



Roy Eugene Davis, Sr.

December 11, 1926 - February 24, 2018

Reflections of a Life

"Well Done Good and Faithful Servant"

Superintendent Roy E. Davis, Sr., was born December 11, 1926, in Okmulgee, Oklahoma to Dorthula Dance and Martin Davis. He grew up in Haskell, Ok. with his two sisters: Wilma (who preceded him in death) and Judy. His mother passed away at an early age so he was raised by his grandmother. She would make sure that the children went to Sunday School and would have Sunday School in the home if they were unable to make it to church. She would also be sure that they said their prayers each night and would read Bible stories to them on Sundays.

At the age of 12 he began working for a local farmer making \$.50cents a day chopping cotton and corn. At age 18 he moved to Tulsa where he began working at Borden's Caf^e. At age 21 he was invited by a co-worker to the Assembly of God church where he got saved. Although it was a Caucasian church and he was asked to sit in the back, he did not allow this to deter him from receiving Christ. However, he did not return to this church again.

After receiving Christ he began attending Lansing Street Church of God in Christ. While going there, he was drafted into the Army. In 1952 he was honorably discharged from the Army and returned to Tulsa where he began working at the Chili Bowl. He worked at the Chili Bowl until he was called into full-time ministry.

In 1955 he married Thelma Conley who preceded him in death. To this union

was born three sons: Roy, Jr (who also preceded him in death), Mark, and William (Bill). They raised their children to love God and to work in ministry. In November of 1959 Davis began pastoring at the Pentecostal Holiness Church. This pastorate lasted a year. In 1961, with the help of Mother Bessie Mae Barnes, Mother Rosa Shambley, and wife Sis. Thelma Davis, he began the Eastside Church of God in Christ whose name was later changed to Pentecostal Temple C.O.G.I.C. Under his leadership Pentecostal Temple grew and became known for Sunday night services that were so Spirit-filled that they would attract congregants from all over. Many souls were saved and lives changed as a result of his teaching and ministry.

He pastored Pentecostal Temple for 57 years. During his pastorate he was elevated to Superintendent of the Pentecostal District where he served for many years. He also worked at the state level as First Administrative Assistant to Bishop Malcolm Coby and Chairman of the Superintendent's Council.

For several years Supt. and Sis. Thelma Davis provided transportation for thousands of passengers to state and national church events on their church buses; including the International Women's Convention, National AIM Convention and the International Holy Convocation of the Church of God in Christ. He also provided charter services to other groups and travelers.

Supt Davis was a man of faith and preached "Holiness or Hell." His main focus was for saints to live right and for sinners to be saved. He would often testify of being healed from diabetes "no shots, no pills, no diet meals," and healed of athletes' foot "no Absorbine Jr., no Dr. Scholl's, no Desenex; just blessed oil and prayer."

In September of 2013 he married Patricia McNeil. She was by his side until he departed this life. On February 24, 2018, Supt. Davis made his transition to his eternal home in Glory.

He leaves to cherish his memory his wife, Patricia Ann of the home; two sons, Mark Allen (Laura) and William (Velisa); seven step children; one sister, Judy Boykin of Grand View, MO; and a host of grand-children, great grand-children, relatives and friends. Supt Davis was a kind and gentle man, "slow to speak

and slow to anger" (James 1:19). He was loved by many and will be greatly missed by all who knew him.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 2. 6:00 PM (CT)

Pentecostal Temple Church of God
2438 E 29th St N
Tulsa, OK 74110-1825
(918) 425-9232

Service

MAR 3. 11:00 AM (CT)

Lifeline Outreach Ministries
2708 N Cincinnati Ave
Tulsa, OK 74106-2352
(918) 583-5909

Tribute Wall

WG

“ *Word of Life C.O.G.I.C. (Pastor & Lady Graham) purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Roy Eugene Davis, Sr..*

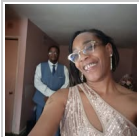


Word of Life C.O.G.I.C. (Pastor & Lady Graham) - March 01, 2018 at 02:21 PM

BO

“ *Pastor Davis truly was a man of God..he led by example..I have many fun memories of trips in the big bus..Yes..a wonderful..man of God*

Brenda Osman - March 01, 2018 at 01:41 PM



“ *Esther Clark lit a candle in memory of Roy Eugene Davis, Sr.*



Esther Clark - March 01, 2018 at 01:09 PM

RT

“ *Ronald Toles lit a candle in memory of Roy Eugene Davis, Sr.*



Ronald Toles - March 01, 2018 at 12:33 PM

KI

“ *Pastor Davis has been my pastor for the last 13 1/2 years , but I was a lap baby the first time I attended his church. He was a great example of being Christ like , he was humble , kind and soft spoken but knew how to get his point across, he will be truly missed by me and my family. I love you family and may God comfort you at this time, just hold to Gods unchanging hand.* ”



Kit - March 01, 2018 at 04:05 AM



“ *We The House Of Opportunity would like to extend our deepest sympathy on the loss of your father he was a great man of God and we enjoyed worshipping together he will be sincerely missed.* ”



Davidjaniace Tottress - February 28, 2018 at 11:36 PM



“ *Deshawna Martin Horn lit a candle in memory of Roy Eugene Davis, Sr.* ”



Deshawna Martin Horn - February 28, 2018 at 10:19 PM

OL

“ *Pastor Davis was a great man of God, I highly respected him and saw him as a giant in the church. He was simple and modest and never changed in all the years I’ve known him. My fondest memory will be his firm handshakes and how he always said you’re looking good! Will forever love you Supt Davis sincerely, OKSE*
Jurisdictional Chairlady Theresa Lawrence

Okse Chairlady Theresa Lawrence - February 28, 2018 at 05:20 PM

SP

“ *Sheila Owens Pete lit a candle in memory of Roy Eugene Davis, Sr.*



Sheila Owens Pete - February 28, 2018 at 04:46 PM

LM

“ *LaTasha Martin-Miller lit a candle in memory of Roy Eugene Davis, Sr.*



LaTasha Martin-Miller - February 28, 2018 at 03:10 PM

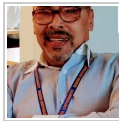
PM

“ To the Davis Family you all are in our thoughts and prayers. We offer our heartfelt condolences in the Home going of Supt. Roy E. Davis. Pastor Davis touched my and my families lives in many ways. My wife(Mary Alice) consider him as her 2nd Father, he taught her how to drive her first car and I believe went with and her sister, Sister Carolyn Malveaux to purchase their first car. He was a kind man who would do things for you and ask for nothing in exchange.

His departure will leave a Great Void in our lives as well as his home church Pentecostal Temple COGIC and Oklahoma Southeast Jurisdiction of COGIC.

Supt. Davis lived a life of Holiness and taught Us that it was Holiness or Hell. Many times I thought of the foundation he gave us as his members. May His Legacy Live On in those his has Pastored as well as his Family.

Pastor John O Martin - February 28, 2018 at 01:56 PM



To Mother Davis and the Davis family, my prayers are with you. A general in God's army has gone to rest in the presence of the Lord. I learned so much from him. Living across the street from him was a blessing. Through the years Elder Davis has been a father, teacher and friend. I'm grateful to God for the life he lived. A saint of the Lord.

Deaver Gaskins - February 28, 2018 at 11:32 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Roy Eugene Davis, Sr..



February 28, 2018 at 11:01 AM

AS

“ Sending my sincere condolences to the Davis Family... Remember when we became a part of Pentacostal District he loved to hear me and my sisters sing.. So many fond memories.. May God give you strength, peace and understanding during this time.. I can't say that he would want us to be sad but joyful BC there is no more suffering no more pain.. To be absent from the body is to be present with the Lord..

April Smith - February 27, 2018 at 07:47 PM

VA

“ Precious memories, how they linger. I thank God for Pastor Davis, my pastor for 20 years. I loved him for being a TRUE man of God. It was nice to know that if I wanted to come to church every time the door opened, he was willing to drive from North Tulsa to South Tulsa just because I wanted to worship. It was nice to know that if I needed anything, whether it was food, rent, etc. I could ask and he was there to help me. I remember him saying a few times, "I wonder what they're doing over there(heaven:)" He doesn't have to wonder anymore. He got his, well-deserved reward. To the family, I love you and you are in my heart and prayers.

Vanessa - February 27, 2018 at 04:45 PM

MO

“ Maurice And Elaine Owens lit a candle in memory of Roy Eugene Davis, Sr.



Maurice and Elaine Owens - February 26, 2018 at 06:07 PM

MB

“Elder Roosevelt and Missionary Mary Toles Brice are expressing our condolences to Mother Davis, Pastor Billy and Brother Mark and Laura and the grandchildren to know that we thank you for sharing such a man of God, Supt. Roy E. Davis will always be in our hearts and we are so happy to have shared Thanksgiving 2017 with him in their home. Supt. Davis has always been a man of great integrity and full of charity and joy and peace among mankind. We are happy in the Lord to know that Supt. Roy E. Davis is with the Lord! In the days, months, years to come we are no farther than a phone call away, we will continue to pray for the comforting of God to be with you now and forever more. With great love and respect, Galilee Outreach/Inreach Ministry Family, Muskogee, Oklahoma.

Missionary Mary Toles Brice - February 26, 2018 at 02:02 PM

SF

“Sherita Foster lit a candle in memory of Roy Eugene Davis, Sr.



Sherita Foster - February 25, 2018 at 10:52 PM

BS

“Beverly Scott lit a candle in memory of Roy Eugene Davis, Sr.



Beverly Scott - February 25, 2018 at 05:38 PM

MC

“ *Missionary Donna Corbitt lit a candle in memory of Roy Eugene Davis, Sr.*



Missionary Donna Corbitt - February 24, 2018 at 01:49 PM