

Honorary Pallbearers

Antwon Wright
Devon Bryant
Jakarbi Pemberton

Kevin Hughes
Robbie Copper, Jr.
Mekhi Marshall

Active Floral Bearers

Family & Friends

Earthly Bed of Slumber

Tuesday, February 3, 2026 | 12:00 PM
South Sumter Evergreen Cemetery
State Route 471
Bushnell, Florida 33513

Repast

Immediately following Homegoing Celebration,
the Family would be honored to have you join them for a Repast in
the Fellowship Hall of St. James AME Church * Quincy, Florida.

The Family's Message of Gratitude

The Family of *Brother Bobby Joe Clemons, Sr.*, our beloved "Snapper",
would like to express our deepest appreciation and heart-felt gratitude to
all who have offered their prayers, support, and comforting words during
our time of bereavement. Thank you for your love and kindness, along
with the strength of God, for they have all helped to sustain us through
our sorrow. May God continue to bless each of you is our prayer.

We take comfort in 1 Corinthians 2:9

"Eye has not seen, nor ear heard, nor have entered into the heart of man,
the things which God has prepared for those who love Him."

~ The Clemons Family



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



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Your Life Was A Blessing, Your Memory A Treasure



Celebrating the Life, Love, & Legacy

The song has
ended on earth,
but the praise
continues in
Heaven.

Bobby Joe Clemons, Sr.

First Note

September 18, 1944

Final Rest

January 19, 2026

Celebrating His Life
Saturday, January 31, 2026 | 12:00 PM

Saint James African Methodist Episcopal Church
514 South 11th Street | Quincy, Florida 32351

The Right Reverend Marvin C. Zanders, II
Presiding Prelate, 11th Episcopal District, AME Church
The Reverend Dr. Tan C. Moss, Eulogist
Presiding Elder, Marianna District, 11th Episcopal District
The Reverend Jessica Ford, Gracious Host | Officiant
J.P. Moore Undertaking Company, Directing

Bobby Joe Clemons, Sr. "Snapper"

September 18, 1944 - January 19, 2026

"The Steps of a Good Man Are Ordered By the Lord"
~Psalm 37:23

Bobby Joe Clemons, Sr., affectionately known as, "Snapper," was born on September 18, 1944, in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, to Cleave Clemons and Jewel McLaughlin Aires. He was subsequently raised with loving care and devotion of his grandparents, Edward "Rim" and Estella McLaughlin.

Bobby obtained his formal education through the Sumpter County School System where he developed a strong work ethic and a determination to excel. This academic foundation contributed to his successful career as a project manager and linesman, the profession he maintained until his retirement.

A man of deep faith and musical passion, *Bobby* faithfully served as an Exhorter and the First Gentleman in the African Methodist Episcopal Church. His saxophone was his constant companion for his music ministry of praise, and he passionately played as an expression of his devotion to God. He not only looked forward to sharing his musical gift wherever he worshipped, but he also played joyfully at family events.

Bobby was a devoted husband and a loving son-in-law. Known for his generosity, he lovingly treated everyone he encountered with kindness and respect. To know him was to love him.

On Monday, January 19, 2026, *Bobby Joe Clemons, Sr.* quietly and peacefully transitioned from this earthly life to live eternally with the Lord. "If you miss me from playing down here, come on up to bright Glory, I'll be playing up there."

While *Bobby Joe Clemons, Sr.*'s saxophone playing has ceased, his melody lingers on. His legacy of love and fulfillment of life shall continue through his family, friends, and countless lives he impacted. Loved ones who will honor and cherish his precious memory are his loving wife: the Rev. Dr. Nikki Henry-Clemons; daughter: Cassandra (Calvin) Forehand; sons: Bobby J. Clemons, Jr. and Bokyshtyn Clemons; bonus sons: Terrez Graham, Sr., RonTerrius Cooper, and Robbie Cooper, Jr.; grandchildren: Fasha Porter, Desuanda Clemons, Alexis Clemons, Bryan Clemons, Anyiah Clemons, and Bryson Rich; bonus grandchildren: Terijah Graham and Terrez Graham, Jr.; great-grandchildren: Jalia Laundry, Ariane Shorter, and Trinitee Shorter; sister: Rhonda (Clarence) Robinson Ryan; brothers: William B. (Gloria) Robinson and Reginald K. Robinson; sisters-in-love: Stephanie, Donna, Melonie, and NayTasha Henry; brothers-in-love: Myron (Constance) and Andre Henry; aunt: Ruth Brown; along with a host of sorrowing nieces, nephews, cousins, and many other sorrowing friends.

Preceding *Bobby Joe Clemons, Sr.* in death were his parents: Cleave Clemons and Jewel McLaughlin Aires; grandparents, Edward "Rim" and Estella McLaughlin, sister: Pamela D. Aires, and mother-in-love: Avonnette R. Henry.



Memories

Precious



The Divine Order of Service

The Prelude The *J.P. Moore* Gospel Chorale & Band

The Processional Eulogist, Clergy, Mortician & Family

The Parting Glance & Seating of the Family The *J.P. Moore* Staff

Sealing of the Bier
"You Are My Strength"

The Opening Hymn of Celebration..... The *J.P. Moore* Gospel Chorale
"Hold to God's Unchanging Hand"

The Prayer of Consolation Reverend Dr. Nekeshia Harris
The Chorale Response - *"I'm Free"*

THE HOLY SCRIPTURE READINGS

Old Testament (*Psalms 150*) | Reverend Matthew Bryant, II

New Testament (*1 Thessalonians 4:13-18*) | Reverend Kevin Robinson, Sr.

Selection..... The *J.P. Moore* Gospel Chorale
"I Love To Praise Him" Medley

The Words of Encouragement Reverend Jessica Ford

Acknowledgements & Resolutions The *J.P. Moore* Staff

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Words of Comfort Presiding Elder Dr. Tan C. Moss

Mortician's Brief..... Mr. Jamarien "J.P." Moore, LFD

Recessional..... Clergy & Family

*"Weep if you must; Jesus wept. But weep not as those who
have no hope, for in Christ Jesus, there is hope and eternal life."*
1 Thessalonians 4:13-14

Tributes From...

Grandchildren's Tribute



*The music has stopped, but the melody stays,
Echoing softly through all of our days.
We'll miss the sound of the saxophone blowing,
And the warmth of the love you were always showing.
You were the one who spoiled us the best,
Giving us everything, ignoring the rest.
With a smile and a hug, you'd light up the room,
Chasing away any shadows or gloom.
You taught us faith and you taught us to give,
Showing us clearly the best way to live.
Though our hearts are heavy and tears may fall,
We thank the Lord we had the best Granddad of all.
So play on in Heaven, let your horn fill the sky,
We love you forever, this isn't goodbye.
Watch over us closely from the stars up above,
Our PaPa, our hero, our legacy of love.*

With Love,

*Fasha, Desuanda, Alexis, Bryan, Anyiah, Bryson,
Terijah, Terrez Jr., Jalia, Ariane, and Trinitee*



Forever in My Heart

*You fought a fight so brave and strong,
Through valley lows and nights so long.
I held your hand, we walked the mile,
I'll miss your touch, I'll miss your smile.
We prayed to bring you safely home,
And though you've gone to heaven's throne,
I find my peace in knowing this:
You're resting now in eternal bliss.
No more pain and no more fear,
I'll carry you always, held so dear.
My partner, my love, my heart's delight,
Sleep well, my love, within God's light.
Though we are now a world apart,
You live forever in my heart.*

*Scripture: "I have fought the good fight,
I have finished the race, I have kept the faith.
Now there is in store for me the crown of righteousness,
which the Lord, the righteous Judge,
will award to me on that day."*

-2 Timothy 4:7-8

*With Eternal Love,
Your Wife, Rev. Dr. Nikki Henry-Clemons*



...the Family