#### acknowledgement

We, the family of Kevin Baker, would like to offer our heartfelt thanks to the many friends, and well-wishers who provided emotional and practical support for us during this difficult time. For those who called, sent floral tributes, cards, and messages of condolences, as well as those who made charitable donations, we are truly grateful.

### Forever Alive in Your Heart

I am not truly gone,
If you keep me in your heart.
I'll forever be alive,
And we'll never have to part.



#### Pallbearers

Xavier Baker Quinton Wells
Tyrell Williams Chris Shazier
Chris Washington Gerald Caldwell

## Honorary Pallbearers

Eric Goens Joshua Fields Keith Jessie Nelson Kimble

#### Flower Bearers

Kathy Hill Karen Perrin
Karohnda Freeman Tilanda Kennedy
Damita Rhodes Twanette Black



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# Kevin Vonell Baker

May 30, 1960 - April 26, 2023

Tuesday, May 9, 2023
Visitation: 12:00 pm ~ Funeral Service: 1:00 pm
HEIRS Covenant Church
621 S. Erie Blvd.
Hamilton, OH 45011
Apostle John W. Stevenson, Officiating

# Obituary

Kevin Baker was born May 30, 1960 in Hamilton, Ohio to James Baker (preceded in death) and Evvie Baker. He departed this life for Eternal Rest on April 26, 2023.

Kevin attended Hamilton City Schools. After which he enlisted in the United States Army. Upon his departure from the military, he took up residence in Denver, CO where he resided for several years.

Kevin worked different jobs; mostly with computers. He spoke intelligently and therefore thrived in the Customer Service and IT field. To work these types of jobs you also have to have patience and compassion and Kevin had both and was very good at his job.

On August 15, 1992, Kevin was united in Holy Matrimony to Vanessa. They soon decided to relocate to Dallas, TX where Kevin found his calling in life. He gave his life to Christ in 1996 and soon after Kevin began working for a Christian-based men's program as a counselor which was started by the pastor of the church. Kevin's personality was exuberant and compassionate, and he loved to lift up and encourage other people to succeed in life. His dream was to open a center for men here in Hamilton, OH to continue his work.

At the time of his transition, Kevin was a devoted and faithful member of Heirs Covenant Church where he served in whatever capacity needed.

To know Kevin was to love him. He was a kind, loving, caring, and giving man and would give freely to those who needed help. He was seriously witty and had an infectious laugh that would light up a room. He loved cooking, watching football, basketball, movies, and television shows. Sci-Fi and documentaries were his favorites. Kevin loved fishing and just enjoyed being around his family.

Kevin was preceded in death by his dad: James L. Baker and his siblings: Marlethia Robinson and Kendrick Baker.

Kevin leaves to cherish in his memory: his mother: Evvie Baker of Middletown, Ohio; five children: Lakia Thomas of Denver, CO; Xavier Baker of Dallas, TX; Checarai Aloisio of Denver, CO; Martice McBride of Charleston, SC, Amber (Stanley) Henson of Bauxite, AR; siblings: Kathy (Jeff) Hill of Denver, CO; Quinton Wells of Denver, CO; Karen Perrin of Clinton, MD; Karohnda (Anthony) Freeman of Miamisburg, OH; four treasured grandchildren: Gia, Myka, Zy'ier, and Raya; and a host of nieces, nephews, and friends.

# Order of Service

Soft Music Plays
Parting View The Family
Prayer Bishop Anthony Freeman
Scripture Pastor B.A. Curtis • Old & New Testament Readings
Musical Selection Heirs Ministry
Acknowledgements
Remarks Family & Friends Please limit to two minutes
Obituary
Musical Selection Heirs Ministry
Eulogy Apostle John W. Stevenson
Benediction Apostle John W. Stevenson
Recessional Clergy, Family & Friends



II Tim 4:7-8 KJV: I have finished my course, I have kept the faith: henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, shall give me at that day: and not to me only, but unto all them also that love his appearing.