



Celebrating the Life of
MELVIN
Stewart
12/19/43 - 1/13/20

Saturday, January 25, 2020
11:00AM

Hall, Ferguson, Hewitt Mortuary
1900 NW 54th Street
Miami, Florida 33142
Pastor Kenneth Washington

MELVIN'S *Story*



Melvin Stewart was born, in the Clay Hills of Eastman, Georgia, as a blessing to his late mother and father, Matthew and Ollie Mae (Edwards) Stewart on December 19, 1943. He was one (1) of eight (8) loving children. Six (6) of his siblings passed before him: Hortensie, Moses, Matthew (Mathis/Jr.), Bobby, Annie Ruth and Mattie (Lou Bridges). His only living sister is Grace Stewart (Howard).

During the 1940s and 1950s, Melvin received his primary and secondary education from Mt. Olive Elementary School and Peabody Senior High School in Eastman, Georgia.

The extremely well dressed and brash young Melvin moved to Florida during the late 1950s and early 1960s. While in Florida he held a number of interesting jobs including: laborer, a/c and refrigeration, and managerial positions with major national department stores (e.g., Zayers). Before taking ill and fully retiring he owned and operated, "Stewarts lawn and maintenance service".

Melvin loved: the lord, fine clothes, fine cars, and the company of friends. In the end, one of his closest and most trusted friends was Ms. Pam Lentz.

Melvin Stewart leaves behind: his most loved friend and only daughter, Jacquelyn Stewart (from his ex-wife, Evelyn Smith) and his only grandson, Deshawn Stewart of Miami, Florida. He leaves behind a host of loving family including: nieces, nephew, cousins, etc.

**"MELVIN, REST IN PEACE
FOR YOUR EARTHLY JOB IS COMPLETE"**

ORDER OF SERVICE

Processional

Final Glance

Scripture Reading
Old Testament
New Testament

Selection

Reflections

Selection

Acknowledgments
M.A. Hall Funeral Services

Selection

Words of Comfort

Recessional





*During your journey on your final flight home.
White wings will carry you and you will be flown.
To the pearly gates of Heaven, where they will usher you in.
To the feet of your Lord, your Saviour, and your friend.
He will hold you in his arms and the angels will sing.
As another one of His children is delivered by white wings.*

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

FOR ALL THE KINDNESS YOU HAVE SHOWN,
WE THANK YOU VERY MUCH.
FOR SYMPATHY IN SORROWING DAYS,
FOR FRIENDSHIPS HEALING TOUCH.
WITH GRATITUDE OUR HEARTS ARE FULL
THOUGH WORDS CANNOT CONVEY
THE TENDER THOUGHTS AND THANKFULNESS
WE HOLD FOR YOU TODAY.
- THE FAMILY OF MELVIN STEWART

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