

*His Journey's Just Begun
Don't think of him as gone away
His Journey's just begun,
Life holds so many facets
This earth is only one.
Just think of him as resting
from sorrows and the tears
In a place of warmth and comfort
Where there are no days and years
Think of how he must be wishing
That he could know today
How nothing but our sadness
Can really pass away.
And think of him as living in t
he hearts of those he touched...
For nothing loved is ever lost
And he was loved so much.*



PALL BEARERS

Nephews

FLOWER GIRLS

Nieces, Family and Friends

EXPRESSIONS OF GRATITUDE

The family would like to thank all of you for your thoughts, prayers, and acts of kindness that comforted us and touched our hearts in so many during this time of bereavement. May the Lord continue to bless and keep each of you in his loving care. Special thanks to the Hanover Health and Rehabilitation Center and Alice Powell. - Respectfully the Family

INTERMENT

Union Baptist Church Cemetery

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Endearment Made Especially by U Just Imagine

Celebration of Life

BENJAMIN F. COLES (BEN)

Sunrise
May 5, 1927

Sunset
July 4, 2018



Thursday, July 12, 2018

12:00pm

Union Baptist Church
1623 Union Church Road
Beaverdam, Virginia 23015
The Reverend Christopher K. Stevens, Pastor, Officiating

B e n j a m i n (B e n) F . C o l e s

Obituary

Benjamin J. Coles, 91, was born May 5th, 1927 to the late James and Bertha Coles. He quietly entered eternal rest on Wednesday July 4th, 2018 at the Hanover Health and Rehabilitation Center, Mechanicsville, VA.

“Benny”, as he was affectionately known by everyone, attended Hanover County Public Schools and joined the Union Baptist Church at an early age. Ben was a devoted brother, uncle and friend. Benny worked as a lumber mill laborer for many years. Benny enjoyed watching t.v., especially sports, wrestling and westerns. While living in Beavertown you would always find him sitting on the front porch or in the shade under a tree waving as cars drove by. Benny loved family and he loved to laugh.

Benjamin was one of 10 children which all preceded him in death, three brothers: Albert, Hestell and Joseph Coles Sr., six sisters: Alice, Mable, and Virginia (Pauline) Waller, Irene Gillians, Geraldine Spare, and Ruby Coles. He is also preceded in death by life time friend, Floyd Taylor.

He is survived by one son, Emmet Jackson (Nancy) of Raleigh, NC, 10 grandchildren and 30 great grandchildren, a host of nieces, nephews and friends. One devoted niece, Pauline Graves and one devoted nephew, George Waller (Pickle). Benny will be truly missed by all who knew and loved him.

Order of Service

The Musical Prelude

**The Processional
Clergy and Family**

**Musical Selection
Choir**

**The Scripture Reading
Old Testament
New Testament**

Prayer of Comfort

**Musical Selection
Adell Fisher**

**Reading of the Obituary and
Acknowledgments**

**Musical Selection
Rhonda Woolfolk**

Eulogy

Reverend Christopher K. Stevens

**Musical Selection
Choir**

Benediction

Memories

