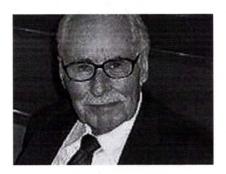
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## Lesson 12



## **Reverend Ed Ballew**

Reverend Ed Ballew, 86, a resident of the Sugar Creek Community in Bradley County, went home to be with the Lord Thursday evening, November 18, 2010 surrounded by his family and friends. He was the son of the late Andrew and Viney Ballew. He is preceded in death by his wife Pauline Patterson Ballew and his brother, Windell Ballew. He was a renowned evangelist worldwide and preached for 64 years seeing many lost souls saved. He pastored a number of churches in Tennessee, Georgia and Florida. He also had several radio broadcast for many years. He and his wife were the founders of the Rock of Ages Prison Ministry. He received a Doctor of Divinity Degree from Faith Baptist Bible College & Messianic School of Theology. He was a member of Calvary Baptist Church in Red Bank and an honorary member of the Way of the Cross Baptist Church in Cleveland. Survivors include daughters: Joyce Anselment and her husband Larry of Cleveland, Tina Kerr and her husband Ray of Cleveland; grandchildren: Mason Holliday and his wife Rena, Cary Anselment and his wife Tracy, Anittra Hall and her husband Shaine, Casey Kerr and his wife Laura, great-grandchildren: Malcolm Holliday, Dylan Hall, Olivia Kerr, Carson Kerr and great-great-grandchild Brayley Doss Holliday, all of Cleveland; brother, Reverend Bobby Ballew & his wife Peggy of Chatsworth, GA & several nieces and nephews also survive.

A Remembrance of Life Service was conducted 2:00 PM Monday November 22, 2010, at the Way of the Cross Baptist Church with Reverend Mason Holliday, Reverend Steve Roberson, Reverend Johnny Nix Jr. and Reverend Charles Lawson officiating. Interment followed in the Fairy Valley Cemetery.