23rd Psalm

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 prepareth 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.

Acknowledgements

The family wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation the many expressions of love, concern and kindness shown to them during this hour of bereavement.

May God Bless and Keep You!

The Family

















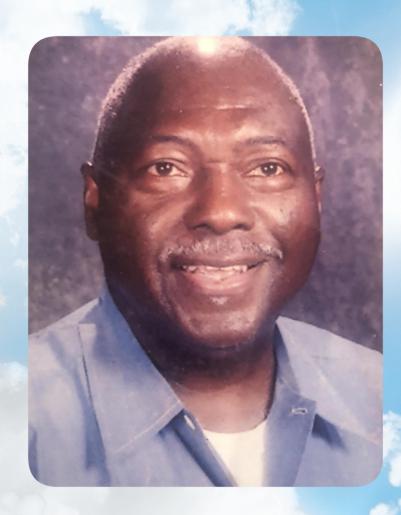




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A Service of Memory Celebrating the Life of



Roy Duett

August 7, 1936 - February 18, 2021

Friday, March 5, 2021
Visitation: 10:00 am
Funeral Service: 11:00 am
Walker Funeral Home - McMillan Chapel
1025 E. McMillan Street
Cincinnati, OH 45206
Rev. Gerald Fannon, Officiating

Obituary

Roy Duett was born from the union of Thomas Duett & Zenobia Frazier on August 7, 1936 in Cincinnati, OH. He was raised in the Dunbar community, now known as Madisonville.

He attended Withrow High School, before starting a career with the Cincinnati Board of Education in 1963. After beginning as a janitor, Roy furthered his education in engineering, and worked the next 35 years as a plant operator.

Throughout his life, Roy served and was heavily involved in the Madisonville community. He loved attending the annual Dunbar Day picnic and used it as an opportunity to introduce family to friends.

Roy formed a relationship with Christ and was baptized at an early age at New Mission Baptist Church. Later on, he became a loyal member of Second Baptist Church, where he attended for over 25 years. Over that time, he was a trustee, an active deacon, and a member of the choir. Roy had no issues sharing to others his relationship with the Lord and would often site the Lord as the reason he had the strength to overcome darker days.

Roy had many hobbies and passions that gave him joy over the years, including bowling, billiards, photography, and drumming. He was the drummer for the Ohio Players and filled in for a James Brown set during a stop in Cincinnati. His stage name as a drummer was "Rico".

Roy married Laura Duett in 1963 and from that union two children were born.

Preceding him in death were three brothers, Thomas Duett (Jane), Jerry Duett, and Robert Duett (Rose); four sisters, Elizabeth Embry (Willis), Marjorie Young (Earl), Lucy Duett (Clifford), and Carolyn George (Clarence).

Surviving him in death are: daughters, Dawn Duett (Tony) and Veronica Jackson-Malone; son Thomas Duett; grandchildren, Vernon Duett (Tiara), Christopher Duett, and Jermaine Jackson, eight great grandchildren and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

A Message to the Best Dad and Granddad in the World

It's your day to be celebrated as the greatest guy we know. Thank you for teaching us the big stuff, the small stuff and everything in between. We love you, always and FOREVER.









Order of Service

Musical Prelude Parting View Family Scripture Readins . Old & New Testaments Prayer Selection ... "That's My Train Fare Home" by Claude Nichols Acknowledgement of Cards & Condolences Cassandra Smith Remarks Family & Friends Moment of Reflection (a time to think, a time to pray & a time to reflect upon the life of Roy Duett) Selection . "Take My Hand Precious Lord" by Mahalia Jackson Eulogy Rev. Gerald Fannon Benediction Recessional Clergy, Bearers & Family