

## Interment

**Grasslawn Cemetery** 2837 NW 13th Street Gainesville, FL 32609

Special Thanks
The family of the late James "Big James" Clark would like to express their sincere gratitude and appreciation for the many acts of kindness shown to us during our bereavement. Thanks for all the calls, visits, and sincere gestures. It is our prayer that our Heavenly Father will continue to richly bless each and every one of YOU.

Professional Services Entrusted To



## CELEBRATION OF LIFE

Weeping may endure for a night, but joy cometh in the morning. Psalm 30:5

"BIG JAMES"

James A. Clark

Alpha December 13, 1942

Omega September 1, 2021

Saturday, September 18, 2021 2:00 PM

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Elder Ronald Foxx, Eulogist

## Obituary 1

James Alexander "Big James" Clark was born on December 13, 1942, in Nassau, Bahamas. As a young boy he relocated to Miami, FL, which he affectionately referred to as "305". He later moved to Gainesville, FL, in the early 1970s, where he worked construction for many years. He had a passion and love for all types of music. He also enjoyed walking and exercising to maintain his health. James always had a desire to return home to Miami, FL. On September 1, 2021, God whispered in Big James' ear and said, "Come home, my child."

He was preceded in death by his mother, Lottie, his father, Clark, his sister, Blniva Clark, his brother, Leroy Clark, and wife, Jacqueline Boykins Clark.

He leaves behind to cherish his precious memories: his children, Manuel Norman, Jasmine Clark, Kendric Baker, Leon Scott, Shamanuel Preston (John), Antoinette Newsome, Anthony Newsome, James Clark, Tony Newsome, Ariana Newsome, and Lottie Newsome; his stepchildren, Lakenya Tyson (Robert), Dominique Williams (Eric), Shanteria Scott, Clisa Lee Voyd, and Ryan Boykins; 22 grandchildren; one great-grand; a longtime "special friend", Michelle Preston McKnight; and a host of other aunts, uncles, cousins, and sorrowing friends.



## Order of Service

Elder Ronald Foxx, Presiding

Processional & Final GlimpseTake Me to the King
Invocation Elder Ronald Foxx
Scripture Readings Elder Ronald Foxx
Solo – Precious Lord Bro. Barry Scott
Reflections Limit to two minutes, please
Special PoemSis. Antoinette Newsome
Resolutions & Acknowledgements Phillip & Sons Funeral Home Staff
Solo - When I've Gone the Last Mile of the Way Bro. Barry Scott
Words of Comfort & Committal Elder Ronald Foxx
Recessional
Special Dedication From Michelle Preston McKnightBaby, Hold On Gerald Levert

