A Service Of Victory and Thanksgiving
FOR MR. MARTRICE MATTHEW SCOTT, SR.

Wednesday, February 18, 1981
3:30 P.M.
Paine College
Gilbert-Lambuth Memorial Chapel
AUGUSTA, GEORGIA 30910

The Reverend Jerry Poole, Pastor
The Reverend Luther R. Neal, Presiding Elder
Bishop Joseph C. Coles, Jr., Presiding Bishop
Obituary

Martrice Matthew Scott, Sr. was born to the late Peter and Fannie Hayes Scott on October 13, 1905, in Oconee County, Georgia. At an early age, the family moved to Royston, Georgia. He finished Royston Elementary School in May, 1918 and entered the eighth grade at Paine College. There he received his Bachelor of Science Degree in June, 1927.

He was a member of the basketball and football teams. He was also a member of the band, Y.M.C.A. and the R. A. Carter Literary Society. He completed additional studies in life insurance in the areas of agency management, marketing, and training.

He met and married the former Mamie Ella Robinson. To this union were born three children: Joan Artherene, Jobyna Marion and Martrice Matthew, Jr.

He was a member of the Trinity C.M.E. Church. There he served as Chairman of the Board of Trustees. He was Lay Leader of the Augusta District of the Georgia Conference and a member of the General Pension Board.

His civic and business affiliations included: Executive Board Member of the Augusta Y.M.C.A. and Y.W.C.A.; Augusta Housing Authority Commissioner; Executive Committee member of the Paine College National Alumni Association; Prince Hall Mason; Regional Director of Region IV of the National Insurance Association; President of Pioneers, Inc. owners and developers of the Belair Hill Estates subdivision; Vice-President-Associate Agency Director and Board Chairman of Pilgrim Health and Life Insurance Company; Vice President of Golden Ventures, Inc.; President of Pilgrim's Employees Federal Credit Union; Executive Board member of the C.S.R.A. Business League.

His awards and honors included: Paine College Alumnus of the Year; Layman of the Year Award of the Georgia Conference; Religion and Government Award by the Georgia Conference; 25 year Service Pin from Pilgrim Insurance Company, Outstanding Service Award by the C.S.R.A. Business League; Paine College Presidential Alumni Achievement Award; Professor Emeritus of Paine College; Board Chairman Emeritus of Pilgrim Insurance Company, Resolutions for outstanding service to Pilgrim Insurance Company, induction into the Register of Distinguished Black Augusta Elders; induction into the Paine College Athletic Hall of Fame; the M. M. Scott Regency Complex has been named in his honor by the Augusta Housing Authority.

Surviving family members include his wife, Mrs. Mamie E. Scott; two daughters, Mrs. Joan A. Ruff, Augusta, Georgia, Ms. Jobyna M. Scott, Bridgeport Connecticut; one son, Martrice M. Scott, Jr., Augusta, Georgia; one sister, Mrs. Obeiha Scott Ross, Washington, D. C.; five grandchildren, Ms. Kimberly L. Ruff, Martrice M. Scott, III, Marcus A. Scott, Augusta, Georgia, Mrs. Winifred Green, Phillip B. Norris, Bridgeport, Connecticut; three nephews, Samuel Scott, Uniondale, New York, Isaac Scott, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, Joseph T. Robinson, Augusta, Georgia, one daughter-in-law, Mrs. Aline P. Scott; mother-in-law, Mrs. Mamie Robinson; sister-in-law, Mrs. Willoughby Robinson; a dear cousin, Mrs. Margaret D. Pickett, and a host of nieces, nephews and other relatives and friends.

A LIVING FAITH

I've DREAMED many dreams that never came true,
I've seen them vanish at dawn,
But I've realized enough of my dreams, thank GOD, TO MAKE ME WANT TO DREAM ON.

I've PRAYED many prayers when no answer came
Though I waited patient and long,
But answers have come to enough of my prayers
TO MAKE ME KEEP PRAYING ON.

I've TRUSTED many a friend that failed,
And left me to weep alone,
But I've found enough of my friends true blue,
TO MAKE ME KEEP TRUSTING ON.

I've SOWN many seeds that fell by the way
For the birds to feed upon,
But I've held enough golden sheaves in my hands
TO MAKE ME KEEP SOWING ON.

I've DRAINED the cup of disappointment and pain
And gone many days without song,
But I've sipped enough nectar from the roses of life
TO MAKE ME WANT TO LIVE ON.

(The above poem was one of Mr. Scott's favorites.)
The Order of Worship

THE ORGAN PRELUDE

THE PROCESIONAL: ........................................... \"A Mighty Fortress is our God\"
Ms. Mary E. Terrell, Organist
Mrs. Ann D. Poole, Pianist

THE CALL TO WORSHIP .......................... Reverend Jerry Poole
LEADER: We have gathered in the Paine College Chapel this afternoon to celebrate the entry of
our brother, Martrice Matthew Scott, Sr. into life eternal;
RESPONSE: To affirm with praise and thanksgiving the goodness of the Lord.
LEADER: Let us rejoice in His presence with us, in death as in life, among those who mourn as with
those who now see Him face to face;
RESPONSE: Our lips will shout for joy, for His love is over all that He has made.
Blessed be His glorious name forever.

THE HYMN No. 297 ........................................... \"The Church\’s One Foundation\"

THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH .......................... Reverend Gene Dean
Pastor, Williams Memorial C.M.E. Church

REV. DEAN: Let us unite in this historic confession of the Christian Faith:
MINISTER I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; and in
AND Jesus Christ His only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of
PEOPLE: the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the
third day He rose from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand
of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the
dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the
forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. AMEN.

THE PRAYER .......................................................... Reverend L. R. Neal
Presiding Elder, Augusta District

THE LESSON FROM THE HOLY SCRIPTURE .......................... Reverend J. E. Robinson
Pastor, Rock of Ages C.M.E. Church
Selected Verses, I Corinthians 15

\"SKIPPER\’S\" FAVORITE GEMS:
\"The Bridge Builder\" ........................................... Mrs. Kingsley S. Riley
Member, Richmond County Board of Education
\"Soliloquy\" ............................................. Mr. Edward McIntyre
Vice President of Public Relations and Marketing
Pilgrim Health and Life Insurance Company

MUSICAL SELECTION ........................................ The Paine College Gospel Choir

THE ACKNOWLEDGMENTS ........................................ Mrs. Ann Neal
Member of Trinity and Friend

AS WE KNEW HIM: (two minutes each)
Val-Tel Inc. ......................... Mr. Dave Mack, Jr.
Assistant Superintendent for Personnel
Richmond County Board of Education
Belair Hill Estates .................. Mr. F. R. Babcock
A Friend and Neighbor
Housing ................................. Mr. J. Madden Reid
Executive Director
Augusta Housing Authority
Insurance ................................. Mr. J. D. Greene
Vice President of Marketing
Pilgrim Health Insurance Company
Paine College ....................... Dr. Julius S. Scott, Jr.
President
Paine College

THE PAINE COLLEGE HYMN

School Mate ......................... Mr. Edward Davis
A Friend and Retired Insurance Executive
City Government .................. Mr. Lewis A. Newman
Mayor of Augusta

The C.M.E. Church: Mr. Hubert E. Wilson, Georgia Annual Conference Lay Leader
Bishop Joseph C. Coles, Jr. Presiding Prelate,
Sixth Episcopal District C.M.E. Church

SOLO .................................................... Mrs. Audrey Thomas

THE EULOGY .................................................... Reverend Poole

THE RECESSIONAL ........................................ \"O God, our Help In Ages Past\"
The Interment: South View Cemetery
ACTIVE PALLBEARERS

Mr. Isaiah Abney  Mr. Harvey Johnson
Mr. John Lee    Mr. Edward Drumgold
Mr. Bert Thomas Mr. Jimmy Dukes
Mr. Leo Jackson Mr. Leon Booker

HONORARY PALLBEARERS

Paine College Alumni Association
Pilgrim Health and Life Insurance Company
Augusta Housing Authority
Omega Psi Phi Fraternity
Belair Hill Association
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