



In loving memory of

JULY 17, 1953 -
SEPTEMBER 08, 2020

LARRY D. BURTON

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 16, 2020

12:00 PM VIEWING
1:00 PM VIRTUAL HOMEGOING CELEBRATION

- ORDER OF SERVICE
- OBITUARY
- REFLECTIONS

PALLBEARERS

Michael Burton
Terrell Nance, Jr.
John "Chicago" Spencer
Javen Taylor
Je'fon Neely
Dalvin Neely

HONORARY PALLBEARERS

David Burton
Duane Garland, Sr.
Anthony (Tony) Fisher

INTERMENT

Historic Woodlawn Cemetery, Toledo, OH

SPECIAL THANKS

Death leaves a heartache no one can heal, love leaves a memory no one can steal. The family of the late Larry D. Burton is sincerely grateful for those who have given support and comfort during this time of loss. Your kindness and sympathy will always be remembered. May God bless each of you!

In response to COVID-19, a Memorial Dinner will be arranged at a later date.

ARRANGEMENTS ENTRUSTED TO:



The House of Day Funeral Service
2550 Nebraska Avenue
Toledo, OH 43607

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"MISS ME, BUT LET ME GO"

*When I come to the end of the road, and the sun has set for me,
I want no rites in a gloom-filled room, why cry for a soul set FREE?
Miss me a little, but not too long, and not with your head bowed low.
Remember the love that we once shared, miss me, but let me go.
For this journey we all must take, and each must go alone.
It's all a part of the Master's plan, a step on the road to home.
When you are lonely and sick at heart, go to the friends we know,
And bury your sorrows in doing good deeds, miss me, but let me go.*





OBITUARY

Mr. Larry D. Burton was born on July 17, 1953 in Toledo, OH to the union of the

late Samuel and Esther P. Burton. Larry entered into eternal rest on Wednesday, September 08, 2020 peacefully at home. He married his loving and devoted wife, Elaine Burton. The loving couple welcomed three precious daughters to their union.

Larry dedicated his life to Christ at an early age, while born and raised in Calvary Baptist Church. Larry attended Jesup W. Scott High School. He began his employment at Wonder Bread for several years, then served in the U.S. Reserves from 1975-1977. Larry was a member of the Laborer's International Union, Local 500 and employed at Rudolph Libbe Inc., as a Laborer for 16 years until his disability retirement in 2003. Larry became a member of the City of Zion, the Mount Zion Church in 2001, under the pastorate of Talmadge J. Thomas. He served in the Usher's & Deacon's Ministry.

Larry and Elaine united in holy matrimony on August 3, 1974 and would have celebrated 46 years of marriage

this past August. They were truly "inseparable" and when you saw one,

you saw the other. Over the 50 years they shared together, Larry noted that he and Elaine conquered many trials and tribulations. However, Elaine was the only person that could handle him. He always portrayed that he was "tough," but he had a huge heart of gold. If he liked you, you knew it, and/or otherwise. Larry celebrated, commended, complimented his daughters and would tell the entire world if he could. Larry expressed his genuine love for Elaine and his three daughters.

One of Larry's favorite quotes was, "there ain't NO shame in my game!," and often referred to his initials as "Last of a Dying Breed" Larry had an avid and infectious laugh that would capture the audience at the sound of his voice. On the southside of Toledo, he was known for his barbecue. There were always those who were able to partake in a plate each time he fired up the grill. Larry's personality always was displayed while playing pool and cards, particularly Spades and Biz Whiz. Larry enjoyed old school blues and attended the annual Jazz Festival,

Cincinnati, OH in July for many, many years. While at home, Larry managed the television remote control, and had an appreciation for most western movies (Gunsmoke, The Untouchables, The Good, the Bad, & the Ugly, just to name a few) and channels. He was also a Dallas Cowboys fan. Larry's presence will be deeply missed by all who loved him.

He was preceded in death by both parents, a niece, his wife, Mrs. Elaine Burton. He leaves to cherish his memories, daughters, Samantha Nance, Keisha Taylor, and LeAnna Burton (aka Whoo-Whoo); four grandchildren, Terrell Jr. & TaKyra Nance, Javen & Dallas Taylor, three brothers, David, Michael, and Sammy Jr. (Tracie) Burton (Newport News, VA), and two sisters, Beverly Ann and April Burton (Las Vegas, NV), three nieces, and three nephews. Special acknowledgement to Mac Treadwell, long-time friend, Ronnie Bell (Killeen, TX), his City of Zion Church family, and a host of extended family and friends.



“A PRAYER AWAY”

*Don't be distressed or worried, be confident and still,
 For many prayers are going up, all asking for God's will.
 The road ahead seems dark now, there's not much you can do,
 But place yourself within His hands, and He will see you though.
 So trust Him for each moment, cast on Him every care,
 And His strong arms will carry you, when it's too much to bear.
 There's power for the asking, and strength for each new day,
 The Great Physician's still "on call," He's just a prayer away.*

ORDER OF SERVICE

- Organ Prelude
- Soloist..... Theresa Deeble, *Win The World Ministries*
- Scripture Readings Talmadge J. Thomas, *City of Zion, the Mt. Zion Church, Senior Pastor*
 Old Testament: Psalm 23: 1-6
 New Testament: John 14: 1-6
- Prayer Talmadge J. Thomas, *City of Zion, the Mt. Zion Church, Senior Pastor*
- Soloist..... Theresa Deeble, *Win The World Ministries*
- Acknowledgement of Condolences/Obituary Cassandra Day
- Remarks (2 minutes, please) Grandchildren
 Samantha Nance, Daughter
 LeAnna Burton, Daughter
- Soloist..... Theresa Deeble, *Win The World Ministries*
- Eulogy Talmadge J. Thomas, *City of Zion, the Mt. Zion Church, Senior Pastor*
- Recessional
- Organ Postlude
- Memorial Dove Release Samantha Nance, Keisha Taylor, & LeAnna Burton, Daughters
Woodlawn Historic Cemetery

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