

Obituary

Carl Ron Thomas, affectionately known as Marcus, of Silver Spring, MD, succumbed on August 19, 2021 at Washington Hospital Center.

Marcus, along with his twin sister Carla, was born in Washington, DC on July 10, 1990 and raised in Silver Spring, MD. He attended Wheaton High School. He & Carla had a bond like no other. They had their own language and people would ask their mother "what are they saying". She would say "I don't know but sit down before I whoop your hindparts!" They would always argue about who came out first or who would be the first to do things in life. It was all in love. No matter the disagreement they always had each other's back and their love was unbreakable. When you saw them, you knew it was "double the trouble".

In 2017, Marcus was overjoyed at the birth of his baby girl, Sayyori. He was deeply committed and made sure she knew how much her Daddy cherished her. He always said, "that's my Baby Girl, I can't believe God blessed me with her. A baby is no joke! My daughter is watching me. That's how important my decisions are." He would always put her first.

His favorite thing to do outside of spending time with his daughter was to express his feelings and creativity through his love of music. He literally marched to the beat of his own drum. Marcus' passion for music

began at home because his mother played oldie but goodies every day. She made all of her children go to church every Sunday at the family's beloved Mount Calvary Episcopal Church and instilled the love and fear of God in them. That's where he developed a love for playing the drums. He was later baptized in Jesus' name in August 2012 at Greater Morning Star Apostolic Ministries in Largo, MD.

He would watch the Redskins with his Dad on Sundays. His love for the game comes from his own experience playing for his High School football team. His Dad never missed a game. Marcus was so happy to look up and see his Dad on the sidelines, cheering him on.

Although 31, Marcus was an old soul with an infectious smile that had ways of invoking positivity in others. He was a doting father, genuine, impassioned man, whom many were blessed to know. He left an indelible impression on everyone that encountered him.

He leaves to cherish his memory his daughter, Sayyori (Thao); his parents Cleon and Charlotte Thomas; his sisters: Carla (Derius), Candace (Jessica), Tynisha (Kenny), Rachel (Clarence), & Denise; his brothers: Raymond (Doris), Corey (Clarice), Louis - deceased, Davon, Mark & Willie; his Uncle Duke & a host of nieces, nephews & extended family.

Order of Service

Wednesday, September 8, 2021
Greater Morning Star Apostolic Ministries
1700 Ritchie-Marlboro Road
Largo, MD 20774
Elder Michael Chamberlain, Officiating

Processional

Family & Clergy

Congregational Song

Prayer of Comfort

Elder Robert Goldstein

Old & New Testament Scripture Reading

Elder Leroy Larkins

Reading of the Obituary

Shirleyne McDonald

Words of Sentiment by Family

Please limit to 2 minutes

Eulogistic Solo

Elder Michael Chamberlain

Eulogy

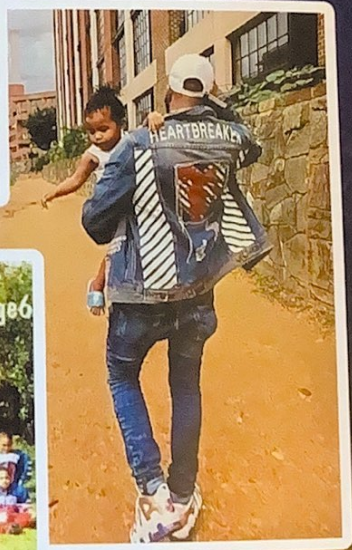
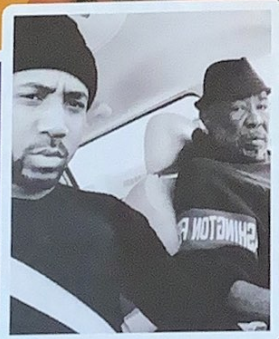
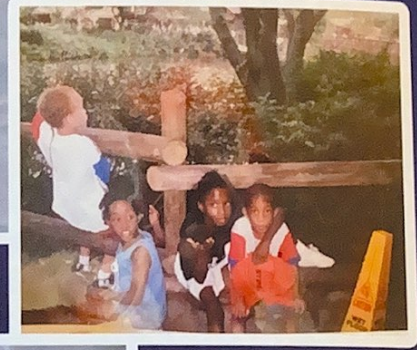
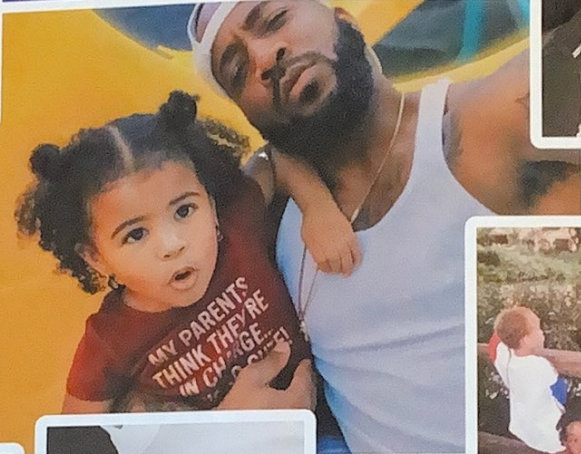
Bishop Charles E. Johnson
Senior Pastor, Greater Morning Star Apostolic Ministries

Call to Discipleship and Closing

Elder Michael Chamberlain

Recessional

Family & Clergy



Reflections

To My Son:

You were like my best friend. I am going to miss everything about you.

-Dad

To My Twin

For it is written, "And it came to pass in the time of her travail, that behold, twins were in her womb".

Those twins were us. In our mother's womb; growing by the grace and mercy of God. Building, bonding, fighting, hugging, and loving. Because I was taller than you, I claimed to have come out first, but only God really knew.

In the book of Ecclesiastes it says, "For the living know that they shall die but the dead know not anything". I know you can't hear me but know you will be missed. Suddenly, you were taken away from me now all I have are our memories.

The Lord said, before he formed thee in the belly, I knew thee. He knows our beginning to our end. I know our lives are appointed to end; unfortunately, I didn't know your end would come so soon. I guess this is my last good-bye, I hate to let you go but you knew I always loved you through and through.

~Princess

A letter to my brother

Never imagined the day coming where I would have to be forced to say my final goodbyes.

Got the phone call and without notice waterfalls began to form in my eyes. The pain I felt I couldn't even hold my heartbreak in, we weren't blood but the bond we shared made us kin. I remember when we were little and from day one you always protected me.

Growing up you always encouraged me and told me I could be anything I wanted to be.

I miss you bro, and not having you here is the worst feeling ever. I would give anything just to be able to see you again or talk to you on the phone. I listen to your music to remind myself of your voice. I can't even look at your pictures without my heart hurting and my eyes swelling with tears. Just sucks because you had so much stuff you wanted to do and complete before leaving this earth. But Nobody knew your life would be cut short and so soon. I've seen the changes you made and how you were handling certain things and situations better. You started growing and maturing and I was proud to see it and hear it. Smh, this one hurts man it really does. You are forever my brother and I love you to the moon and back. Your name will live on, and I'll never forget you. Long Live King Carl and that's on everything rest on.

With love forever,
Tee

Acknowledgements

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