



## MARIO JEROME "M J" TALLEY, JR.

May 30, 1934 - November 15, 2013

MARIO JEROME "M J" TALLEY JR., 79, went home to be with the Lord on Friday, November 15, 2013.

He was a member of St. Stephen Church, and a retired supervisor for International Harvester.

Mr. Talley was preceded in death by his parents, M J Sr., and Annie W. Talley; and siblings, Kenneth, Annie Ruth, John and Mary Talley.

He is survived by his sons, Terry Pullum and Tony Williams of Jeffersonville, IN; sisters, Dorothy Allen, Betty Kelley both of Fayetteville, TN, and Cleo Madison of Toledo, OH; seven grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, special friend Gloria Stephenson, and many dear friends.

Visitation: 9-11 a.m. Thursday, November 21, 2013, at A. D. Porter & Sons, 1300 W. Chestnut St., with funeral to follow at 11 a.m. Services will be held Saturday, November 23, 2013, in Fayetteville, TN. Gallant Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

# Tribute Wall

DW

“*Bro Talley, you will be truly missed. Always had a friendly word and a smile for me every sunday. I'm gonna miss telling you how sharp you were every week. Rest easy my friend.*

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**Dea Jay White** - November 23, 2013 at 12:00 AM

UW

“*Jerome Talley was a good man who always showed concern about the people he knew and the peoples in this world and their souls.. We will miss him.*

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**Ursula Dixon Williams** - November 22, 2013 at 12:00 AM

RB

“*My prayers and thoughts go out to Mr. Talley s family. He was very soft spoken and always smiled and extended a warm hand @ church.*

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**Rolonda Berry** - November 21, 2013 at 12:00 AM

MW

“*Family and Friends of Brother Jerome Talley, this note is with sincere prayers and thoughts that the Lord Jesus Christ will comfort your hearts and minds through this difficult time and sorrow. Proverbs 3:5-6 states Trust in the Lord with all of your heart and He will direct your path, seek Him for love and guidance. God's Blessings. Minister Jessie White, currently living in Alexander City, Alabama.*

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**Minister Jessie White** - November 20, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ spoke to Jerome every Sunday at church will truly miss him a warm and kind gentleman.

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**james hinkle** - November 20, 2013 at 12:00 AM

DJ

“ Jerome will be missed. He was an active member of St Stephen and was always there in participation at SSC activities and in service: at Men's Pray Breakfasts, singing in the Men's Day Choir, serving as a Decision Counselor, In bible Study, and was always very pleasant in conversation. Jerome rest in peace and I'll see you later!

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**Deacon Edward Maxwell Jr** - November 20, 2013 at 12:00 AM

AL

“ Jerome,

We will miss your fellowship at St. Stephen on Sundays and especially at the Black & White Gala every year. We always managed to sit together for this event. We also pray that your loved ones find comfort and relief in their sorrow. May God bless you all.

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**Allie** - November 20, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ We would like to express our deepest sympathy to the Talley family during this time. Our prayers are with you.

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**Jo Ann Henderson** - November 20, 2013 at 12:00 AM

SI

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with the family!

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**Silas** - November 20, 2013 at 12:00 AM

MB

“ *Mr. M.J. will be truly missed. He was a gentle-man. Mr. M.J. would visit w/my sick brother in-law at home or in the hospital and he would assist him personally like a brother. My niece called Mr. M.J. Uncle Jerome. Heaven has claimed another Angel! R.I.P. Mr. M.J.!!*

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**MaryAnn Brown** - November 20, 2013 at 12:00 AM

IC

“ *Our deepest sympathy to the family. Jerome was a very good friend and team member (evangelist team @ St. Stephen). We will hold his memory dear to our hearts. I know he is safe in our Fathers Hand. God Bless all you! Isaiah & Donna Calloway*

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**Isaiah Calloway** - November 20, 2013 at 12:00 AM

YG

“ *We have many memories of a man who had a quest for God. From being a wonderful bass in the choir to studying His word to being a decision counselor and helping others to come to Christ, he will be missed. May you be comforted by God's peace.*

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**Yolanda and Alphaeus Green** - November 20, 2013 at 12:00 AM

SM

“ *Prayers to the Family. Mr. Tally's presence in Sunday School and (Wednesday) Noon Day Bible Class will be missed. May you rest in peace.*

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**Sandra Mucker** - November 20, 2013 at 12:00 AM

YJ

“ *Jerome will be missed by many. His friendly, loving manner touched many people. We celebrate his life and know he is with the Lord. Well-done, good and faithful servant.*

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**Yvette Johnson** - November 20, 2013 at 12:00 AM