

## *Pallbearers*

*Eric Gill Jr. Aaron Gill Antione Williams Gill  
Kyre Gill Marcus Chop Dudley Marcus Irby*

### *"What Will You Chose to Do?"*

You can shed tears that he is gone; Or you can smile because he has lived. You can close your eyes and pray that he will come back; Or you can open your eyes and see all that he has left.

Your heart can be empty because you can't see him; Or you can be full of the love that you shared. You can turn your back on tomorrow and live yesterday; Or you can be happy for tomorrow because of yesterday. You can remember him and only that he is gone; Or you can cherish his memory and let it live on. You can cry and close your mind, be empty and turn your back; Or you can do what he would want: smile, open your eyes, love and go on. What will you choose to do?

## *Family Gratitude*

*We, the family of Eric Gill, would like to say "Thank You" to each of you for your many acts of love and kindness shown toward us. Your concern and prayers will serve as comfort to us as we adjust to what will be our "new normal." Thank you all so very much and may the Lord keep us safe and sound. God bless you.*



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## *A Celebration of a Life Well-Lived*

### *By a Man Well-Loved*

*Mr.  
Eric Gill*

*Sunrise:*

*July 30, 1966*

*Sunset:*

*March 30, 2020*

*Alford's*

*Mortuary Chapel*

*1222 Napier Street*

*South Bend, Indiana*

*46601*

*Pastor Lonell Hudson, Officiating*

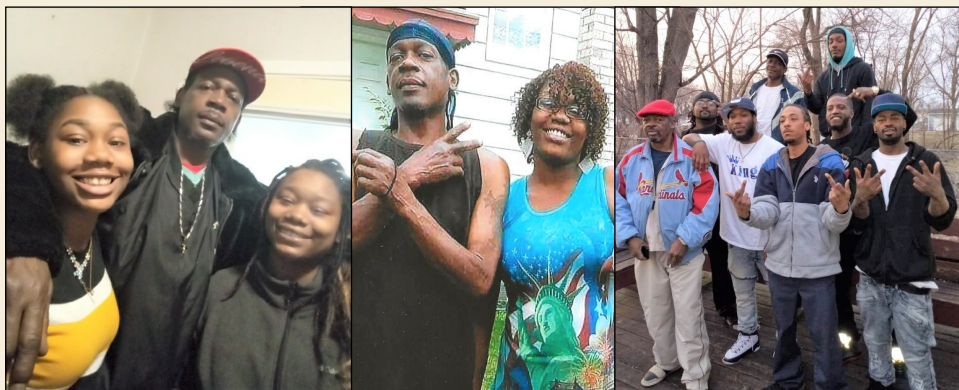


## *The Obituary*

*Eric Gill, 53, of North College Street, South Bend, Indiana, passed away at his residence on March 30, 2020. Eric was born July 30, 1966 in South Bend, Indiana, to Eric Johnson Sr., and Linda Gill. Eric loved to draw, fish, play cards and he loved his family.*

*Eric was preceded in death by his grandparents, Willie and Maude Gill; brother, Derrick A. Dudley; sister, Tina Johnson; companion, Rose Young; uncles: Carlton Gill, Andrew Gill and Willie Gill Jr.*

*Survivors left to cherish his memory include his parents: Eric Johnson Sr., and Linda Gill Johnson; three daughters: Erica Young Gill, Da'Shaia Young' Gill and La' Maria Young Gill; four sons: Eric Gill Jr., Antione Williams' Gill, Aaron Gill and Kyre Young' Gill; two stepdaughters: Terri Young and Archae Fultz; one stepson, Ronald Madison; 16 grandchildren: Jo'Saun Pinkney, Jayden Young, Brandon Phillips, Karina Young' Gill, Aleah Young' Gill, Karen Baez' Gill, Za'Karia Young' Gill, Alexis Crabtree, Sa'Roya Vida, McKinley Marshall, Makayla Marshall, Roaqual Houston, Zyrell Houston, Kyre Snowdon, Iyona Miller and Te'Asijah Gill; two brothers: Gregory Gill and Marcus Chop Dudley; a cousin, Lee Gill; nephew, Marcus Irby; two nieces: Marquita Irby and Maria Johnson; along with other relatives and friends.*



## *The Order of Service*

*Thursday, April 9, 2020 • 12:00 Noon*

*Alford's Mortuary Chapel*

*Pastor Lonell Hudson, Officiating*

*Gathering..... Clergy and Family*

*Prayer..... Clergy*

### *Holy Scriptures*

*Old Testament Reading ..... Clergy*

*New Testament Reading ..... Clergy*

*Selection..... Da'Shaia Young' Gill*

*Remarks and Reflections ..... Family and Friends*

*Reading of the Obituary ..... Aaron Gill*

*Selection..... Da'Shaia Young' Gill*

*Eulogy ..... Pastor Lonell Hudson*

*Greater New Jerusalem M.B.C.*

*Recessional ..... Clergy, Family and Friends*

### *~ Interment ~*

*Mount Pleasant Cemetery • South Bend, Indiana*

*John 14:27 [KJV]*

*<sup>27</sup>Peace I leave with you, my peace I give unto you: not as the world giveth, give I unto you. Let not your heart be troubled, neither let it be afraid.*