



Gerard C. Gold

July 9, 1962 - November 19, 2019

Celebration of Life service for Gerard C. Gold will be 1PM Sunday, December 8, 2019 at West End Seventh Day Adventist Church 845 Lawton Street SW Atlanta, GA 30310. He will lie in state at 11AM until the hour of service. Interment Private. Visitation will be held on Saturday, December 7, 2019 from 12PM-5PM at our SOUTH DEKALB CHAPEL. Memories of Mr. Gold will be cherished by his loving family and friends. IN LIEU OF FLOWERS PLEASE DONATE TO THE ATLANTA CENTER FOR SELF SUFFICIENCY IN GERARD GOLD'S NAME AT www.atlantacss.org Gregory B. Levett & Sons Funeral Home and Crematory 4347 Flat Shoals Pkwy Decatur, GA 30034 (404) 241-5656.

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 7. 12:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

South DeKalb Chapel
4347 Flat Shoals Pkwy.
Decatur, GA 30034
(404) 241-5656
info@levettfuneralhome.com

Lie In State

DEC 8. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

West End Seventh Day Adventist Church
845 Lawton St. SW
Atlanta, GA 30310

Celebration of Life

DEC 8. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

PB

“Gerard and I go all the back to childhood in NY and then reconnected as adults in ATL. He as a great friend during my early years in ATL, showing up in the ER in the middle of the night to support me during a bout of bronchitis and pneumonia. That’s the kind of friend he was! He will be missed by all the lives he touched. The Foster and Bishop families’ prayers are with the Gold and Riddick families at this most difficult time. Rest on Gerard...We will see you in the morning...”

Pamela Foster Bishop - December 07, 2019 at 04:45 AM

AF

“Aunt Jean & The Moore Family purchased the A New Sunrise Spray for the family of Gerard C. Gold.”



Aunt Jean & The Moore Family - December 05, 2019 at 10:09 PM

YF

“Your DH Pace Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Gerard C. Gold.”



Your DH Pace Family - December 02, 2019 at 09:32 AM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Gerard C. Gold.*



November 30, 2019 at 05:20 AM



“ *Gerard Gold was a true friend loved his family and his church and was always there for the WESTEND SDA DECONS. May the LORD continue to be with your family. Bro. Trent an family*



Tyrone Trent - November 28, 2019 at 11:03 AM



DEACONS

Tyrone Trent - November 28, 2019 at 11:09 AM



“ *Shirley Watson lit a candle in memory of Gerard C. Gold*



Shirley Watson - November 27, 2019 at 09:00 PM

SW

“ Deacon Gold, Brother Gold, aka TROUBLE. I am seldom at a loss for words but this is surely such an occasion. My husband being a deacon made meeting Trouble almost a given, but I didn't actually interact with him until seeing him in the finance office on many Sabbaths. He was funny, but serious about his responsibilities as a deacon. He was helpful and kind but definitely not a pushover. Trouble was a smile and a hug that I grew to depend on each Sabbath. I asked Lauren to tell you that your UNAUTHORIZED vacation was over and you needed to get back on your post at The End..... I was not willing to give up HOPE. Deacon Gold you will be missed.

To the Gold Family I offer my condolences and deepest heartfelt sympathy. No words written or spoken can heal or take away your grief but do hold on, God has not left or forsaken you. Trust and lean on The Lord for He knows your pain and He cares.

Shirley Watson - November 27, 2019 at 08:54 PM

KS

“ When someone truly makes an impact on the world, their influence doesn't die when they are laid to rest in the Lord. Gerard aka "G" aka "Goldie" was that kind of person. I don't remember the exact day/Sabbath that we met, but for all the years that I knew him, he never failed to call me on my birthday, he never failed to greet me with anything but a big smile, a warm hug and genuine love, and he always showed true friendship. On his job as a recruiter, he helped people find jobs and build careers and I always knew if I referred someone to him, he would do his best on their behalf. His weekly texts on Sabbath morning were ministry in its purest, most unobtrusive form, always guaranteed to point you to Christ while also making you stop and think. I don't think Gerard realized the impact he made on the lives he touched. I am forever grateful for how he touched my life. My prayer for his family is that they are comforted by knowing they are not alone in their grief. Until He comes, let us remain faithful so that we can see Gerard, and all the others we've loved and lost, again in the Kingdom.

Kristina Smith - November 27, 2019 at 11:39 AM

PL

“ My Guy G was a good friend. He use to serve as my assistant head deacon when I was the Head Deacon. It was a pleasure to serve with him. He kept me line and gave his input on working with the Deacons and the church. Much Love goes to his family. He loved to take trips with his family which made me want to do the same. Outside of church he always invited me to sports games and best things to do in Atlanta with my wife. Love his leadership. Rest In Peace my friend Brother G!




Preston Lathan - November 27, 2019 at 11:22 AM

TC

“ My deepest and most sincere condolences to the Gold family. Gerard was truly a very special friend and colleague. He helped me with my career aspirations since coming to Atlanta 10 years ago. We spoke often and I always valued his wise advice. I am really going to miss him.



Trillion Cason - November 26, 2019 at 06:35 PM

 Christopher Young

“ Brother, thank you for been a brother that I didn't have biologically. There was never a time when we saw each other that we did not embrace and you sincerely asked- “you good ?”, and before I stepped away you were expecting that I give you my honest answer. After I looked at you and said that “I'm good” you would then tap me on my shoulder. I thank you for caring, and taking the time to make sure I was doing good. Based on the genuine approach that you have taken with me, I'll make sure that I show the same sincerity when I ask if a person is doing good.

I love you my brother. Until we meet again.

Your brother- Deacon Christopher Young.

Christopher Young - November 26, 2019 at 06:31 PM

HB

“ I remember the last communion, he ask me if I could come on and help out on 5th Sabbaths and communion days. He was a dedicated deacon who believe that GOD's business should be always well done. He is passionate about GOD and this he shows every time he is at church. I remember his movitational text, encouraging us to keep on. He will always be in my memories. R.I.P. See you in the kingdom.

Horace Brady - November 26, 2019 at 05:23 PM



“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



Chriss Mogaka - November 26, 2019 at 04:28 PM



“ Deacon Gerard C. Gold was definitely someone at West-End that was intentional and completely genuine with the people he came in contact with. When my brother and I entered into our 3rd year deaconing , he expressed to us that he wanted us to be involved even more and participate in the communion services. Man when I tell you a brother was shaking , I was beyond nervous to walk in a very holy and reverend service and not think of messing up. Regardless , Deacon Gold believed in us and told us the Holy Spirit will lead us and he was right! Other incredible things I learned from Deacon Gold was 1) Communication is key to life and everything of it and 2) Always take care of family!! I will always remember him as the guy who used to send me hilarious emoji's on my bday, always asking me if everything is ok , and helping me to go above and beyond my service to the Most High. See you soon Deacon Gold .

Chriss Mogaka - November 26, 2019 at 04:21 PM

HB

This is surely Gold.

Horace Brady - November 26, 2019 at 05:26 PM

CW

“ I remember him as one thoroughly dedicated to the deacon boards and making them run smoothly he was a disaplined soilder to the point of almost being irritating but he new he had a job to do and he did it very well anyone could tell that he was serious about the Lords work and I think he will be sourly missed I don't think anyone will be able to take his place take . It is just a temporary condition until the almighty cracks the sky open to deliver His people and I'm sure he will come poping up in immortal splendor to take his place in Gods great plan . I don't know if there will deacon boards up there or what but this I do know what ever his position will be he will carry it with same determination and iron will that he performed here on earth no one can take his place.

clinton warren - November 26, 2019 at 03:55 PM

TH

“ Around my 3rd year as a deacon at West End, Gerard became my board leader. Over the course of a few months he pulled me to the side and said that he could see leadership qualities in me and he wanted to see me to use them. He allowed me to lead the board when he was present as well as when he had to go out of town. Boy was I nervous, but I never let him down. Years later I find myself sharing Assistant Head Deacon duties with him. He always sent inspirational messages on sabbaths for encouragement. When football season rolled around, he made sure he was the first to drill me about my Falcons..... even before the first game, lol. RISE UP!!!! Being an only child, Gerard had become the brother I always wanted. I'm definitely going to miss the inspirational messages and him just asking "How you doing today bro?" That's just the way he said it. I will also miss the football teasing. Rest on Gerard! I love you my brother and I will truly miss you. Until we meet again.



Terrance Hamilton - November 26, 2019 at 03:21 PM



“ It's been a number of years now but he used to share daily scriptures and wisdom with me via text. Occasionally we had discussions over them. We all had the best times together enjoying one another's company. We laughed a lot and poked fun at one another. For several years the dumbest thing you did would earn you a "sharpest knife in the drawer" award. We all got one!! I can't recall his, Dag!! I do recall he anointed himself the representative from Atlanta when my wife and I were married in L.A. in '05. I'm one of many who will miss 'my friend'.

Chris Edwards - November 26, 2019 at 11:30 AM

KB

“ Gerard was my big brother.. He would always find me to give me my Sabbath hugs and say "Stay out of trouble today sis please".. He had my back.. This time last yr I was making 300 cupcakes for him, and now he's gone.. In continuous prayer for his wife, son, and sister.. Rest well big brother 😞

Kennetta Brown - November 26, 2019 at 09:41 AM

BD

“ Bro. Gold would make it a point to speak to my husband and me, asking me if he was treating me right! We would get a good laugh from the conversation! He was such a dedicated deacon and took his position very seriously making sure we were safe and that the the duties were performed effectively! Bro. Gold will be missed! Prayers continuing for his family during this difficult time!

Barbara Daniels - November 26, 2019 at 08:56 AM



“ Brother Gold would send me a Sabbath morning greeting every Sabbath, with encouraging scriptures. He will be sorely missed...

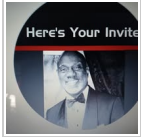
Immanuel Zechariah - November 26, 2019 at 04:58 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Gerard C. Gold.



November 25, 2019 at 08:48 PM



“ I admired how brother Gold carried himself, cool, confident, private yet friendly.

After the Deacon's hosted a special dinner at the We Center last year. Brother Gold sought me out asking "how was the dinner?" He told me of their efforts to make that event something special for the people who attended. That personal attention, impacted me.

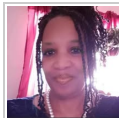
Steve Thompson - November 25, 2019 at 08:42 PM



“ To see Gerad at church taking care of business gave us a sense of security. He was tough but had a smile on his face ready to assist. He will be solely missed. Our prayers, love and thoughts are with the Gold Family 😞



Jenal Harris - November 25, 2019 at 06:58 PM



Gerard was always friendly and would give a slight smile when on duty. He was kind and willing to assist even if he wasn't asked. There was always a sense of safety when Gerard was on duty. West End has certainly lost a true trooper.

CheeChee C Merritt - November 25, 2019 at 07:18 PM

LS

Gerard, was definitely an AMAZING UPRIGHT Deacon at Westend! My heart is truly saddened but I am hopeful he will rise in the FIRST RESURRECTION and we will see him again. Much love and condolences to the Gold Family!

Linda Singletary - November 25, 2019 at 07:34 PM



He was my friend and loved me much. He showed me what it meant to care for people and serve the Lord. What an awesome, loving, caring man for God

Johnathan Yarborough - November 25, 2019 at 08:39 PM

BB

Gerard was my little cousin when we were kids. As we grew into adults I began to realize how tough and determined he was. He loved NY, no matter where he lived. He loved sports and he loved people. He shared the "Daily Dose" to inspire people. He exposed people to God's love. He may have looked up to me when he was little, but I ended up looking up to him as we journeyed through adult life. He set a very good example of a fine human being. I am very blessed to have had him in my life. I will truly miss him.

Bill (Willie) Bute - November 25, 2019 at 10:39 PM