



Rev. John McCoy, Jr.

November 5, 1929 - December 7, 2009

Rev. John Andrew McCoy, Jr., 80, of Franklin Springs, Georgia formerly of Greenwood, husband of Rallie Davis McCoy, entered into rest on Monday, December 7, 2009 at Athens Regional Medical Center in Athens, Georgia.

Born November 5, 1929, in Greenwood, South Carolina, he was the son of the late John Andrew, Sr. and Ruth Gregory McCoy. A US Army Veteran, Rev. McCoy served during the Korean War. He was a graduate of Holmes Bible College in Greenville, South Carolina and was an ordained minister in the International Pentecostal Holiness Church for over 50 years. During that time, he pastored several churches in the Upper South Carolina and Georgia IPHC Conferences. He was retired from Emmanuel College in Franklin Springs, Georgia where he has made his home for the last 23 years.

He is preceded in death by brothers Willie M., Lawrence G., Jack E., and Bobby L. McCoy.

Surviving in addition to his wife of 55 years of the home is a sister, Gwendolyn McCoy of Greenwood; two daughters, Susan M. Carlson (Rick) of Spokane, Washington and Janet G. McCoy (David W. McCoy) of Conyers, Georgia; and one son, David Andrew McCoy (Kendra) of Cleveland, Georgia. He also leaves thirteen loving grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be conducted Friday at 3:00 PM from the Blyth Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Dr. David Hopkins, Rev. Doug Conwell, Bishop Bill Jones and Rev. Harrison Lampley officiating. Interment will follow at Oakbrook Memorial Park.

Pallbearers will be grandsons.

Honorary escort will be the men of Franklin Springs Pentecostal Holiness Church and members of David's Home Church.

The family will receive friends Friday from 1:00 PM until the service hour at the funeral home.

Those desiring may make memorials to Holmes Bible College, P.O. Box 14188, Greenville, South Carolina 29610.

Blyth Funeral Home and Cremation Services is assisting the McCoy family.