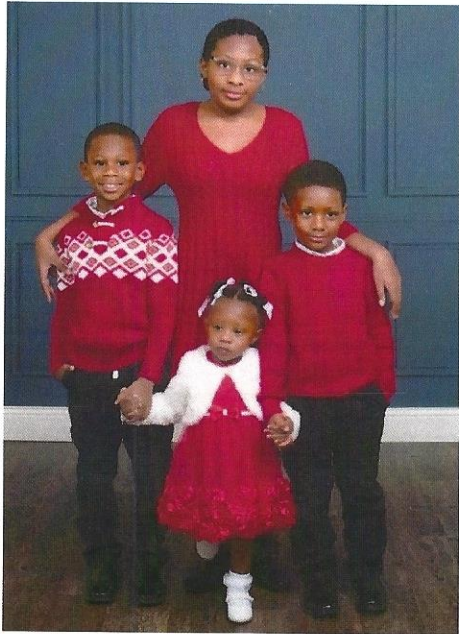


The Broken Chain

We little knew that morning that God was going to call your name. In life we loved you dearly, in death we do the same. It broke our hearts to lose you. You did not go alone, for part of us went with you the day God called you home. You left us peaceful memories. Your love is still our guide. And though we cannot see you, you are always at our side. Our family chain is broken and nothing seems the same, but as God calls us one by one, the Chain will link again.



*Love always,
Your Family*

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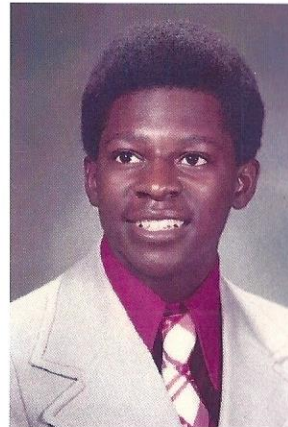
The family of Dwight Anthony McNeal acknowledges with sincere appreciation every act of kindness shown in our hour of bereavement. Special thanks to Dr. Essex and Dr. Jeoffrey at Greater Dayton Vascular Center, Pastor Tracy McGuire, Pastor Jeffrey Parks and to all of our family and friends who helped in anyway. Thank you for your presence here with us today. May God continue to bless and keep you. Please continue to keep our family in your prayers.

Flower Bearers

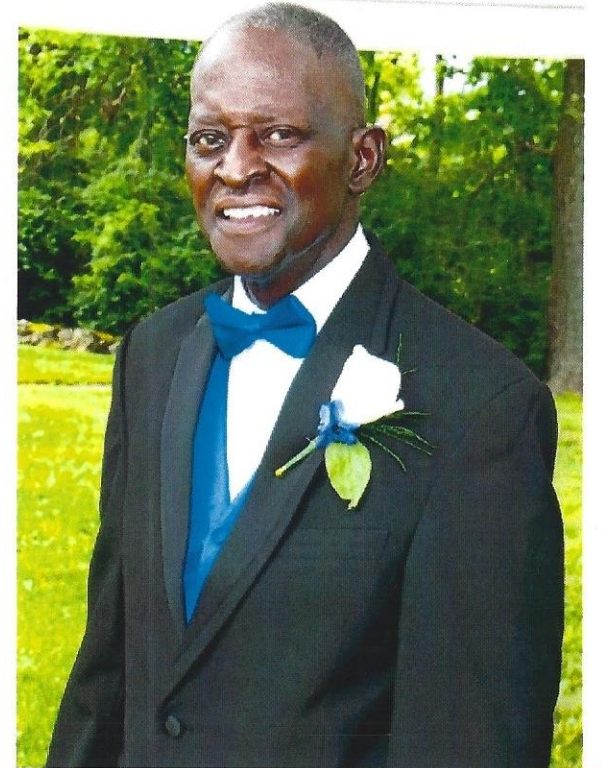
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Celebration of Life Dwight A. McNeal



October 16, 1956 - January 31, 2021

*Funeral Service 11:00 a.m.
Saturday, February 13, 2021*

*Thomas Funeral Home
4520 Salem Ave., Trotwood, Ohio*

*Pastor Jeffrey Parks, Officiating
Pastor Tracy McGuire, Eulogist*

Obituary

Dwight Anthony McNeal, age 64 was born October 16, 1956 in Dayton, Ohio to Ida M. McNeal and the late Jessie R. McNeal. He was educated in the Dayton Public School system and graduated from Meadowdale High School, Class of '1974. Dwight worked at United Press as a Print Operator and Delphi a Division of General Motors as a Press Operator for 12 years. He accepted Christ as Lord and Savior and was baptized as a young man. Dwight was a past member of Mt. Calvary Baptist Church and served on the Youth Ministry.

Dwight was a great father and wonderful husband and brother. He enjoyed life and was always positive, cheerful, sincere, a strong friend and made others feel that they were cared about and loved. Dwight would give you the shirt off his back if needed. He had a passion for playing golf and refereeing basketball.

On Sunday, January 31, 2021 Dwight transitioned from this life to be in the presence of the Lord. He leaves to cherish fond memories and celebrate his life: his loving and devoted wife of 3 years, Connie Lynn McNeal; (2) children, Dion and Brittney McNeal; (1) step-son, Jonte' Rutledge; (7) grandchildren, Tatiana, Lane, Anthony and Sha'Ron McNeal, William Wills, Jr., Alayna and Arianna Ellington; (1) sister, Debra (Daryle) Griffin; (1) brother, Dexter McNeal; (3) nieces, Amber (Jason) Boyd, Lynsey (Deshawn) Burkins and Nikki McNeal; (3) nephews, Elijah (Ashley) Griffin, Aaron and Korey McNeal; (3) special aunts, Irma Johnson, JoAnna and Mary McNeal; a host of cousins, other relatives and friends.

- Dwight -

*"Your life was a blessing, Your Memory a Treasure.
You were loved beyond words and
Missed beyond Measure."*

Order of Service

Officiant.....Pastor Jeffrey Parks
Musical Prelude.....Soft Music
Parting View.....The Family
Scripture Reading.....Clergy
Prayer of Comfort.....Clergy
Musical Selection.....Grant Williams
Obituary Reading.....Dorothy Wimbley
Poem/Acknowledgements.....
Reflections.....(Please limit to 2 minutes)
Musical Selection.....Grant Williams
Eulogy.....Pastor Tracy McGuire
Benediction.....Pastor Tracy McGuire
Final Disposition.....Cremation

*Please wear a mask during Service
and remember Social Distancing.*

Psalm 23 - A Psalm of David (kpv)

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 of 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.

