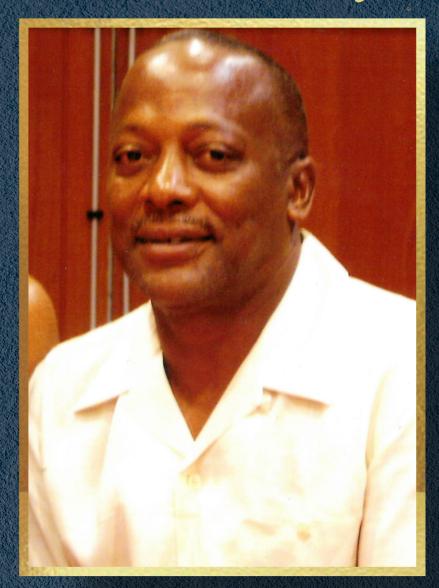
### CELEBRATING THE LIFE OF

# MICHAEL WAYNE JONES



SUNRISE November 21, 1955

SUNSET
December 11, 2020

# THE CELEBRATION HOUR

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 23, 2020 AT 10:30AM

1395 N. HIGHWAY 67 SOUTH CEDAR HILL, TEXAS 75104

PASTOR FRED WILLIAMS - OFFICIATING

THE FELLOWSHIP CHURCH AT HIGH POINTE
101 HIGH POINTE LANE CEDAR HILL, TEXAS 75104

# **OBITUARY**

On November 21, 1955, a beautiful, handsome, baby boy was born in Dallas, Texas, to the late Learis Jones and Dorothy Manning. They named him Michael Wayne Jones.

Michael attended school in the Dallas Public School system and graduated from David W. Carter High School in 1973. He served in the United States Marines for four years and received his Honorable Discharged in July 1977. At an early age, Michael accepted Christ and became a member of Riverside Baptist Church.

In 1980, Michael married Rita Pugh and to their union, two children were born, Tiffany Renee and Krystal Mykel and they later divorced.

After returning home from the service he began working for the U.S. Post Office. He later worked for the Veterans Administration first at the hospital then at the Consolidated Mail Outpatient Pharmacy (CMOP). Michael retired from CMOP in 2011.

In 1987, he met the love of his life and soul-mate Vickie Parks Grayson. Michael & Vickie eventually married and to this union, two sons Michael Wayne II and Jeremy Ali were born. Michael also received an extra blessing, a son Erik Grayson, Vickie's son from a previous marriage.

Michael loved going to the country when he was younger and enjoyed the open range, so he moved to Naples, Texas to prepare a country home for his wife and family to enjoy once they fully retired. After retirement, Michael became a licensed barber and opened his barber Shop in Naples, Texas.

Michael loved to travel in his RV with his family and always loved a good sports car. His favorite vacation destination was Montego Bay, Jamaica.

Michael was diagnosed with Lung Cancer in December 2019. He battled with treatments of Radiation & Chemotherapy and seemed to be leaning toward recovery. On December 11, 2020, just before daybreak his immune system just couldn't take anymore and he went home to be with the Lord. Vickie was such a loving wife who fulfilled all of Michael's dreams, desired and needs and was by his side till the very end.

He is preceded in death by his parents, Learis Jones and Dorothy Manning, brothers Donald Jones, Learis Jones, Jr. and sister Sue Thomas.

He leaves in God's care to cherish his memory - his amazing wife Vickie Jones; daughters Tiffany Jones, Krystal Jones; his sons Erik Grayson (TyEesha), Michael Jones II, Jeremy Jones; Grandson Trenton Jones; Granddaughter Hailey Lewis; Sisters Jacqueline Jones, Sheryl Jones; Brothers Connie Mack Jones (Kay) of Naples Texas; Keith Jones (Irene) of Chicago, Illinois; Rodney Jones (Sheryl); 4 brother-n-laws; 4 sister-n-laws; Uncle Monticue Boyd; special Aunt Margaret Jefferson of Naples, Texas and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends.

# ORDER OF CELEBRATION

The Processional ...... Funeral Directors

Participating Clergy

The Jones Family

Musical Selection ...... Fred Anderson

Comfort from Scriptures ...... Shawn Atkinson

Prayer of Assurance ...... Pastor Fred Williams

Resolutions and Acknowledgment ...... Kim Atkinson

#### **REMARKS**

Please be considerate and limit to two minutes

Silent reading of Obituary & Video Tribute Soft Music

Solo S. Holloway

The Eulogy Pastor Fred Williams

"The Celebratory Exodus" Sacred Funeral

Home Directors

# **ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS**

The family would like to express gratitude, appreciation and sincere thanks for all acts of kindness and love shown during their time of bereavement. Your visits, cards, phone calls, flowers, prayers and other acts of kindness will surely brighten the days ahead. We Love and Thank God for You.

- The Jones Family

# **ACTIVE PALLBEARERS**

Vincent Murphy Arturo Ward Ron Shepherd Joaquim Cinque Clarence Humphrey Bobby Gross

# **HONORARY PALLBEARERS**

Simeon James Russell Massingburg Christian Massingburg DeChauncey Jones Anthony Thomas Learis Jones Travis Jones DeJay Jones

# FINAL RESTING PLACE

Dallas - Fort Worth National Cemetery 2000 Mountain Creek Parkway Dallas, Texas 75211

