

APOSTLE

Richard Daniel Henton

AUGUST 23, 1933 - OCTOBER 22, 2015

PRECIOUS IN THE SIGHT OF THE LORD IS THE DEATH OF HIS SAINTS. PSALMS 116:15

Celebrating The Legacy, Life and Ministry of Apostle Richard Daniel Henton

Monument Of Faith Church Family Celebration Held at: Monument of Faith Evangelistic Church 2750 West Columbus Avenue - Chicago, IL 60652

> Friday, October 30, 2015 Visitation: 10:00 am - 7:00 ρm Service: 7:00 ρm - 9:30 ρm

National Service: Held at: House of Hope 752 E 114th St, Chicago, IL 60628 Pastor Mark Anthony Henton, Officiating Pastor James T. Meeks, Host Pastor

> Saturday, October 31, 2015 Visitation: 9:00 am Service: 10:00 am



The Legacy of Apostle Richard Daniel Henton

Apostle Richard D. Henton began his life as the youngest child born to the union of Mary Lee and Armister Eric Henton on August 23, 1933.

Apostle Henton grew up on the south side of Chicago, II. He received his formal education through the Chicago Public School system and attended Wendell Phillips High School where he received the call of God into the ministry.

Apostle Henton distinctly recalled God's call of him to enter the ministry in 1948. "I was 15-years old at the time in my division class. The Lord's call was loud and clear, reaching the depths of my soul. I, thereafter, began preaching the Gospel of Christ."

After his call to the ministry, Evangelist Henton voraciously studied the bible and engaged himself in fasting and prayer, which was the foundation of his ministry. Being ordained as an elder in 1949 by Rev. Frank A. Whitmore of the Star of Bethlehem, Evangelist Henton continued being mentored by Amelia Anderson of the Boosters For Christ. The early years of his ministry was characterized by his anointed preaching and evangelizing.

He was impacted by such great leaders as the late Amelia Anderson, Bishop H.W. Goldsberry, Bishop E.E. Cleveland, Sr. (his father in the gospel), Apostle Auturo Skinner, and Prophetess Haltie B. Jones.

Apostle Richard D. Henton has become one of the most prolific speakers of our day. He has been in ministry for sixty-six (66) years and has been a pastor for fifty (50) of those years. With an approximate membership of close to five thousand (5,000), Dr. Henton is also the founder of the R. D. Henton Breakthrough Ministry and is the executive producer of the Breakthrough Telecast. This weekly program has aired on systems throughout the world such as The Word Network, The Total Living Network, WYS/TV62 and WEDE TV34.

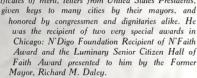
The R.D. Henton Breakthrough Ministry has an extensive media library of well over 6,000 audio, video. CD and DVD's, which are a vast extension of his outreach ministry that reaches the world.

The Legacy Continues

Even though Apostle Henton was a faithful pastor, he is known to many as their "TV Evangelist" and has ministered at various conferences, convocations, conventions and mass meetings for many decades in several major cities throughout America. He has been the keynote speaker for many ministries: "The Promise Keepers," Bishop T. D. Jakes, Azusa with Bishop Carlton Pearson, Morris Cerrullo, the late Bishop O. T. Jones, Sr., the late Rev. R.W. Shambach, the late Bishop Gilbert E. Patterson, Bishop Charles Blake, Morehouse University, the Church of God In Christ AIM Convention and many others.

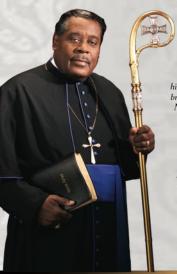
Apostle Henton has held special services in the city where he was born and raised and still lives (Chicago) with turn-away crowds after 10,000 seats were filled at the U.I.C. Pavilion.

Dr. Henton has three Doctorate of Divinity degrees and has been the recipient of numerous certificates of merit. letters from United States Presidents.



On Thursday, October 22, 2015 Apostle Henton made his transition. His parents Mary and Armister Eric; two brothers; Donald Emmitt and Armister, Jr.; one sister, Marion; two sons Richard Timothy and Phillip, all preceded him in death.

Apostle Richard D. Henton is survived by his wife (Helen); two sons, Pastor Mark A. Henton (fiance Grace), Pastor John S. Henton (LaWanda); two daughters, Amelia, and Melodie Henton-Herrera (Ricardo "Ahmaniah"); one brother, Vernal Henton; stepchildren: Ted Buckner, Tyrone Tonsey Crosby, Dakota Booker, Dora (Cornelius) Shabazz and Malcolm Marlon Buckner; and a host of other relatives, family and friends.



H Loving Tribute To My Husband



My Dearest Richard.

Thank you for being a friend and my partner in life. I'll always be grateful and proud that I'm your wife. In life I loved you dearly, in death I'll do the same.

It broke my heart to lose you, but you didn't go alone; for part of me went with you that early Thursday morning that God called you home.

Honey, I'm happy you have peaceful rest. In this life, you have certainly passed the final test. I know you are in a better place now, so I must release you in the hand of God. Although I'm releasing you, I know you will always be by my side.

Your Devoted Wife, Helen

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 30, 2015 7:00PM - 9:30PM

Musical Prelude Facilitator Willie Harmon, Minister of Music Elder Juanita Roberts

Family Processional

Clergy Processional

Congregational Hymn

"O How I Love Jesus"

Scripture Reading

Old Testament Psalms 91
New Testament 1 Corinthians 15:51-58

Elder Ramond Nalls Sister Marion Nalls Elder James Bratcher

Musical Selections

Monument of Faith Mass Choir

A Wife's Tribute

Lady Helen J. Henton

Remarks

Prayer

Bishop Willie Loyd
Monument of Faith - Joliet
Bishop W. J. Chambliss
Pastor Emeritus Miracle Revival Center COGIC
Apostle Donald L. Alford
Progressive Life-Giving Word Cathedral
The Barrett Sisters

Musical Selection Family Remarks

F. Melodie Henton-Herrera Ted Buckner

Musical Selection

Sister Delores Washington

Public Relations

Remarks

Dr. Rosemary Gage

Board of Elders

Deacon Charles Hedgspeth

Deacon Board President

Elder Donald Meeks

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 30, 2015 7:00pm - 9:30pm

Musical Selections

Monument of Faith Reunion Choir

Remarks

Minister Randy Glass & The Breakthrough Staff (Former and Present) Sis. Ruby Cloud Breakthrough Nurses Bro. Willie Harmon Minister of Music

Obituary Reading

Elder Juanita Roberts

Acknowledgements

Sister Shirley Green Elder Vance Washington

Remarks

Male Ministers
Elder Annie Owens
Women's Ministry
Minister Darryl Crater
Mentor Ministry
Mother Bobbie Jean Owens
Mother's Ministry
Sister Katie Wadley
Church Nursey

Musical Medley

Ricky Dillard & The Levite's Reunion Choir

Remarks

Minister Adelaide Williams

Altar Worker's Ministry

Minister Daisy Langston

Telephone Ministry

Brother Anthony Graham

Head of Security

Sister Pam Watson

Video Presentation

Sunday School Ministry

Dr. John S. Henton

Musical Selection

Evangelist Lemmie Battle

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 30, 2015 7:00pm - 9:30pm

Remarks

MICA Ministry Pastors
Apostle Linda Sherrill
International Deliverance
Apostle Steve Pettis
Better Life International
Pastors Gary & Linda Stern

Peace of God Outreach Church Pastor Lloyd Brown International Deliverance Center

Sis. Nettie Guy

Musical Selection

Remarks

Evang. Demetria Smith
Singles Ministry
Elder Edward Green
Marriage Ministry

Cetrina Williams
Hospitality Ministry
Min. Stanley Buford
Men's Ministry
Min. Toconna Hazzard
Usher Ministry

Monument of Faith Reunion Choir

Pastor Mark A. Henton

Musical Selection

Closing Remarks

Benediction/Recessional

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 31, 2015 10:00 AM - 12:00 NOON

Instrumental Prelude

Procession of Presbytery

Family Procession

Procession of Presbytery

Call To Worship

Final Viewing (Family Only)

Scripture Reading Old Testament

New Testament

Prayer

Pastoral Greeting

A Wife's Tribute

Video Presentation

Program Facilitators

Choir Selection

"All Hail the Power"

Queenie Lenox

"Christ is the Answer" Elder DeAndre Patterson

Prophet Edgar Aaron Everybody's Bible Church, Chicago, IL

Pastor Anthony Mallett First Christian Assembly Full Gospel Church, Chicago, IL

> Pastor Kimberly Ray-Gavin Church on the Rock, Matteson, IL

Rev. James T. Meeks - Host Pastor Salem Baptist Church, Chicago, IL

Lady Helen J. Henton

Elder DeAndre Patterson
Destiny Worship Center, Chicago, IL
Dr. Ray Berryhill

Resurrected Life Church International, Chicago, IL Bishop Rory Marshall Nehemiah Urban Church Ministries, Chicago, IL

> Monument of Faith Reunion Choir "Stretch Out"

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 31, 2015 10:00 AM - 12:00 NOON

Clergy Remarks

Rev. Dr. Clay Evans – Founder, Pastor Emeritus
Fellowship Baptist Church, Chicago, IL

Dr. Bill Winston

Living World Christian Center, Forest Park, IL

Remarks

Monument of Faith Church Leadership Daisy A. Henton

Church Administrator

Musical Tribute

Evangelist Shirley Green "Maryelous"

Remarks

Deacon Charles Hedgspeth

Deacon Board President
Dr. Rosemary Gage

Board of Elders

Musical Tribute

Bishop Rance Allen New Bethel Ministries, Toledo, OH "Heaven Bound"

Description of Five-Fold Ministry Multifaceted Ministry of Apostle Richard Henton (The Apostle, Prophet, Evangelist, Pastor, Teacher and Friend)

The Apostle

Bishop Darrell Hines

Christian Faith Fellowship Church, Milwaukee, WI Bishop Noel Jones

> City of Refuge, Los Angeles, CA Apostle Rodney J. Washington

Titus Harvest Dome Spectrum Church, Jacksonville, FL

Musical Tribute

Pastor Shirley Caesar Mt. Calvary Word of Faith Church, Raleigh, NC

"Sweeping Through the City"

The Prophet

Apostle Dana Carson The R.O.C.K., Houston, TX Prophet Brian Carn Brian Carn Ministries, Jacksonville, FL

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 31, 2015 10:00 AM - 12:00 NOON

Musical Tribute

Bishop Marvin Sapp

Lighthouse Full Life Center, Grand Rapids, MI
"One Thing"

The Evangelist

Apostle Christine Liddell

Power For Living Ministries, Brentwood, CA Bishop Claude O. Timmons Love Cathedral Community Church, Chicago, IL Evangelist Regina Mosley-O'Bryant Pilgrim Rest Church of God In Christ, Grenada, MS Bishop Richard "Mr. Clean" White

Gospel Temple Church of God In Church, Conley, GA

Musical Tribute

Tiffany (TiffJoy) McGhee South Holland, IL

"Amazing"

The Pastor

Bishop Willie J. Campbell St. James Church of God In Christ, Chicago, IL

Bishop Larry D. Trotter
Sweet Holy Spirit, Chicago, IL
Bishop Liston Page
Highway Church, Paterson, NJ

Choir Selection

Monument of Faith Reunion Choir "Amazing Grace"

The Teacher

Bishop Horace E. Smith, MD

Apostolic Faith Church, Chicago, IL Dr. Byron T. Brazier

Apostolic Church of God, Chicago, IL

Musical Tribute

Dr. Edwin Hawkins

Oakland, CA
"Going To A Place"

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 31, 2015 10:00 AM - 12:00 NOON

The Friend

Bishop Ernestine C. Reems Center of Hope Community Church, Oakland, CA Bishop Samuel Carruth Holy Light Church Deliverance, Portsmouth, VA Apostle Kenneth Porter

Community Bible Ministries, Philadelphia, PA
Bishop James Everett, Jr.
Jesus Is Coming Ministries, Irvington, NJ

Musical Tribute

Keith Pringle Los Angeles, CA "Perfect Peace"

Family Tribute

F. Melodie Henton-Herrera Daughter Dr. John S. Henton

Sermonic Musical Tribute

Bishop Marvin Winans Perfecting Church, Detroit, MI "Never Grow Old"

Obituary

Read in Silence

Son

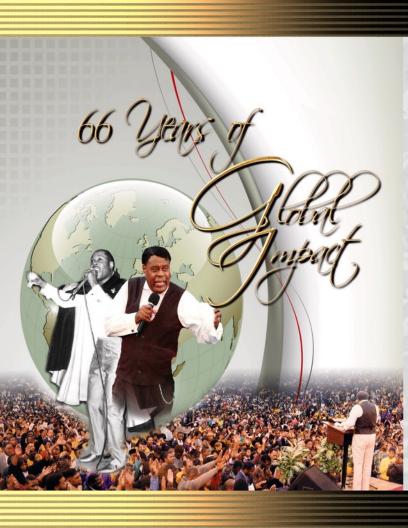
Eulogy

Pastor Mark A. Henton Monument of Faith Evangelistic Church, Chicago, IL

Postlude

Bishop Marvin Winans Perfecting Church, Detroit, MI "Let the Church Say Amen"

Benediction/ Recessional





H Monument of Faith



MONUMENT OF FAITH DELIVERANCE CENTER

6848 SOUTH RACINE CHICAGO

MONUMENT OF FAITH EVANGELISTIC CHURCH

7359 S. CHAPPEL CHICAGO, IL





MONUMENT OF FAITH WORLD BREAKTHROUGH MINISTRIES

2750 WEST COLUMBUS CHICAGO, IL

Ministering To The Needs Of The People



BREAKTHROUGH MINISTRIES AT U.I.C. PAVILION 3 CONSECUTIVE YEARS OVER 10,000 IN ATTENDANCE



PROMISE KEEPERS AT SILVER DOME - PONTIAC MICHIGAN OVER 50,000 MEN IN ATTENDANCE

Family Tributes

It has been such an experience to have the pleasure to be the son of one who has impacted not only a nation but also nations of people. He, being a willing vessel to serve God's purpose, became a trailblazing, faith shaping leader and icon to so many that now have the ability to do the same. Truly one of God's Generals, he leaves not just a legacy but also the blueprint of true Christian Charisma and Character. I shall always drink from the fountain of Christian knowledge and wisdom because of my father's teachings. Like many of you that may read this, he did not simply lead us to the Book but taught me how to eat and digest the Word through his ability of prolific didacticism. He earned the titles of "General of the

Gospel," and some even coined him as the "Pope of Pentecost," but the greatest title he ever earned was the title of DAD. Apostle R.D. Henton, many say he was a giant among men, I say he was a man who knew how to walk tall.

Your Son, Pastor John Steven Henton



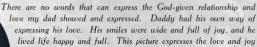
To me you've always been a giant, and all I wanted was to shadow your greatness. You've changed a countless number of lives; more importantly, the word you preached changed me. You were not just my dad but my Pastor and Apostle. Your smile of approval was the strength that allowed me to stand in

adversity. When others did not believe, you believed in me. I hear the words in my ear saying, "Mark, take this church to the next



level." I saw you as a mountain standing strong. I saw you as the sun shining ever so bright. I saw you as the foundation standing firm and sure. Now that

you're gone, the mountain wasn't moved, the sun hasn't stopped shining, and the foundation is still in place. Thank you for leaving me with what I needed to continue. I will forever miss you and always love you. Your son, Mark



he shared being my dad. Not only was he a wonderful dad, but a great grandfather. Thank you Jesus for allowing and choosing me to be his daughter. Your loving daughter, Amelia





Reverend, Apostle, Preacher

For the past 36 years it has been a joy not only working for you but serving you. As a young child I was amazed at how you would expound on the word of God and how the Lord would use you when you would minister to the needs of others. You could make me laugh, make me feel conviction and encourage me to keep holding on all in the same message.

You were a five-star blessing in my life, My Pastor, My Evangelist, My Teacher, My Employer, and My Spiritual Father. I'm reminded how you would chastise

me as my Boss then minister to me as an Evangelist and take me out to dinner as a father. Words can't describe how much I will miss you Apostle, but I will miss those late nights when you would call and say, "Listen, I know it's late, I'm not gone keep you, but I have a brainstorm" or driving you to preach, setting up the equipment, working the altar making sure you were taken care of afterwards and then driving you back home.

Love, Your Spiritual Son, Randy

Father, you are and will forever be a great man. You gave so much knowledge, and I'm so glad I understand eternal life. I hold every earthly moment close to my heart. I guess it was time to let you start eternal life. Nah, I'm going to be honest, wasn't ready to let you go. Missing your warm heart feels like I'm out in the cold.

With

I just wanted to fight for you like you fought for so many others, ease your hurt and pain, but Cod already had that covered. When we would talk, it was always profound. Even if we disagreed, we left on good grounds.

Thank you for teaching what was right, honest and fair; always loving the Most High and showing His children that you care. Mellie

So many lives you've touched,

So many loved you so much.

So many in a sinful rut,

So many had given up and lost trust,

So many despised living.

So many didn't have the heart (forgiving),

So many tuned in on the TV,

So many got on the bus.

So many traveled miles.

WHY

Because you never gave up.

So many came to salvation,

So many things revealed.

So many divine revelations,

So many lives healed.

Thank you for being down, humble and loving the people.

You never frowned up at the alcoholic for

You knew their soul was feeble

So many times they would ask

"Rev., could you help a brother or sister out?"

You never hesitated to help and reach in your pocket and

Give to a stranger; never thinking about self.

That's the man I will always remember. Holy, sanctified, and a real Member of the Body of Christ.

I thank the Father today for your life and legacy but most importantly The anointing that was upon you.

You passed it on, Dad!





When It Comes To My Brother

Richard loved God more than anyone I've known. The sermons that he preached were delivered in such a way that anyone listening to them could understand the message. Just as equally important if not more so were the songs that he selected to accompany his ministry. After I began working with the music department in the mid-1960's, he gave me one essential directive. He said, "I want you to play for me while I'm preaching because the audio response level to the message from the audience makes me change the key in which I'm preaching. I want you to keep me in key and follow me while I preach." I was given a chance to serve. Little did I know that would make me a leader. His ministry impacted my life as I traveled with my brother throughout the world for over 50 years. He was a gift to the body of Christ. I'm going to miss him dearly. Vernal Henton. Minister of Music, Emeritus



Reflections from the Breakthrough Staff

Apostle Henton would often say, "We are a family." This meant we were fortunate to work very close with the Apostle. He encouraged us to excel in our different fields. "Keep working at it," he would often say. Sometimes we worked late hours, well into the early morning, which helped develop and cultivate a spirit of excellence. We saw in our leader his faith, tenacity and love for the ministry, which inspired us to serve and help fulfill the vision God gave him. One recurring theme that helped drive our purpose was, "God isn't finished, so we have to be ready for the next move of God." Apostle's guidance will be greatly missed.

Longevity

The hand of God was seen on Apostle Richard D. Henton's life at an early age. The early years of ministry were dedicated to evangelism as he traveled the world preaching the word of God and ministering to the needs of people. Since its inception in 1964, the Monument Of Faith Evangelistic Church has grown tremendously. With prayer, supplication, dedication, and strong leadership, the church continues to grow as a testament to its name and purpose as given to Pastor Henton in its beginning.

In March 1976, the church aired its first weekly radio broadcast which further exposed the ministry of Apostle Henton to thousands of listeners. Indeed, the Breakthrough Hour has been a welcomed and well-received addition to Christian Broadcasting. With its soaring popularity, many followers were delighted to learn that its well-beloved radio broadcast would soon be seen on WCFC/TV38. In 1978, The Breakthrough Hour transmitted via satellite into thousands of homes for the first time. For well over a decade, The Breakthrough Hour was the top rated telecast consistently before the television station was sold. Apostle Henton is the author

of six books, and to his credit has recorded over six thousand sermons on several types of media. His books are entitled: Christian Warfare; I Command You To Live; God's Chosen Children Of Destiny; And God's Masterpiece: A Pattern For The Family, Armed For Spiritual Warfare, and The Experience, Episode and Encounter of the Holy Ghost.



Ministry In Broad Strokes

Founded The Monument Of Faith Church At 6848 S. Racine

Purchased Administration Building Adjacent To The Church

Purchased Former Church At 7359 S. Chappel

Pastor Henton Received A Doctorate Of Divinity From Trinity Hall College And Seminary

After Only 4 Years At Chappel Church The Mortgage Was Burned

Pastor Henton Received His Doctor Of Divinity Degree In An Academic Vesper Service

Aired Our First Live Radio Broadcast

250 Voice Choir Traveled To Washington, DC To Sing At The Inaugural Ceremony For Former President Jimmy Carter

Aired Our First Television Broadcast

Established The R.D. Henton Evangelistic Foundation

Acquired Property At 8101 S. LaSalle For The R.D. Henton Academy

Established R.D. Henton Logos Bible College

Converted The Former R.D. Henton Academy To The Breakthrough Cultural Family Christian Center

Breakthrough Ministry Broadcasts On World Wide Christian Radio

Television Ministry Expands To Over 633 Television Stations On The New Inspirational Network

Citywide Breakthrough Crusade At UIC Pavilion Over 10,000 Attended.

Pastor Henton Received A Doctorate In Missiology

Acquired 13.5 Acres Of Land For Expanded Ministry

Pastor Henton Received A Doctorate In Pastoral Ministry

Pastor Henton Received A Doctorate In Pastoral Studies

Moved Into First Phase Of New Church Facility

Dr. Richard D. Henton Is Elevated to The Office Of An Apostle

Establishes And Implements M.I.C.A. (Monument International Church Assemblies) (Chicago, IL)

Television Ministry Expands To Include The Word Network (Worldwide Satellite And Cable)



Family Moments



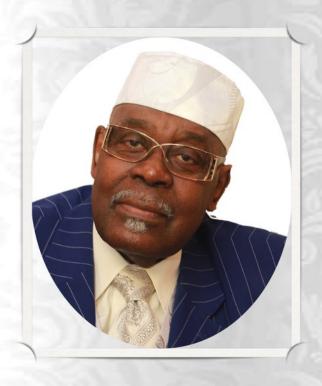




The strength of a people can always be defined by how they handle adversity and transition. For over 50 years our Apostle has led us faithfully, and we will forever remember him and the things that he taught us. We will build on this foundation. God will carry us to great heights by blessing all we set our hands to do. Let us stand together in unity and continue the work that God has laid to our charge.

With love and care,

Pastor Mark Henton



I'll See You In The Rapture

Honorary Pallbearers

Apostle Donald Alford Bishop William Allen Bishop Roy Brown Pastor William Bryant Bishop Samuel Carruth Bishop Willie J. Chambliss John Roland Cox Pastor Clay Evans Pastor J. Louis Felton Bishop Roy Ferguson Minister Randy Glass Brother Anthony Graham Elder Edward Green Pastor John Hannah Bishop Mark Hatcher Deacon Charles Hedgspeth Bishop William Hudson, III Apostle Steve Jones Minister Phillip Lowery Bishop Timothy Byron McGhee Pastor Douglas Moye Brother Brian Pickett Bishop Richard Taylor Pastor Maceo Woods

Acknowledgements

On behalf of the entire Henton family, we wish to express our deep appreciation to all brothers and sisters in Christ who have stood with us during our hour of bereavement. We indeed appreciate your personal visits, prayers, assistance and valuable advice, and more especially to all those who took out their precious time to support and visit with us. May the Almighty God reward your kindness with greater measure.

And to all our guests, may the Good Lord bless you and keep you and bring you back to your respective homes safely in Jesus Name. Amen. Thank you all so much. — The Henton Family --

Arrangements Entrusted to:

Leak and Sons Funeral Home 7838 South Cottage Grove Avenue - Chicago, Illinois 60619 (773) 846-6567

Interment

Monday, November 2, 2015
Processional from Monument of Faith Church at 9:00am
Evergreen Cemetery and Mausoleum
3401 West 87th Street - Evergreen Park, iL
(708) 433-9501

Repast

Dinner will be served immediately following the home going in the Monument of Faith Sanctuary

Program Committee

Pastor Mark Henton, Pastor DeAndre Patterson, Dr. Ray Berryhill Barbara Barrett, Richard Jackson, Regina Carter, John Cox

CHRIST IS THE ANSWER

APOSTLE HENTON'S THEME SONG

WHILE YOU'RE ON YOUR KNEES PRAYING GOD SENDS AN ANGEL AND PUTS HIM ON THE RUN BY THE TIME YOU'VE FINISHED PRAYING THE THINGS YOU'VE BEEN PRAYING FOR IS ALREADY DONE

CHRIST IS THE ANSWER
TRUST MY LORD TODAY
LET HIM MAKE A WAY
YOU MAY BE HIGH
YOU MAY BE RICH
YOU MAY BE RICH
YOU MAY BE POOR
THIS ONE THING I DO KNOW
THAT CHRISTIS IS THE ANSWER FOR YOU.

LIFE DOWN HERE ON EARTH IS SO UNCERTAIN THERE ARE PITFALLS ALONG LIFE'S WAY THERE IS AN ANSWER TO ALL YOUR PROBLEMS AND THAT IS WHY YOU WILL HEAR ME SAY

TRUST MY LORD TODAY
LET HIM MAKE A WAY
YOU MAY BE HIGH
YOU MAY BE RICH
YOU MAY BE RICH
YOU MAY BE POOR
THIS ONE THING I DO KNOW
THAT CHRIST IS THE ANSWER FOR YOU.

CHRIST IS THE ANSWER

WANTERFOR PARTY CHILLIER

AN EAST OF THE CHILLIER

AND EAST OF

"GOD WAS REAL TO ME AS A YOUNG TEENAGER, AND THAT'S WHY I'LL SERVE HIM ALL THE DAYS OF MY LIFE."

APOSTLE R.D. HENTON