



## Dr. James Henderson

April 12, 2009

Homegoing Celebration for Dr. James H. Henderson Sr., of Lithonia, Ga., will be held Friday April 17, 2009 1:00pm Ousley United Methodist Church, 3261 Panola Rd, Pastor McCallister Hollins officiating. Interment Hillandale Memorial. Dr. Henderson is survived by his wife Mabel Henderson, seven children, thirteen grandchildren, two great grandchildren, five siblings, and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends. In lieu of flowers please make donations to : The American Diabetes Association.

# Tribute Wall

BG

“ You have my deepest condolences. I wasn't able to be there in person, but my heart and prayers were with you all. Much love, Beverly Polk Greene

Beverly A. Polk Greene - April 24, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CR

“ To the Henderson Family, God gives us the gift of time to heal broken hearts. May God bless you with peace only he can give. The Lord is close to the brokenhearted. Psalm 43:18 Sincerely

Cassandra Shaw Rochon - April 20, 2009 at 12:00 AM

KL

“ Deepest sympathy on the loss of Dr. Henderson. I am the Assistant Director for Iberia Parish Recreation Department. Doc was a board member for many years and I remember he and Mrs Henderson fondly. You are in my prayers. Katie Landry

katie landry - April 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BH

“ My condolences to the family.

Bronel Hebert - April 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

NA

“ Janyce, I am sorry for you loss and my thoughts and prayers will be with you and your family.

Nancy Autry - April 17, 2009 at 12:00 AM

EP

“ To: Janyce, Janelle, Chris, and Family-May you find comfort in the memories that you cherish always and strength in the closeness of you family.

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**Edwin B. Thomas, Ph.D.** - April 17, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CL

“ May God be with the Henderson Family now and forever. Our community have loss another Great Man.

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**C J Lucky** - April 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MV

“ I would first like to extend my sincere condolences to the family. Dr. Henderson was an influential person in the community of New Iberia. I could still remember, as a child, going to him for all my denistry needs. Even after he stopped practicing, doctors marveled at work which he had done. His success as a dentist gave many young African Americans the courage and the aspirations to dream of becoming professionals.

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**Ms. Patrice Thomas Vincent** - April 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CD

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you duringthis time of grief. May God's blessings be withyou always.

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**Clarence & Elsie Dixon** - April 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM

GM

“ I will always remember Dr. Henderson for the person that he was, kind, uplifting and concerned for the community which he served so faithfully. He fought the good fight and saw his vision come true, equality for all. I know he is in the presence of God, asking Him to protect us and to send His angels to guide us. Dr. Henderson will always be a true friend of mine.... until we meet again in that better place, here's to you!!!

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**Glenn T. Moore** - April 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM

AJ

“ To the family Mrs Henderson, Janise, Janelle, Chris and others, my prayers and heart goes out to you at this time. May God guide you and strengthen you during these difficult days. Know that Dr Henderson is in a better place. Be strong and know that you all are loved. Poppa

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**Alvin Poppa Joseph** - April 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CA

“ We are sorry for your lost. You will forever be in our hearts. We live across the Weeks Island Road from where you lived in New Iberia.

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**Cynthia Small Antoine and Perry Antoine** - April 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MJ

“ I am deeply sorry for your lost. I live in New Iberia, LA and I miss seeing Dr. Henderson and his family. May God strengthen you in the days ahead.

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**Mrs. Wilbert (Valma) Jackson** - April 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM

GD

“ To The Henderson Family,I lived just a blocks or two from your family on Edna Street a few houses from The Washingtons, I also used your father's services. I now reside in Los Angeles, but my heart is still in New Iberia and it gos out to you family. Below is a part of apoem I remember from those school days and it epitomizes my thoughts of Dr. Henderson, For Whom the Bell TollsNo man is an island, entire of itself; every man is a piece of the continent, a part of the main. If a clod be washed away by the sea, Europe is the less, as well as if a promontory were, as well as if a manor of thy friend's or of thine own were. Any man's death diminishes me, because I am involved in mankind; and therefore never send to know for whom the bell tolls; it tolls for thee...

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**Gwendolyn (Alexander) Doucet** - April 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CN

“ My deepest condolence to the family and relatives of this treasured icon of the community of New Iberia,La. His work will not be forgotten. may God 's grace sustain you in your time of sorrow.

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**Charles Nickerson** - April 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SH

“ My heartfelt sympathy to the family of Dr Henderson. He was a community treasure in his deeds and actions. He was also a role model to all of us growing up in a small southern town.

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**Sandra Butler Harris** - April 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SG

“ I am so sorry for your loss. Sandy

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**Sandy Gilbreth** - April 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SE

“ *Janyce, I am sorry to hear of your Father's passing. Please know that my prayers are with you and your family. Sheila*

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**Sheila Crumley England** - April 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM

EM

“ *To the Henderson Family, We send you prayers from the Washington family and from the New Iberia community that Dr. Henderson had such a lifelasting and profound impact on. We are saddened and will truly miss him! Earl Washington, Jr. MD Bitsie*

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**Earl Washington, Jr. MD** - April 15, 2009 at 12:00 AM

PB

“ *My condolences to the family of Dr. Henderson. I know you are all sad and will miss him, but think of the great memories you have to cherish forever. May God continue to Bless you all.*

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**Peggy Boutte** - April 15, 2009 at 12:00 AM

KP

“ *May God bless this wonderful man. He did so much to better things for blacks in New Iberia, LA. I will never forget his sacrifice.*

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**Kenneth Polk** - April 15, 2009 at 12:00 AM

EE

“ *Bye Uncle James To Aunt Mable, I Love You. My prayers are with you.*

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**Emily Robertson Etienne** - April 15, 2009 at 12:00 AM

GI

“ Janyce, Janelle and the rest of your family, my prayers are with you. We lived on Arlene. I am Cheryl's sister. You all used to be together all the time. Luv you. My mom (Helen Joseph) sends her love. She is still on Arlene.

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**Geraldine Joseph Isaac** - April 14, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MR

“ To the Family:I'm so sorry about your great loss. Your husband and father was a generous loving person. Every time he and his wife came to visit his kids at ORU (Tulsa, OK), he'd take a group of us out to eat. He came to hear PRISM several times while on tour, often driving several hours to get there. He allowed PRISM to stay at his house one summer, never complaining. I believe I'm a better man having know Dr. Henderson. I'll miss you, sir. Thanks for letting me be a part of your life and family.Much love & many prayers,Michael RichPlano, TX

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**Michael Rich** - April 14, 2009 at 12:00 AM

TL

“ To The Family:Please take solace in knowing that your New Iberia Family extends heartfelt prayers and love to you at this most difficult time. Also know that he will be forever remembered and treasured, as he leaves an indelible legacy of his strife, dedication and service to our community during the days of the civil rights struggles, as well as his professional services provided to many in the community. He is gone from sight and touch, but never from many hearts and memories. Theresa Elise

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**Theresa Elise Broussard, New Iberia, LA** - April 14, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SW

“ Sorry to hear of your loss.Praying for the family.SJ

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**S.J. Whitehead** - April 14, 2009 at 12:00 AM