



Mr. Gaines Hunter

February 22, 1942 - October 13, 2017

A Reflection of Life

For I am now ready to be offered and the time of my departure is at hand, I have fought a good fight. I have finished my course. I have kept the faith, henceforth, there is laid up for me, a crown of righteousness.

Gaines Hunter, Jr. was born February 22, 1942 in Valdosta, GA to the late Gaines Hunter, Sr. (Mildred Hunter) and Carrie Bell Lawrence (L.C. Lawrence, Sr.). Affectionately known as “Fella” by family and close friends, he attended Pinevale High School.

“Fella” gave his life to Christ in 1994 and was baptized by Reverend Marlin Harris at the Thankful Baptist Church of Decatur, GA.

He worked for Lockheed and Roadway Express and after retiring he went on to be an independent Truck Driver.

On October 12, 2017, “the weary ceased from troubling, and took a seat at His feet to be blessed.” He leaves to cherish his memory, a loving and devoted wife of thirty-eight years, Ernestine Hunter, daughters Sonja Garland, Carrie (Johnnie) Kellogg, Twanica Wright, Yolanda Hunter, Brittney Hunter and sons, Wendell (Annette) Hunter and Wylie (PhaShondra) Brittain;

brothers, Randolph (Belinda) Williams, John Williams(deceased), L.C. (Virginia) Lawrence, Frankie (Tracy) Lawrence, Godfrey Hunter, Eldred Hunter and sisters, Dorothy (Dwight) Rogers, Linda Bolden and Cheryl Hunter, and a special brother Billie (Judy) Brown; grandchildren Christie (Nicholas) Gordon, Latonya Jackson, Xavier Hunter, Malika Hunter, Justin Hunter, Trevez Brittain, Otis Brittain, Shamara Cann, Rea Brittain, Darnell Williams, Erica (Enes) Zarifovic, Robert Dewberry, Frederick Sharp, Kendrick Hunter, LaShoya Macon, DeRobert (Anita) James and Sanntana Garland; great-grand Quintavious Standifer, Paris Bryant, Curtis Jackson, Mahogany Jackson, Zamarius Williams, Enard Zarifovic, Eddie Zarifovic, Elden Zarifovic, Hailey Dewberry (deceased), Arie Hill, Aundre Sharpe, Isiah Hunter, Neveah Macon, Shiloh Brown, Eason Brown, Ezzaria Brown, Amere Hankins, JaGary James, Carson James, Brittney has one daughter, and God-Son Conrad Hunter and host of nieces, nephews, cousins and one special Aunt Mary Powell.

Funeral Friday, October 20, 2017, 1pm in our chapel. Visitation Thursday, October 19, 2017, 10am-8pm.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **19**. 10:00 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

South DeKalb Chapel
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Celebration of Life

OCT **20**. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Shirley Lawrence purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Mr. Gaines Hunter.



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“ We extend condolences to you all. The “God of all comfort “is aware of your sorrow and He made a provision to resurrect ones who fall asleep in death...”God sent his only-begotten Son into the world so that we might gain life through him.” ~1 John 4:9. Jesus assures us “I am the resurrection and the life. The one who exercises faith in me, even though he dies will come to life.” ~ John 11:25.



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