

*Celebrating the Life
and Homegoing
Of
Dwayne McKinney*

August 26, 1957 - May 24, 2017



Funeral Service

Saturday, June 3, 2017 - 9:00 a.m.

**CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH
OF NORTH JERSEY AT GARFIELD**
217-245 Passaic Street, Garfield, New Jersey 07026
Rev. Dr. Calvin McKinney, Pastor

Presiding

The Rev. Kenneth D. R. Clayton, Senior Pastor
St. Luke Baptist Church, Paterson, NJ

The Invocation.....Pastor Clayton

Hymn of Consolation“O How I love Jesus”

The Written Word

Psalm 23 - The Rev. James Williams, Pastor
Mt. Olive Baptist Church, Hoboken, NJ

1 Corinthians 15:15-58

The Rev. Michael Jordan, Pastor
Mt. Olive Baptist Church, East Orange, NJ
1 Thessalonians 4:13-18

The Rev. Gregory J. Jackson, Senior Pastor
Mt. Olive Baptist Church, Hackensack, NJ

Hymn of Comfort“He Will Remember Me”

Expressions of Comfort



National Baptist Convention, USA, Inc.

The Rev. Dr. Jesse Bottoms, NE Vice-President

Senior Pastor, Beulah Baptist Church, Poughkeepsie NY

General Baptist Convention of NJ, Inc.

The Rev. Dr. Lester Taylor, President

Senior Pastor, Community Baptist Church, Englewood, NJ

United Missionary Baptist Convention of NJ

The Rev Dr. Robert L. Curry, President

Senior Pastor, Mt. Zion Baptist Church, S. Hackensack, NJ

The Word in Song.....Calvary Church Choir

Expressions of Comfort

Calvary Church Family Dea. Darryl Fennell, Servant Leader

Pastor Kenneth Clayton, Worship Leader

The Word in SongThe Rev. Shirley Reed

Reflections and Celebration of Life and Hope

Pastor Calvin McKinney

Celebration in Song“I'll Get Home Someday”

ORDER OF SERVICE



Dwayne McKinney, the youngest son and child of the late John Henry McKinney, Sr. and Lillie Mae (Bouknight) McKinney, was born in Passaic, New Jersey on August 26, 1957.

Raised in the city of Passaic, he graduated from Passaic High School in 1975. Upon graduation he enrolled in Upsala College in East Orange, New Jersey where he eventually earned a Bachelor of Science Degree. While at Upsala, Dwayne enlisted in the U.S. Army where he served until being honorably discharged.

At an early age he professed Christ as his personal savior, was baptized and became a member of the Community Baptist Church of Love in Paterson, New Jersey under the pastorate of the late Rev. F.H. LaGarde, Sr. He later became a member of the Calvary Baptist Church of North Jersey at Garfield under the leadership of his brother, Dr. Calvin McKinney, serving as a percussionist in the Music Ministry, a van driver, and in the Ministry of Christian Education.

Growing up in Passaic, Dwayne was active in Youth Baseball, Drill teams and other sporting events sponsored by the Passaic Housing Authority/Passaic Recreation Department, culminating in a trip to Puerto Rico for young people.

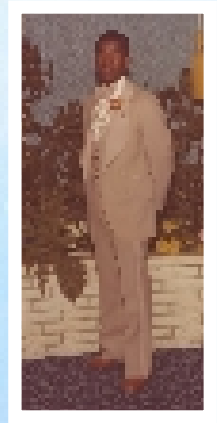
Dwayne was employed as a Lab Technician in various chemical and pharmaceutical companies including Ciba-Geigy Corporation in Summit, New Jersey, and on Long Island, New York. Upon the passing of his father and mother, Dwayne relocated to Miami, Florida where he immediately joined the New Birth Missionary Baptist Church under the leadership of Bishop Victor Curry, where he served in the Music Ministry.

In Florida he was employed by Warner Brothers Publications and most recently Quantum Storage Services in Miami Gardens, Florida.

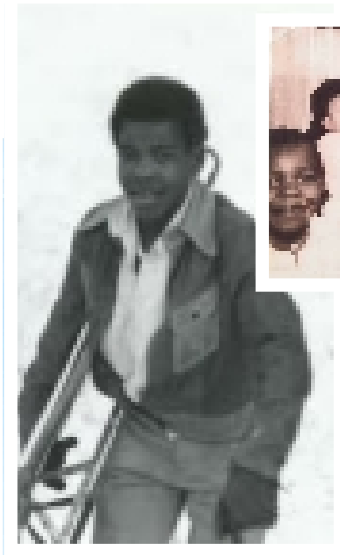


Dwayne was predeceased by his parents and his youngest sister, Regina.

He leaves to cherish his memory and his love, two sons, Damen Eugene Flowers, Powhatan, Virginia and TaQuann Dwayne McKinney, Washington, DC; two grandsons, NaQeem and Damon; three brothers, John H. Jr. (Charlene), Hackensack, New Jersey, Harold, Miami, Florida, and Calvin (Brendalyn), Passaic, New Jersey; three sisters, Marzella Allen (Robert) and Carzella Hawes, Passaic, New Jersey, and Carolyn Croix (William), Garfield, New Jersey; nieces, nephews, cousins and a host of other relatives and friends.



LIFE REFLECTIONS



Like a ship that's toss'd and driven, Battered by an angry sea, When the storms of life are raging, And their fury falls on me, I wonder what I have done, That makes this race so hard to run, Then I say to my soul, take courage, The Lord will make a way somehow. The Lord will make a way somehow, When beneath the cross I bow; He will take away each sorrow,

Let Him have your burdens now;

When the load bear's down so heavy, The weight is shown upon my brow, There's a sweet relief in knowing, O the lord will make a way somehow.

Thomas A. Dorsey



PRECIOUS MEMORIES

“Twilight and Evening Bell,
One clear call for me.
May there be no mourning at
the bar
When I'm put out to sea.”
“Twilight and Evening Star,
And after that the dark.
May there be no sadness of
farewell
When I depart.”



Acknowledgements

The family of the late **Dwayne McKinney** wishes to express their deepest and most sincere thanks to all who shared with them in this time of sorrow. May God bless and keep you in a most gracious way. The McKinney Family and the Calvary Baptist Church Family Join in saying Thank You, Thank You, Thank You!

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