

MR. LEON EDMONDS was born in Sumter County, Georgia on July 29, 1942, to the parentage of the late Mr. William Edmonds, Sr. and the late Mrs. Sally Bell McCray Edmonds. He received his education in the public schools of Sumter County. He joined the House of God and served faithfully until his health failed. Mr. Edmonds was employed with several employers, including Plains Peanut & Grain, Reeves Construction Company, and the Council on Aging. He was married to the late Mrs. Lelia Majors Edmonds and to their union, a daughter was born. Mr. Edmonds liked old cars and attending car shows.

He leaves to cherish his memories: his daughter and son-in-law, Mrs. Veronica (Glenn) Thomas, Lithonia, GA; two grandchildren, Ms. Kyla Thomas and Mr. Myles Thomas of Lithonia, GA; one brother, Mr. James Edmonds of Deerfield Beach, FL; three sisters: Mrs. Sallie (Sam) Lay of Hartford, CT; Ms. Onie Foster of Manchester, CT and Ms. Victoria King of Dallas, GA; a sister-in-law, Ms. Helen Howard of Fort Lauderdale, FL and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends, including special friends, Ms. Myra Banks and Ms. Marion Hawk also survive.