The hour glass with the sands of time has surely spilled its contents, and with passing the last sand, went the life of our loved one.

Passing into eternity, when life has been sweet, is as going from one room into a larger and more beautiful one.

The essence of the one blends into the beauty of the other.

Robert Young was born April 14, 1928 to the late Marie Napoleon in Hattiesburg, MS.

He gave his life to Christ at an early age.

Robert attended the Church of God in Christ and later joined St. John Missionary Baptist Church with his wife Annie Bell.

He was a devoted family man who loved fishing, traveling, and spending time with family and friends.

Robert worked as a longshoreman for many years.

He retired in 1988 from the Port Authority of Gulfport.

He is preceded into death by his mother, his wife Annie Bell Young, one granddaughter Kenyetta Butler, one great granddaughter Sadie Singleton.

Robert leaves to cherish his precious memories his five daughters, Helen (Denois, Sr.) Butler, Myrtis (Bennie) Jones, Marie (Eugene) Cochran, Eva (Webster) Robertson, Terrell (Jerry) Brown; and three sons, Robert Wayne (Lorraine) Young, Pat (Shaunna) Jordan, Andre (Linda) Young; eighteen grandchildren, Simone Fairley, Denaya Butler, Denois (Racheal) Butler, Jr., Tabitha

LaMark, Katrina (Rick) Merrill, Catrillia Young, Robert Joseph Young, Rayford (Daja) Taylor, Reann (Larry) Singleton, Jamar Ducy, Jerica Brown, Sean Jordan, Anthony Jordan, Belinda Lee, Ike Carr, Grace Hayes, Andre Martin, Natalie Welch;

fifteen great grandchildren, and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends.