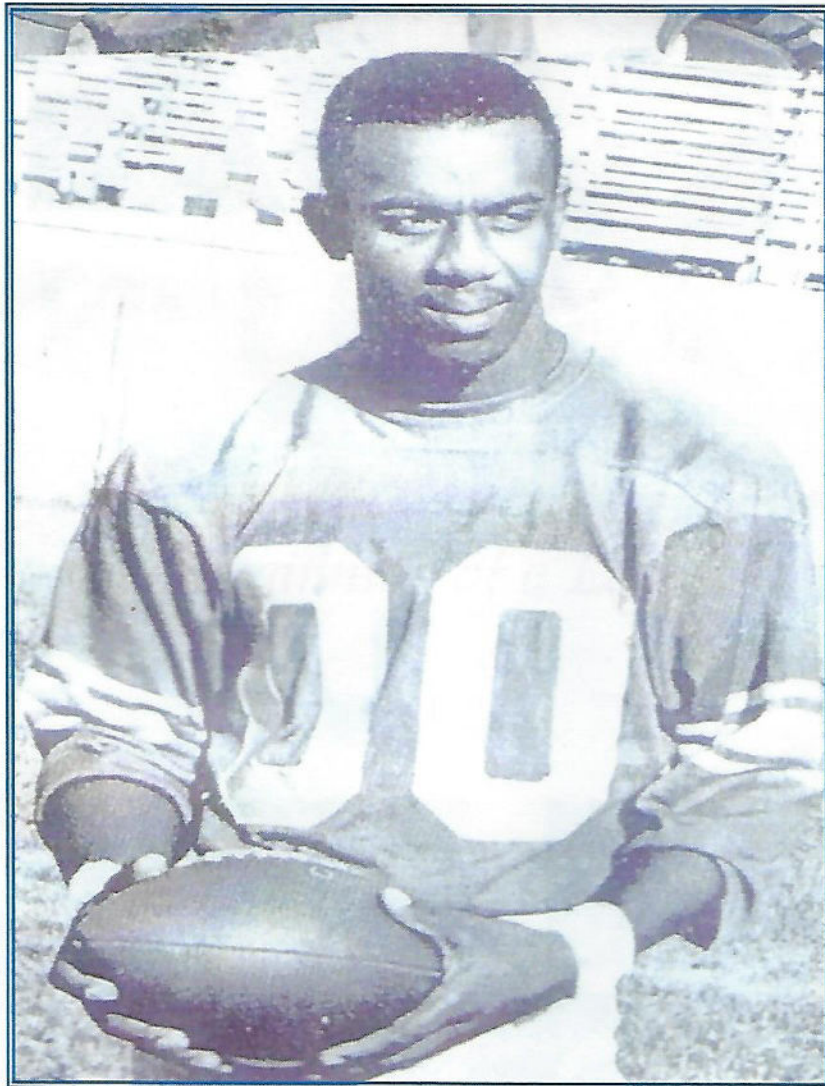


*A Celebration of Life
for*

Coleman James "Jimmy" Lowe



*Sunrise
June 10, 1948*

*Sunset
April 17, 2017*

April 29, 2017 at 11:00 a.m.

*Macedonia M. B. Church
715 Martin Luther King Drive
Corinth, MS 38834*

Reverend Robert Johnson / Officiating



The Beginning of a Legacy



Order of Service

Prelude	Mr. Konson Patton	
Processional	Ministers & Family	
Tribute to Our God	"Every Praise"	Macedonia Mass Choir
Scripture	Old & New Testament	Minister Allie Bean
Prayer	Deacon Laroscoe Patterson	
Selection	"He's Got the Whole World in His Hand"	Mrs. Jean Settle (Musically Rendered)
Acknowledgements	Sis. Donna Gardner	
Song of Hope	"It Is No Secret What God Can Do"	Mrs. Peaches Warren (Jimmy's Favorite Hymn)
Resolutions	Sis. Shirley Rolland	
Spirit Song	"We Need that Jimmy Lowe Spirit"	Mrs. Jean Settle Mr. Konson Patton

"Tributes"

As a Church Member	Deacon Raymond McClellan	
Easom High School Class of 1965	Mr. Jerry Finger	
Easom High School Football Teammate	Mr. Samuel Crayton	
Easom High School Alumni	(Come as You Wish)	
Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority	Rev. Anita Keith	
Tuskegee Roommate/Teammate	Mr. Greg Hall Retired Army Colonel, Sterling Dullas, Virginia	
Proclamation	Mr. Author Brown, Executive Director, Jackson MS Tuskegee Golden Tigers Athletic Alumni Association	
"We Will Always Love You"	The Lowe Family	
"Song of Encouragement"	"Lean On Me"	Sis. Monica Sorrell
Words of Encouragement	Reverend Robert Johnson Pastor, Barrs Chapel Church Paris, TN	
Tribute of Vocal Praise		

Kappa Alpha Psi Ceremony

"Let the Church Say Amen"

"Oh Happy Day"

Benediction



Obituary

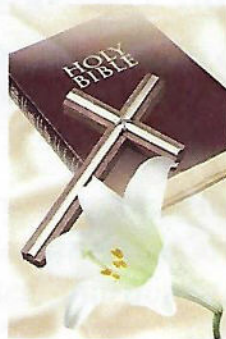
Coleman James "Jimmy" Lowe made his transition to a better place, earlier this month, in Detroit, Michigan. Jimmy was born, the second of three children, to Reverend Coleman and Mrs. Lillie Lowe.

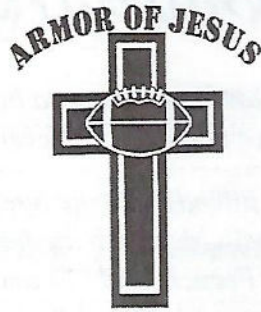
Jimmy received his early education by attending Scale Street Elementary School, and then to Easom High, where he was involved in many school activities such as: band, football, basketball, Hi-Y, student council, Explorers Club, Industrial Arts Club, French Club, Dramatics Club, Boy Scout Troop #53, 1965 Editor of the Easom High Yearbook, paper staff, Science Club, and Business Club. At Easom, Jimmy played two seasons as an end before being shifted to quarterback in his junior and senior years. He also excelled in baseball and basketball for the Yellow Jackets, and was a member of the 1964-65 Easom championship basketball squad. After graduating from Easom High in 1965, Jimmy attended Tuskegee Institute, Tuskegee, Alabama, where he pledged to what he considered to be the best fraternity in the world, Kappa Alpha Psi. He became a four-year letterman, and was selected to the All-SIAC team three consecutive seasons. He was described as "one of the best in the league" by his college coach. Jimmy led the SIAC in pass receptions with 65 in his ten games. Not only was he one of the top athletes at Tuskegee, but he rated among the top in his school work majoring in mechanical industries. He was drafted by the Cleveland Browns in 1969, and later played for the Hartford Knights. Football was among one of his passions. He was also a very talented musician mastering the trumpet, guitar, and keyboard. Any time and any place there was music, you could easily get a solo from him.

After his career with the NFL, Jimmy fulfilled his second passion as a teacher in the Detroit City School District, teaching at Hampton Middle School, Halley Middle school and coached football at Central, Henry Ford, and Martin Luther King High Schools, inspiring children in the classroom and on the football field for over 30 years He was active in the Detroit community. He volunteered his time as a mentor and coach for many city football leagues. In his neighborhood, he was known to freely mow lawns, shovel snow, and assist his neighbors in any way he could. He enjoyed cooking, playing music, and entertaining friends, especially his family. When Jimmy would come home for the holidays or special events, you would be assured of musical renditions, poetry, and "Standup Comic Acts!" Within this humor, Jimmy possessed a "Big" heart, and a genuine "Love" for his family.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Reverend Coleman and Mrs. Lilli M. Lowe, grandparents Sam and Mattie L. McGhee, Coleman and Miranda Gaines-Lowe, two brother-in-laws, James W. Settle and William S. Warren, and a nephew PFC Kolben Patton.

Surviving this great loss are two loving sisters, Jean Lowe-Settle, Holly Springs, MS and Albertine Lowe-Warren of Bethel Springs, TN, nephews, Kerry Patton (Cassie), Birmingham, AL, Konson R. Patton, Nashville, TN, KeShun Calomese, Tupelo, MS, Jhordon Scales, Holly Springs, MS, Nieces Kela Settle, Tupelo, MS, Kalita Vangas (Hiram) Atlanta, Ga, Kerica Settle, Booneville, MS, Kamaya Calomese, Tupelo, MS, Konstance and Kalleigh Scales, Holly Springs, MS, Hiram III of Atlanta GA, and a host of cousins, other relatives, former teammates, fraternity brothers, coworkers, and special families in Detroit, the Davis, Dyer and Woodhouse Families.





To My Big Brother "Jimmy"

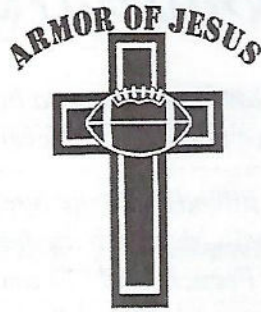
As a child, I don't think I idolized anyone more than I did you! Of course, I had to, because you gave me my nickname. Thank you, Jimmy.

As a teenager, I admired your strength, your ambitious nature, your ability to use the gifts God gave you, and to become the "Super Star" you always said you were, whether it was on the football field, classroom, or behind the keyboard.

Then as an adult, you taught me how to overcome adversities, disappointments, challenges that life will bring, how to stand tall and face them with pride and courage.

But above all things, Jimmy, you taught me not to follow my dreams but to chase them. I will miss you!!

Love, Peaches



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"Farewell but Never Goodbye"

*You may be out of my sight,
But never out of my heart.
I'll miss your smile and comical laugh
You brightened up anyone's day.
No one could ever take your place,
You were the greatest Uncle I can truly say.
I say farewell but never goodbye,
Until we meet again beyond the sky.*

Kerica Settle, Niece

When I was a kid, I would look through your Easom High and Tuskegee yearbooks with total fascination. I saw all of your football and music trophies and other "good student-athlete awards" that Mama kept at her house. You were a superstar!

I remember the excitement in her voice when she would tell us that you were coming home. I think I was more excited. Man, I could not wait for you to show up. I would stay up late waiting for you to drive down from Detroit and tell me all the "cool" things that were happening in the "big city".

I listened to all of your football and music stories. You said you could run a ball like Jim Brown but he couldn't play a trumpet. I still laugh at that.

I would sneak and play your guitar badly when you were not around. All it did was "de-tune" the strings. You knew that, but never fussed.

You would tell me about all the famous people you met while I watched you shave. I liked to watch you shave and do other "man stuff" like tie your tie, shine your shoes or throw me the keys to your car and tell me to go fill it with gas early in the morning. You would laugh and say, "Don't lean too much in it!" I didn't have a driver's license yet. I still laugh at that.

Most importantly, you told me, Mama was right. And she was.

I appreciate that you were a true "free spirit" that always took the time to listen to us kids and keep us motivated.

When I was a kid, you coming home brought me so much joy.

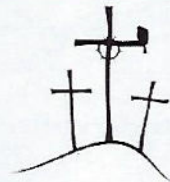
And today I am filled with joy because I know you are Home.

I love you Jimmy Lowe.

Your number 1 nephew, Kerry

Goodbyes are not forever

*Goodbyes are not the end.
They simply mean. "I'll miss you"
Until we meet again*



*Kerry, Konson, Hiram, Kela
Kalita, Cassandra, Kerica, KaMaya,
KeShun, Konstance, Jhordon, Hiram III and Kalleigh*

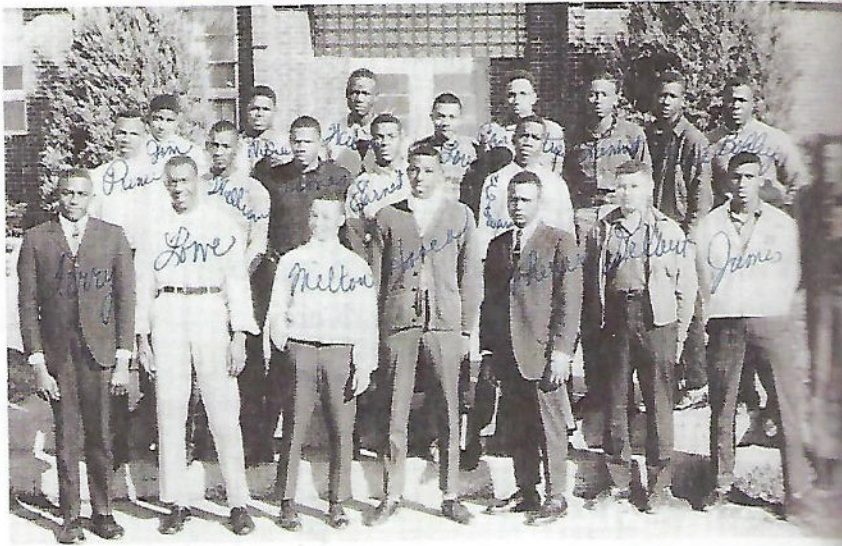


STUDENT COUNCIL

Eason Student Council Activities 1. Participate in school assemblies 2. Keep weekly record of absentees in school 3. Establish student court 4. Supervise monitor system for corridors 5. Attend state conventions 6. Induct council officers in school assembly 7. Sponsor talent programs 8. In conjunction with other clubs, participate in drives: March of Dimes, Polio, etc.



TROOP #52 BOY SCOUTS

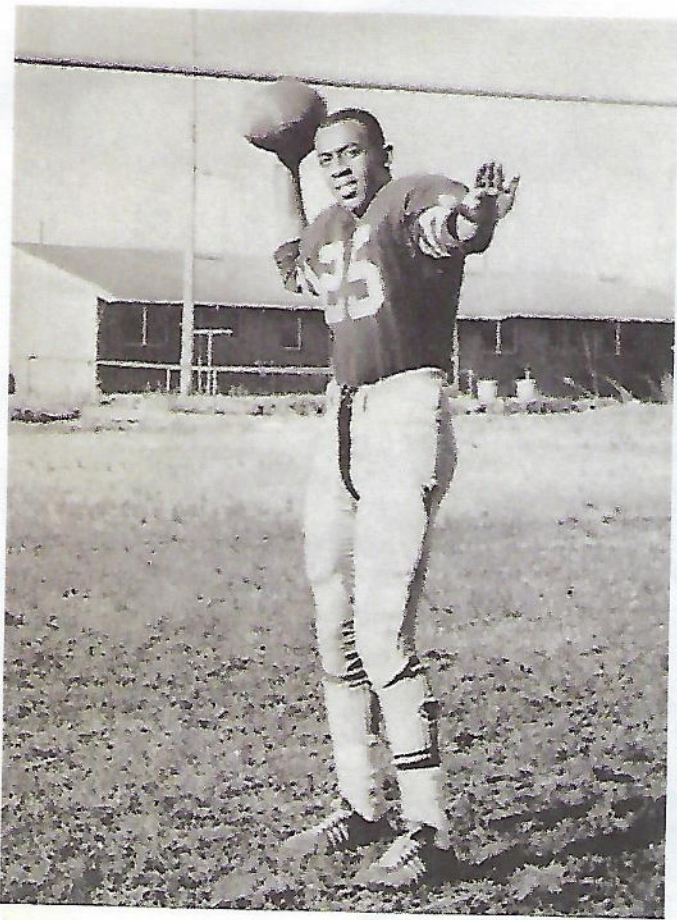


Through scouting boys enjoy fellowship and fun in the great outdoor, while developing the characteristics of good citizens.

MOST TALENTED

James Lowe
and
Stella McGaha





JAMES LOWE
All-Conference
(Quarterback)



Seniors: L-R, James Lowe, Earnest Eaton and Edward Shumpert



Work can be fun at times.



Former Easom Footballer Drafted By NFL's Browns

CORINTH, Miss. — A former Easom High football star became the second Corinthian to join the pro football ranks in the past two years.

James Lowe, a 1965 graduate of Easom, was drafted by the Cleveland Browns of the National Football League last week in the combined AFL-NFL draft of college players.

Last year James Wren, another graduate of Easom High, signed as a free agent with the Detroit Lions of the NFL after graduating from Jackson State Teachers College in Jackson, Miss.

Lowe is completing his senior year at Tuskegee Institute in Tuskegee, Ala., at the present time and will join the Browns when practice gets underway this fall.

The 190-pound speedster was signed as a flanker by the Browns. Lowe is 6-1 and has been clocked in the 100-yard dash at 9.8.

Easom High's football coach, Frank Dorsey, said yesterday, "I remember when Lowe first came out in high school. He was slow and somewhat awkward, but determination and self-improvement made him a standout before his senior year."

At Easom Lowe played two seasons as an end before being shifted to quarterback in his junior and senior years. He also excelled in baseball and basketball for the Yellowjackets. He was a member of the 1964-65 Easom championship basketball squad.

At Tuskegee Lowe was a four year letterman and selected to the All-SIAC team three consecutive seasons. He was All-

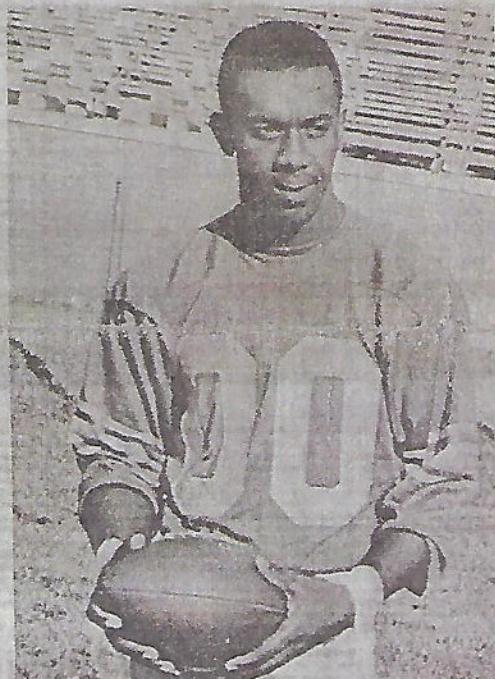
NAIAC this year and was described as "one of the best in the league" by his college coach.

Ralph Bishop, formerly of Corinth and the son of E.S. Bishop, is an assistant coach at Tuskegee. This season Tuskegee Institute had four players selected in the combined draft held last week.

Lowe led the SIAC in pass receptions this season with 65 in his ten games. Not only was he one of the top athletes at Tuskegee, but he rated among the top in his school work majoring in mechanical industries.

According to Coach Bishop, Lowe was drafted by Cleveland on the assumption that he will strengthen their offense as a pass receiver.

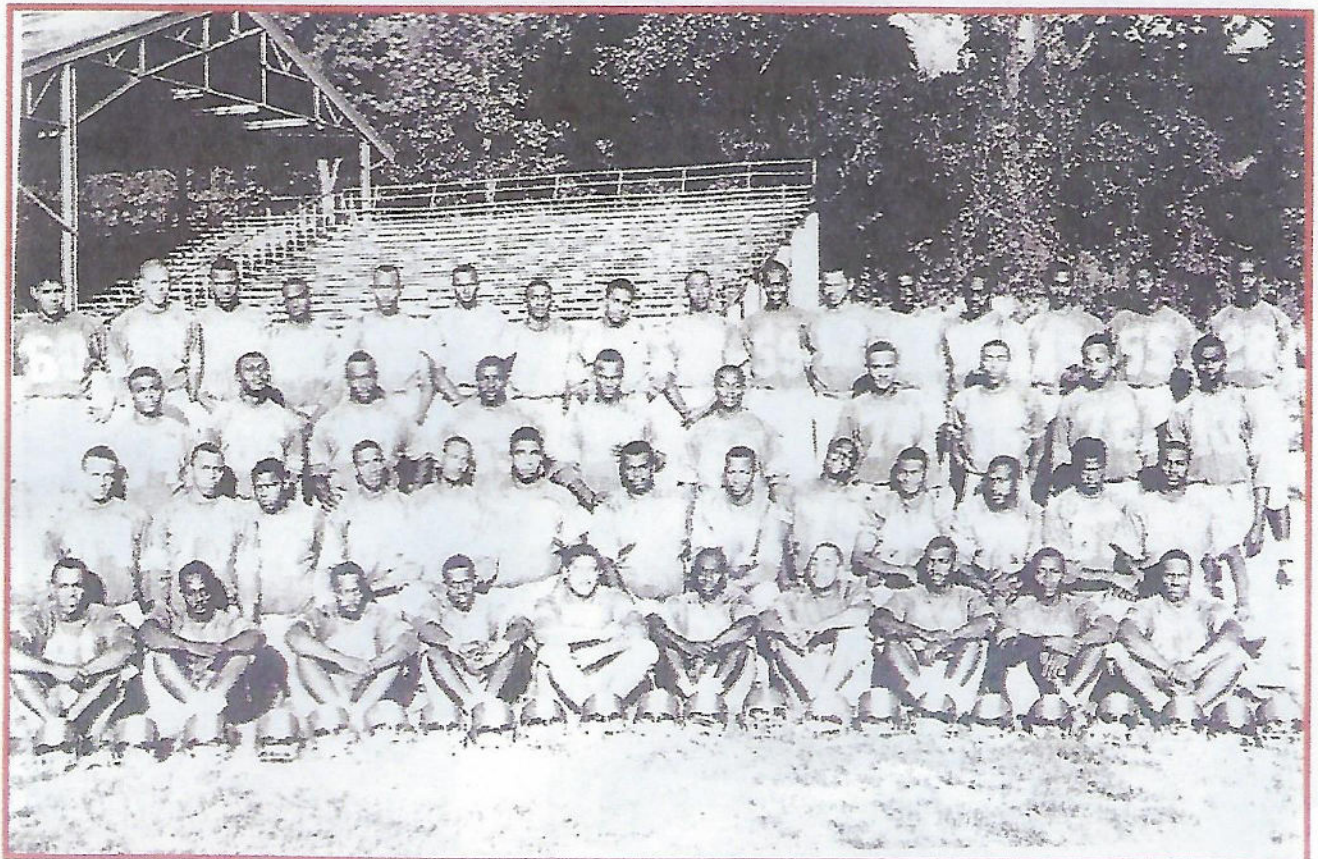
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Flanker James Lowe



1967 SIAC CHAMPIONS
40th Reunion
Tuskegee Golden Tigers
November 2, 2007





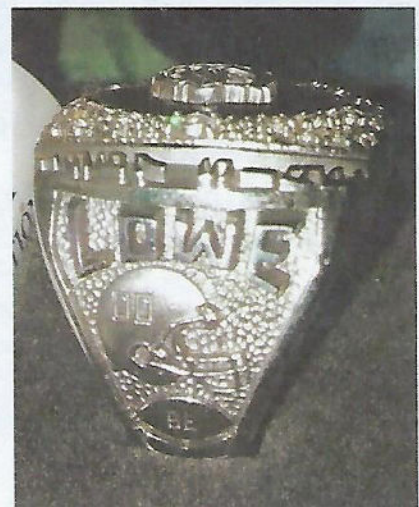
William King

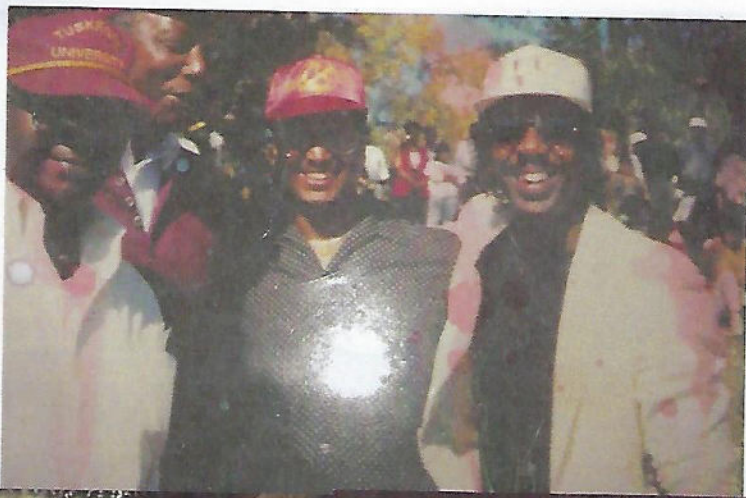
New Guy

"Me"
Jimmy Lowe

Milan Williams
Okolona MS
("HomeBoy")

Members of The Commodores



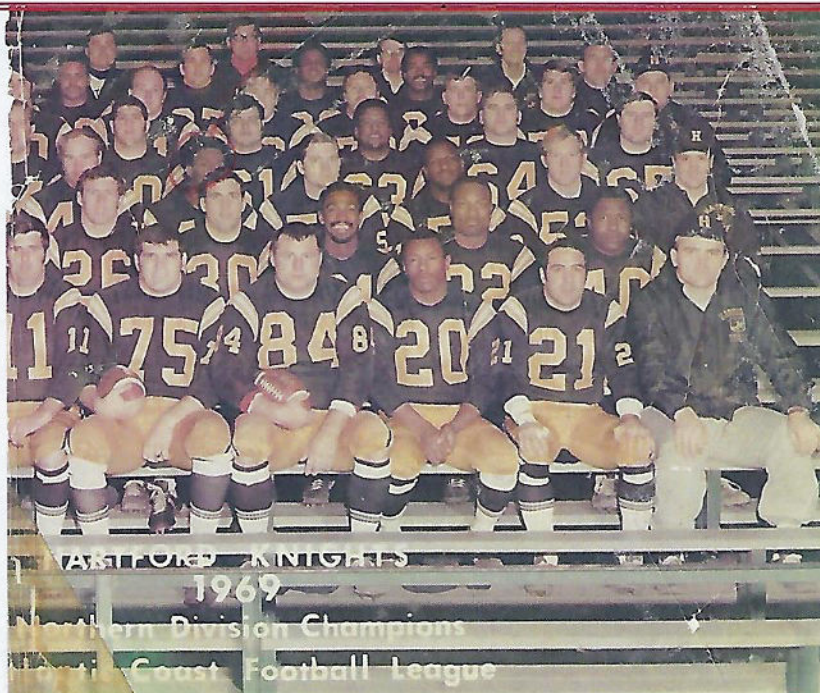




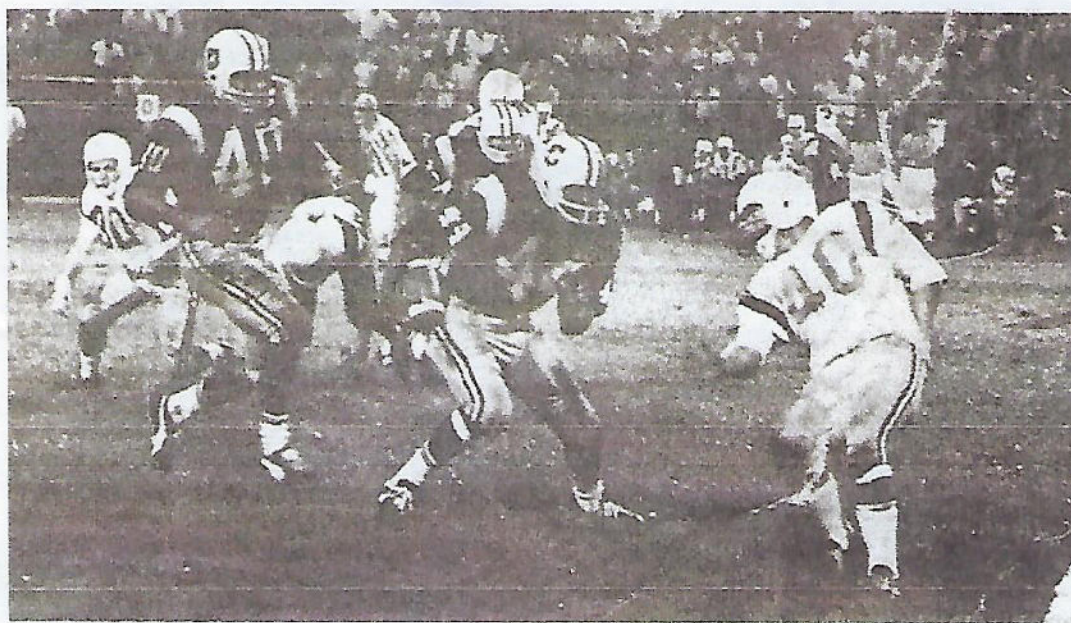


Family

One of Life's Greatest Blessings



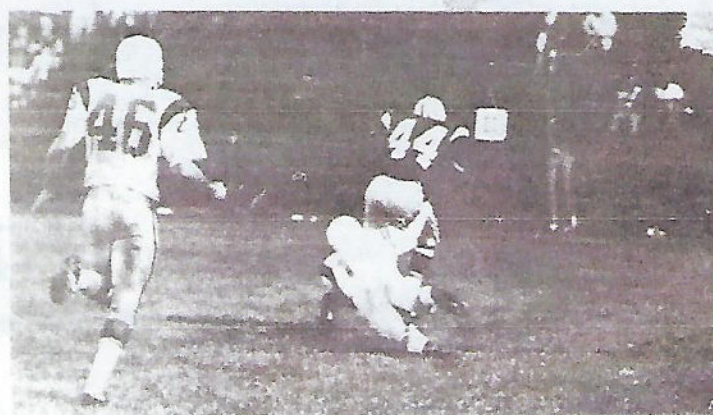
RUSSELL TO LOWE — TOUCHDOWN — 52 YARDS



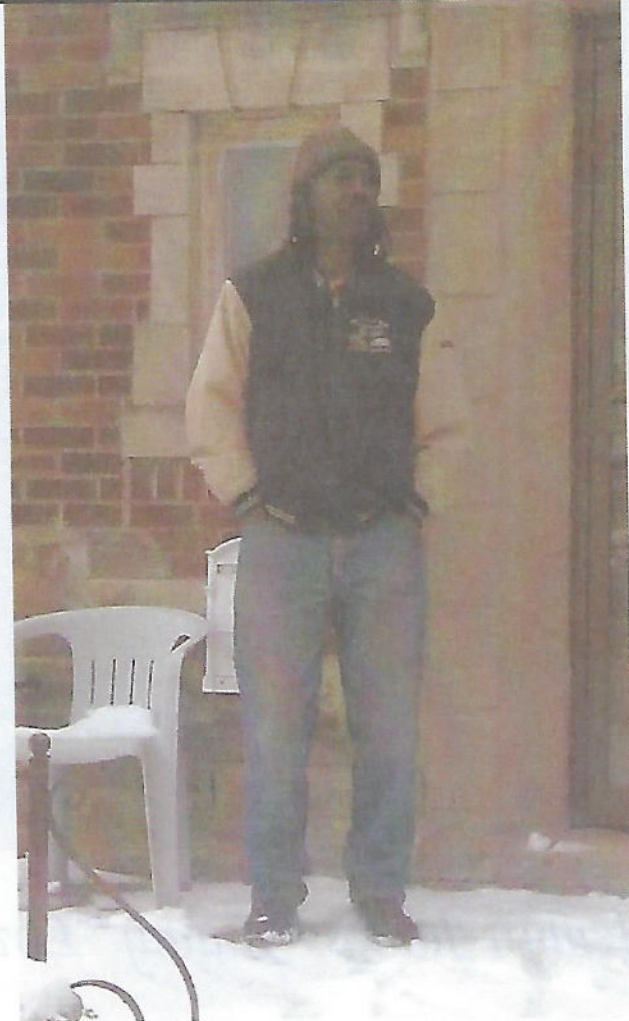
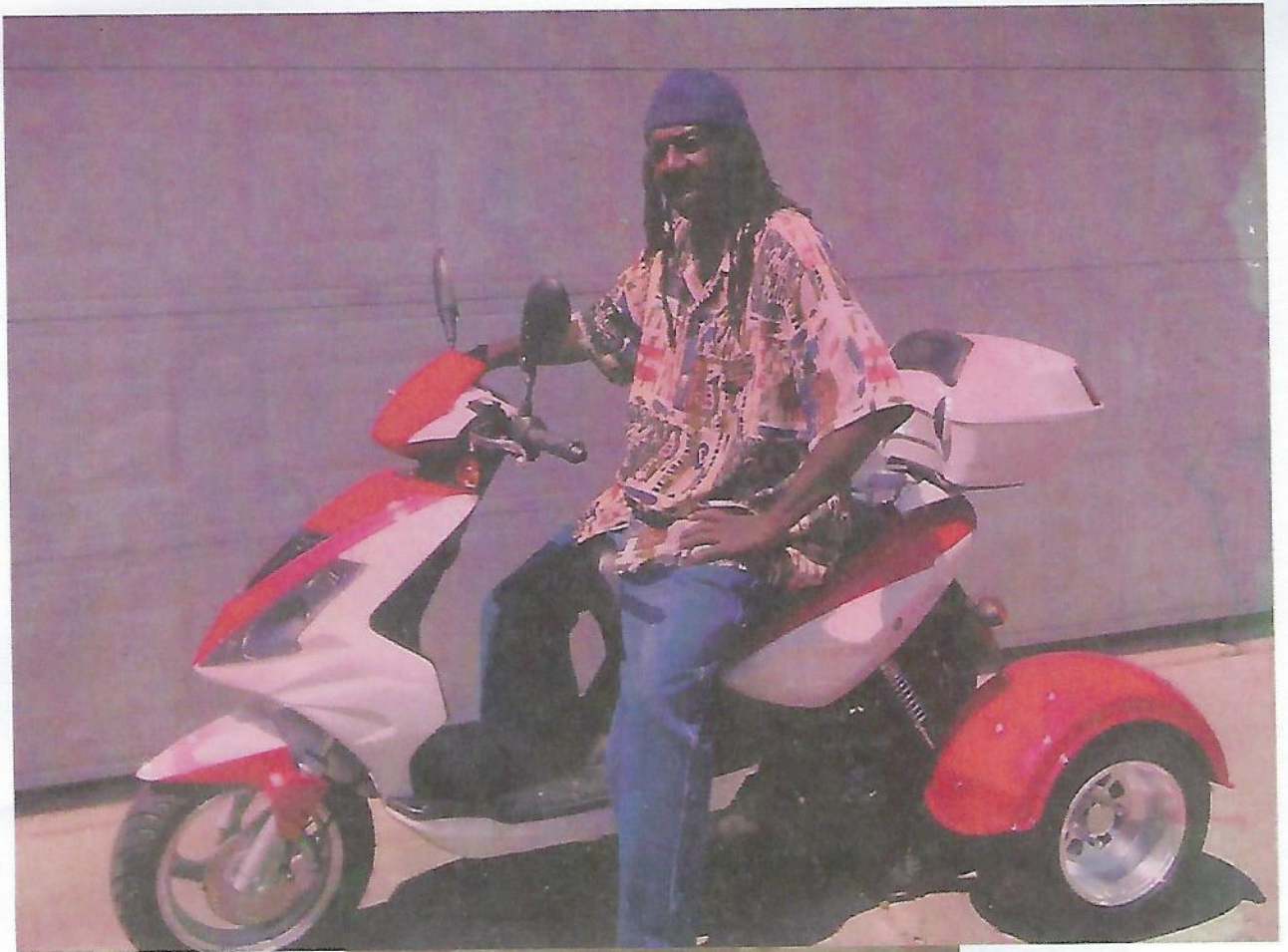
4. Lowe puts a move on Nelson. Knights' Tom Morris moves to assist.



5. Lowe gains running room behind fine downfield block by Dan Andrews, #83.

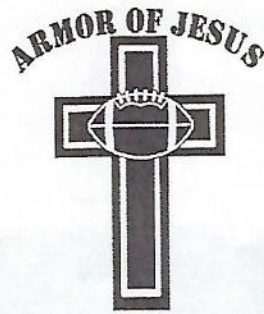


6. Lowe breaks last tackle by Giants' Dick Rogers, #15, and romps into the end zone.





Coleman James "Jimmy" Lowe



**Dinner will be served to family and friends following the Memorial Services
At Macedonia M. B. Church Fellowship Hall**

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

The family of Brother Coleman James "Jimmy" Lowe would like to express our deepest gratitude to each of you for all the love show to us during the loss of our brother, uncle, and friend of all he encountered. Jimmy was so full of life and love and we thank each of you for helping us endure this tremendous loss. Thank you for the calls, cards, food, and monetary gifts, flowers, text messages and most importantly the prayers. Words cannot express the love and support we have felt during this most trying time. No deed has gone unnoticed. A special thank you to all the friends and family that traveled so far to participate in this Celebration of life. Thank you to those in Detroit Michigan that loved and supported Jimmy and became his family away from home. Also, we would like to extend a heartfelt thank you to our Macedonia Church family and the Patterson Memorial Chapel for all you did to make this day special and just a little more bearable. We ask your continued prayers as we adjust to life without Jimmy's earthly presence. Praying God's richest Blessing upon each of you.

The Entire Lowe Family

Arrangements Entrusted to:



Patterson Memorial Chapel
125 S. Franklin Street
Corinth, MS 38834
662-286-2200