



Floral Bearers

Family and Friends

Casket Bearers

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Ushers

New Light Missionary Baptist Church



Acknowledgement

The family of our beloved Anthony Shipman extends sincere appreciation to the many friends and family members who have provided support, comfort, love, and many prayers. The love and care displayed by all is a blessing to us. May this time of sorrow help bring families closer together and enable us to remember the precious gifts God has bestowed upon us. May God's goodness be with you always.

A Special Thank You

A special thank you to the attending physicians and the nursing staff at Taylor Hospital, Ridley Park, PA; Apria Healthcare, attending social workers at Taylor Hospital and New Light Missionary Baptist Church. A heartfelt thank you to his cousin Jackie Caleb of Chester, PA.

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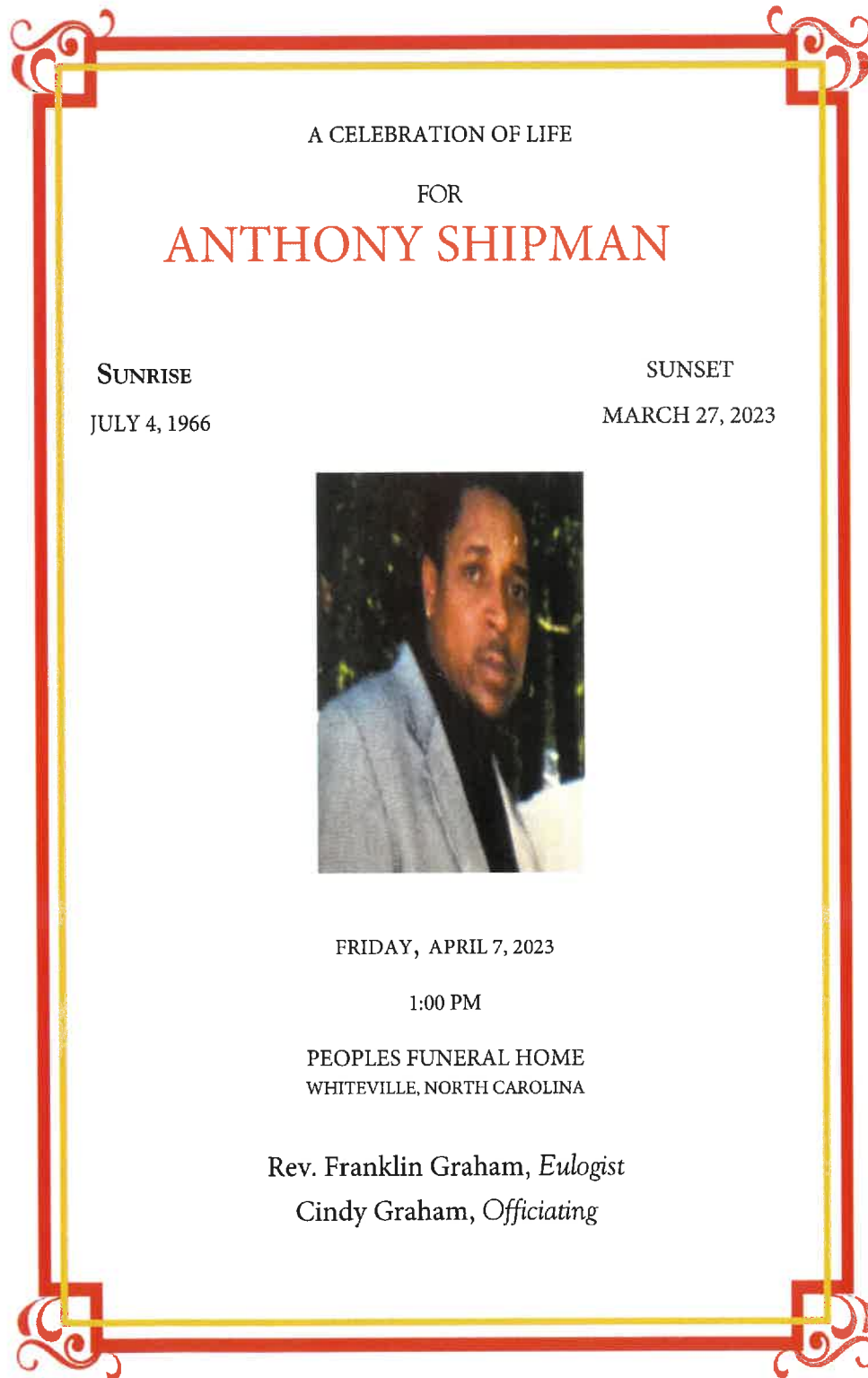


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A CELEBRATION OF LIFE

FOR

ANTHONY SHIPMAN

SUNRISE

JULY 4, 1966

SUNSET

MARCH 27, 2023



FRIDAY, APRIL 7, 2023

1:00 PM

PEOPLES FUNERAL HOME
WHITEVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA

Rev. Franklin Graham, *Eulogist*
Cindy Graham, *Officiating*

Obituary

*We are confident; I say and willing rather to be absent from the body,
and to be present with the Lord.*
2 Corinthians 5:8

Anthony Shipman, known to many as "Ant" or "Tony" was born on July 4, 1966 to Retha George and Hubert Shipman. He departed this earthly realm on March 27, 2023, at Cape Fear Hospital, Fayetteville, NC.

Anthony graduated from his hometown school, Whiteville High. He worked several different locations before he relocated to Pennsylvania. He worked for Guida Incorporated in Chester, PA for 30 years before falling sick.

He was preceded in death by Ann Marie Shipman (infant sister) and Terry Shipman (brother).

He leaves to cherish his memory, his mother, Retha George of Whiteville, NC; father, Hubert Shipman of Whiteville, NC; two sisters; Debra Ann Shipman of Murrells Inlet, SC; Ann Marie Shipman (Junior) of Hope Mills, NC; four brothers; Morris Shipman of Murrells Inlet, SC; Hubert Lee Shipman (Shonda) of Washington, DC; Kenny Shipman (TaQuenda) of Whiteville, NC and Justin Shipman of Fayetteville, NC; numerous nieces, nephews and a host of relatives and friends.

NO TEARS

Weep not for me though I am gone
Into the gentle night
Grieve if you will, but not for long
Upon my soul's sweet flight.
There is no need for tears.
I am at peace; my soul is at rest.
There is no pain, I suffer not,
For with your love, I was so blessed
I am in a place of comfort
The fear now is gone.
Put those things in your thoughts.
In your memory I live on.
Remember not my fight for the breath
Remember not the strife
Please do not dwell upon my death
But celebrate my life.

Order of Service

PRELUDE.....(Soft Music)

PROCESSIONAL.....Clergy and Family

SELECTION.....New Light Choir

SCRIPTURE

Old Testament..... TaQuenda Shipman

New Testament.....Sylvester Stroud (Jr.)

PRAYER OF COMFORT.....Deacon Marshall Nichols

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS / OBITUARY.....Cindy Graham

SELECTION.....New Light Choir

REMARKS AND

EXPRESSIONS OF LOVE.....Family and Friends

EULOGY..... Rev. Franklin Graham

RECESSIONAL.....(Soft Music)

INTERMENT

Welches Creek Cemetery
Whiteville, North Carolina