

## FOOTPRINTS IN THE SAND

One night I had a dream-

I dreamed I was walking along the beach with the Lord  
And across the sky flashed scenes from my life.

For each scene I noticed two sets of footprints in  
the sand.

One belonged to me and the other to the Lord.

When the last scene of my life flashed before us,  
I looked back at the footprints in the sand.

I noticed that many times along the path of my life  
there was only one set of footprints.

I also noticed that it happened at the very lowest  
and saddest times in my life.

This really bothered me and I questioned the Lord  
about it,

"Lord, you said that once I decided to follow you,  
you would walk with me all the way,

But I have noticed that during the most troublesome  
times of my life,

there is only one set of footprints.

I don't understand why in times when I needed you most,  
you should leave me."

The Lord replied, "My precious, precious child, I love  
you and I would never, never leave you during your  
times of trial and suffering.

When you saw only one set of footprints,

It was then that I carried you."

-Author Unknown

## 23RD PSALM

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.

He maketh me to lie down in green pastures;

He leadeth me beside the still waters.

He restoreth my soul:

He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness  
for his name's sake.

Yea, though I walk through the valley in the  
shadow of death,

I will fear no evil:

For thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff  
they comfort me.

Thou preparest a table before me in the  
presence of mine enemies;

Thou anointest my head with oil;

My cup runneth over.

Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me  
all the days of my life:

And I will dwell in the house of the Lord  
forever.

THE SERVICES

for

MR. ROBERT "ROB" GRIER

Monday, July 15, 1985 - 5:00 P.M.

Mt. Zion A.M.E. Zion Church

Rev. Freeman Wray, Pastor

PROCESSIONAL

OPENING HYMN ..... "Jesus Keep Me Near the Cross"

PRAYER

SCRIPTURE ..... 23rd Psalm

WORDS OF COMFORT ..... Rev. Freeman Wray

VIEWING THE REMAINS ..... Morticians

RECESSIONAL

COMMITAL, BENEDICTION, INTERMENT..... Graveside

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Friends

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ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

The family is most appreciative of all gestures of love and kindness extended to them during their time of bereavement.

A Being  
May 9, 1885

An End  
July 12, 1985

OBITUARY

MR. ROBERT "ROB" GRIER was born in Fairfield County. He was the son of the late Fannie Sawyer and Wylie Grier. Mr. Grier was a retired farmer.

He leaves to mourn his departure: a stepdaughter, Mrs. Rosa Rodgers of Winnsboro; a sister, Mrs. Sally Walker of Rock Hill; brothers, John Grier of Winnsboro and Sam McLilly of Chester; six grandchildren; great-grandchildren and a host of nieces, nephews and other relatives.

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*God saw the road was getting rough  
The hill so hard to climb  
He gently closed his loving eyes and whispered  
"PEACE BE THINE."*

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