

Sunrise
June 23, 1968

Sunset
May 26, 2019

Celebrating the Life
of
Gerald DeWayne Mackey, Sr.

Friday, May 31, 2019
4:00 P.M.

Flint Ridge East Missionary Baptist Church
5720 Flint Church Road
Marshville, North Carolina

Rev. Clay Parker, Pastor
Rev. Robert "Moe" Parker, Presider

Order of Service

Rev. Moe Parker , Presiding Official

Senior Pastor of Antioch Baptist Church, Monroe, North Carolina

Processional

(Hymn” *What are you doing up in Heaven*”Flint Ridge Baptist Church Choir)

Opening Song..... “*He Did it All*”Flint Ridge Baptist Church Choir

Scripture Reading:

Old Testament.....Dr. Marion Wilson

New Testament.....Rev Aaron Kilgo

Prayer of ComfortRev. John Kirkpatrick, IV

Minister Daren Kilgo

Musical Selection..... “*Jordan River*”Antioch Baptist Church Choir

Obituary (*Read Silently*)

Musical SelectionGospel Jubilees

EulogyPastor Clay Parker

Senior Pastor of Flint Ridge Missionary Baptist Church, Marshville, North Carolina

Recessional“*Till We Meet Again*”

Committal / Benediction / Interment

Flint Ridge East Missionary Baptist Church Cemetery

Marshville, North Carolina



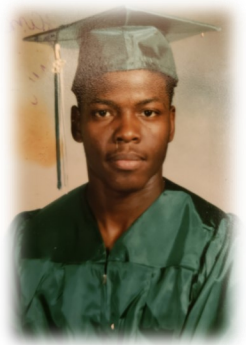
The Family Acknowledgement

We the family of **Gerald DeWayne Mackey, Sr.** acknowledge with deep appreciation the many expressions of love, acts of kindness, and phone calls during our time of bereavement. Your support in the midst of it all has helped us to get through these past days.

The Obituary

On May 26, 2019, **Gerald DeWayne Mackey, Sr.** was called home to be with his Lord and Savior. **Gerald** was born on June 23, 1968 to the late Reverend Robert Mackey, Sr. and Margie Chambers Mackey.

Gerald accepted Christ at an early age and recently rededicated his life to the Lord. **Gerald** attended Parkwood High School and graduated from Ashbrook High School in 1987. Regardless of his troubled medical history, **Gerald** never let that stop him from living a full life. He had a passion for music. He could play any instrument he put his hands on; from the trumpet, drums, to his beloved keyboard. He would stay up all night after a long day of work listening to and playing music. Because of his love for the Lord and music, **Gerald** shared his gift of music in various churches. **Gerald** was an active member of Flint Ridge Baptist Church where he served as the Minister of Music. He was an entrepreneur, barber, and artist. Other than music, **Gerald** enjoyed riding his motorcycle, sports, and spending time with his family, which almost always involved eating.



He was preceded in death by his grandparents: Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Mackey and Mr. and Mrs. Adam Chambers; father: Reverend Robert Mackey Sr.; sister: Pamela D. Mackey; nephew: General Lee McKinney, IV.



He is survived by his **wife**: Brittany Walker-Mackey; **mother**: Margie Mackey of Monroe, North Carolina; **daughters**: Gzamia Davis (Joshua) of Gastonia, North Carolina; Reshea Mackey of North Hollywood, California; Makinna Mackey of Gastonia, North Carolina; Nikiya Mackey of Monroe, North Carolina; **bonus daughter**: Airman First Class Christen Phillips of the United States Air Force; **sons**: Staff Sergeant Gerald Mackey, Jr. of United States Air Force; Devin Rice of Gaffney, South Carolina; Reagzon Mackey of Gastonia, North Carolina; Kyziah Mackey of Monroe, North Carolina; **siblings**: Robin McKinney of Charlotte, North Carolina; Robert Mackey, Jr. (LaSonya) of Charlotte, North Carolina; Retired Master Sergeant Kelvin Mackey (Veda) of Tucson, Arizona and Minister Sabrina Mackey of Charlotte, North Carolina; **special cousin**: James Kilgo of Charlotte, North Carolina; **two grandchildren**; and a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

Flower & Pall Bearers

Family & Friends

God's Garden

*God looked around his garden
And found an empty place.
He then looked down upon the earth,
And saw your tired face.*

*He put His arms around you
And lifted you to rest.
God's garden must be beautiful,
He always takes the best.*

*He knew that you were suffering,
He knew that you were in pain.
He knew that you would never
Get well on earth again.*

*He saw the road was getting rough
And the hills were hard to climb.
So He closed your weary eyelids
And whispered "Peace be thine."*

*It broke our hearts to lose you
But you did not go alone...
For part of us went with you
The day God called you home.*



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