughtful deed or speak the words of caring that you need. In time of need, special friends are always there in mind, spirit, and most of all, close in heart. We, the family of

Charles "Chuck" Roberson thank God for family and friends like you. Your prayers, memorial gifts, flowers, telephone calls, services rendered, and words of comfort will be cherished by us always.

May God bless you and yours abundantly.

### Professional Services Entrusted To



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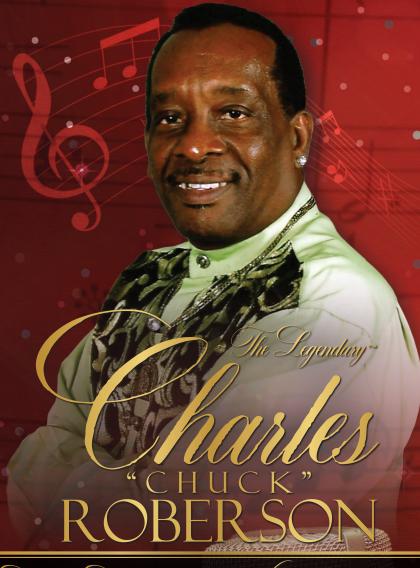
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Your Life Was A Blessing, Your Memory A Treasure

We would like to take this opportunity to express our gratitude for the trust you have placed upon us during the Homegoing Services of your loved one. Our fondest hope is that all measures of assistance rendered your family have been completed in detail. For all your confidence placed in our staff and me, we will be forever grateful.

### A CELEBRATION OF LIFE



February 14, 1949

November 8, 2023

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2023 ELEVEN O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING

#### **LAWNSIDE**

Oakridge No.1 Cemetery 394 NW Meeting Avenue Madison, Florida 32340

Reverend Sylvester Robinson, Eulogist Pastor, Magnolia Church of God, Madison, Florida

J.P. Moore Undertaking Company, Directing

# Charles Chuck Roberson

"To God Be the Glory, for the Things He has Done"

Charles Roberson was born in Augusta, Georgia on February 14, 1949. His proud parents, Allen Roberson, Sr. and Rosa Lee Grant Alexander, knew that God had a special plan for his life. The family lived in the area during his youth but relocated to Madison years later. Charles, better known as Chuck, was the name that brought him global acclaim in the entertainment industry.

Loved ones who preceded *Chuck* in death were his parents: Allen Roberson, Sr., Rosa Grant Alexander, and his bonus father: Daniel Alexander; his son: Michael Roberson; six sisters; and nine brothers.

Charles' parents and his Village instilled in him during his youth that if he wanted to do anything meaningful in life, he first had to have a relationship with God. He, therefore, made that his priority and accepted Christ as his resurrected Redeemer. He began his work for the Lord by singing praises to Him in the church choir.

Chuck's educational experience at Madison County Training School (MCTS), the school for Black scholars in the community, helped propel him to greatness. His academic teachers taught him to think critically and to problem solve, but he also discovered his musical interests in the MCTS Tiger Band led by W.T. Grant, band director. Mr. Grant inspired his students to have a sense of pride in their presentation and gave them self-assurance in knowing that hard work produces great rewards. As a result, the students displayed confidence with their crowd-pleasing performances which can be compared to that of "The Marching 100". Together with his Village of community encouragers, he graduated in the Class of 1967, with the courage to step out on faith in his chosen career path.

With both band and church choir experiences, Chuck and a few others recognized that with their combined talents, they could be entertainment for special events in the surrounding area. Chuck's prayers were answered after a performance when he was discovered by promoter, Jesse Boone who convinced Chuck that he could make it happen for him.... and the rest is history .... Chuck Roberson's history.

Chuck Roberson's soulful singing style was greatly influenced by "Oldie Goldie" greats, such as Bobby Bland, Little Milton, Tyrone

Davis, O.V. Wright, but most like that of Isaac Hayes. His career spanned more than 40 years, with some years being more lucrative than others. However, towards the end of his career, his album sales soared, and he performed on tours around the world. While his success did not occur overnight, he kept the faith, and stayed the course. God used these setbacks as a setup for something greater. Accordingly, he amassed countless awards, honors, and memorabilia to chronicle his journey, but God got the glory for what He allowed *Chuck* to do.

Chuck loved his family and was a loving and supportive father. He spoke with godly wisdom and wise counsel. While he was calm and quiet-natured, he was also a disciplinarian who utilized tough love if and whenever it was needed, and it always yielded great results. Most of all, Chuck was selfless in giving and did so freely.

Regardless of all of *Chuck Roberson's* successes he achieved through the years, he never lost sight of his humble beginnings – living in a small rural community during the pre-Civil Rights Era when all doors seemed to have been closed, God opened windows of opportunities for him. Most importantly, he did not forget that it was God who made it all possible. *Chuck* relocated to Madison during his retirement.

The song has ended, but the melody lingers on. God chose Wednesday, November 8, 2023, as the day for *Charles "Chuck" Roberson* to depart this earthly life and transition to his eternal home. He is now singing with the angels in his new home.

Another leaf has fallen from the Roberson family tree. Someone so special can never be forgotten. Sharing joys and sorrows are loved ones who will miss *Charles "Chuck" Roberson* until they meet again are his wife: Dorothy Collins Roberson of Madison, FL; son: Rev. Broderic (Janece) Roberson of Tallahassee, FL, daughter: Vanessa (Timothy) Williams of Madison, FL, special friend: Brenda Stubbs of Tuskegee AL; sisters: Alice (Calvin) Favors of New Port Richie, FL and Barbara Epkins of Madison, FL; grandchildren: Laquell (Tobias Barrett) Williams, Laquinta (Felicia) Williams, Timothy Bellamy, Jr., Kayosha Roberson, Imani Roberson, Jamila Roberson, Terrika Denson, and Alea Roberson; 13 great-grandchildren; as well as countless other sorrowing relatives, loving friends, and caring co-workers in the music industry.

## The Divine Order of Gervice

Prelude

ProcessionalPas	stor, Clergy, Officers, Mortician & Family
Seating of the Family	The J.P. Moore Staff
The Prayer of Consolatio	onReverend Sylvester Robinson
Solo"1	Precious Lord"
Words of Comfort	Reverend Sylvester Robinson
Se	rvice of Committal

#### Crossing the Bar

Sunset and evening star,
And one clear call for me!
And may there be no moaning of the bar,
When I put out to sea,

But such a tide as moving seems asleep,
Too full for sound and foam,
When that which drew from out the boundless deep
Turns again home.

Twilight and evening bell,
And after that the dark!
And may there be no sadness of farewell,
When I embark;

For tho' from out our bourne of Time and Place
The flood may bear me far,
I hope to see my Pilot face to face
When I have crost the bar.