



John R. Lesesne

August 25, 1925 - March 4, 2005

John Richard Lesesne was born August 25, 1925 in Sumter County, South Carolina, the son of the late James and Eloise Lesesne and the third of eight children. As a child he was affectionately nicknamed "Noodle" and was widely known by this name. In March 4, 2005, the Angel of Silence came to seal the lips of John and his soul winged its flight from this world of sin, sorrow, and pain to a place of eternal peace. John accepted Christ into his life at an early age. He often reminisced about his early Christian experience at Congruity Presbyterian Church in Sumter, South Carolina. He attended school in South Carolina and graduated from Goodwill High School. In 1946, John joined the United States Army where he was promoted to the rank of Sergeant. During his time in the military he was stationed in various cities and countries such as North Carolina, Georgia, Maryland and Germany. He also served his country as a wartime veteran in both the Vietnam and Korean wars. He was honorably discharged from the U.S. Army on March 25, 1959. After leaving the military, he settled in Fort Lauderdale, Florida and worked a number of years for the Hearst Car Company from which he retired. After retiring from the Hearst Car Company he returned to Sumter, South Carolina, the home of his childhood youth, where he resided until September, 2003 when he was diagnosed with Parkinson's Disease. He then relocated to Baltimore, Maryland to reside with his sister, where he departed this life. There are some lives that disappoint us, some impressions of character which we have to revise in later years, but the impression that was formed of John when you first met him remained

unchanged to the end of his life. He was a good man, kind, true, helpful, respected and loved by all who knew him. Now this laborious, devoted, trusted, and faithful man has finished his course, after being in this world 79 years. He suffered only a short time when he was stricken with Parkinson's Disease and later colon cancer and when all was over, a great voice from the skies welcomed him home. John leaves to cherish his memory: one brother, Joseph Lesesne of Sumter, South Carolina; three sisters, Pearl Washington of Jamaica, New York, Jannie "Corrine" Richardson of Baltimore, Maryland, and Mary "Tricia" Lesesne of Fort Lauderdale, Florida; and a host of other relatives and friends. He will be greatly missed by his family and friends.

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“ *John R. Lesesne*

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“ *My deepest sympathy during your time of sorrow but know that the God of comfort is with you all during this time of tribulation. (2Corinthian 1:3-4) Due to the many unforeseen occurrences that brings tragedy to our lives Jehovah God promises one day soon Death will be no more (Rev 21:3-4) and his son have been given the authority to bring all those in the memorial tombs back to life. John 5:28-29 Just think there will come a time not only will death be no more but Jehovah promises that no one will have to say I'm sick according to Isaiah 33:24. I feel the need to express these words of hope because so many of us today treasure the gift of life and we do all we can to maintain it to hold on to it. That is why it hurts so badly when our loved ones die. With so many of us desiring life today no matter how good or bad it is we still want life here on earth. No one looks forward to that time of death. That is why I am under obligation by the spirit and love of God to share that hope that is in our near future that the righteous shall inherit the earth and reside upon it forever according to Psalms 37: 29 along with the above stated promises on a paradise and peaceful earth. We all can hold true to this everlasting promise because Isaiah states all the words Jehovah have spoken WILL NOT RETURN WITHOUT RESULTS. What a wonderful prospect for our future especially enlight of the fact that Hebrews 6:18 States of God, it is IMPOSSIBLE for him to lie.##imported-begin##Carter##imported-end##*

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“ Hello Family & Friends, I am so sorry to hear of your loss and I am offering my condolences. The scriptures can be of great comfort to us all. I am reminded of the scripture at Revelation 21:3,4 where Almighty God, Jehovah says that he is going to wipe the tears from our eyes and death will be no more neither will mourning nor crying nor pain be any more. The Bible also promises that we will be able to see our dead loved ones again by means of a resurrection. (John 5:28,29) It is my hope that you will be comforted by these scriptures.##imported-begin##Sophia##imported-end##

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“ God bless in your time of sorrow. Our prayers are with you and your family at this time. Willie and Odell Kingwood##imported-begin##Vivian Kingwood##imported-end##

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“ Our thoughts and prayers go out to you and your family in your time of loss. Elder Robert and Bascom James -Congruity Presby. Church, Sumter, S.C.##imported-begin##Elder Robert and Bascom James##imported-end##

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“ Sorry to hear of your lost. You have my deepest sympathy during this your time of sorrow. Former church member Congruity Presby. of Sumter, S.C.##imported-begin##Audrey James##imported-end##

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“ *My sympathy and thoughts are with you at this time.##imported-begin##Alyce Marshall##imported-end##*

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“ *We express our deep sorrow on the passing of John. Our thoughts and sympathy are with you at this very sad time.##imported-begin##Mr. & Mrs. Timothy W. McCray##imported-end##*

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