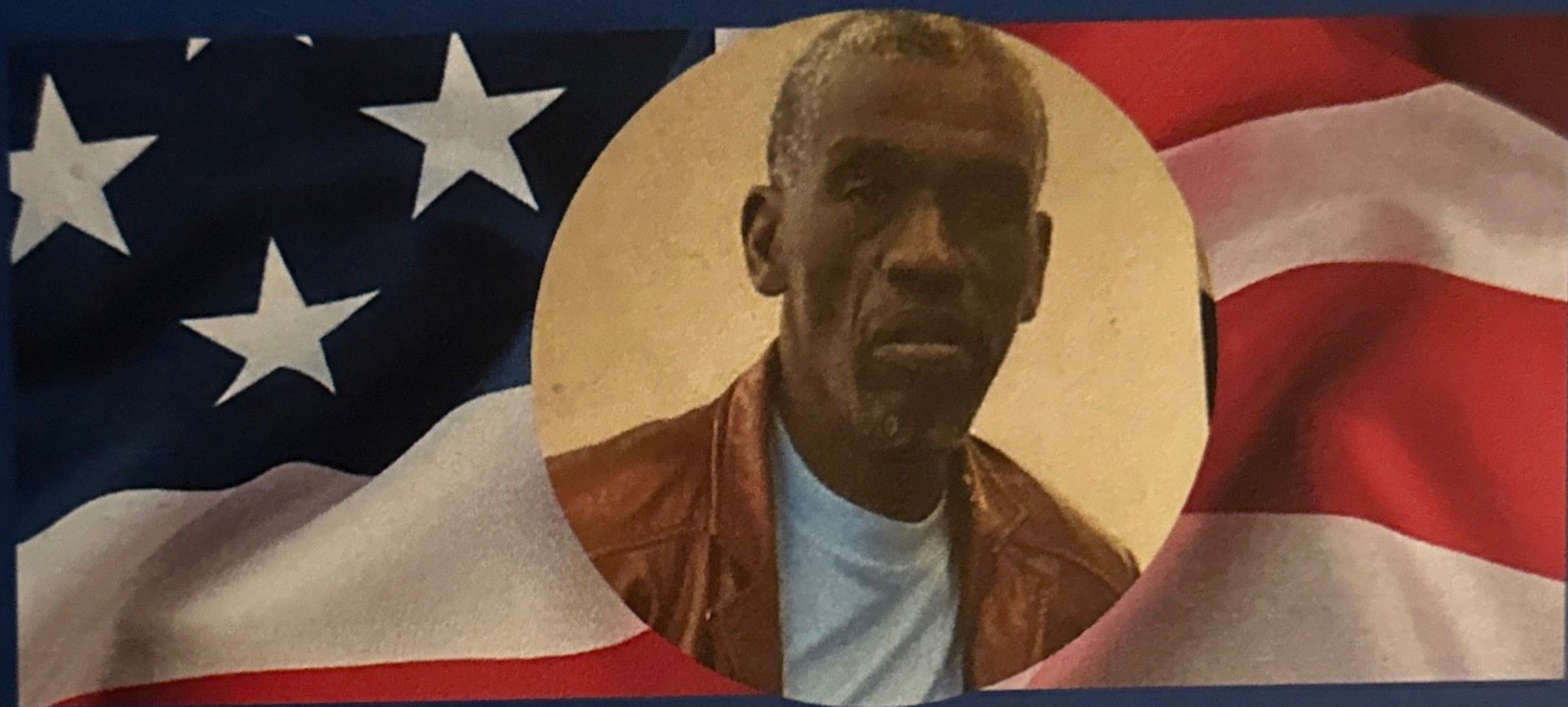


*Honoring*  
THE LIFE OF



*Manuel Smith Jr.*

July 21, 1954 - September 30, 2022

**Thursday 27, 2022**

**VIEWING 10 AM**

**FUNERAL SERVICE 11 AM**

**1370 EWING ST, BEAUMONT, TX 77701**



## *Obituary for Manuel Lynn Smith Jr.*

Manuel Lynn Smith Jr. passed away peacefully at Harbor Hospice of Beaumont on September 30, 2022 went to be with his Lord at 3 AM at the age of 68 years.

Manuel L. Smith Jr. was born July 21, 1954 to the late Manuel Smith Sr. and the late Eliza Smith Spears in Beaumont, TX. Manuel was the fourth child and only boy of the five born to this union. He was preceded in death by his paternal grandparents Willie Smith and Rosetta Berry, maternal grandparents Gus Jones Sr. and Amelia Bias Jones, and parents Manuel Smith Sr. and the late Eliza Smith Spears.

Manuel L. Smith Jr. accepted Christ as a baby at Douglas Memorial CME Church. As a youth he is remembered as a loving youth who spent much time with family, church, and neighbors. He was very interested in vacation bible school and taking care of and learning his precious Bible. Manuel attended and graduated from Charlton Pollard High School in 1972. Immediately, afterwards Manuel enlisted in the United States Marine Corp. Being a Marine brought Manuel great joy and pride throughout his life. After serving his country back in Beaumont Manuel enjoyed driving, eating favorite food, wearing quality starched and pressed clothing, and being social while drinking coffee with family and friends. Being the only son of his parents Manuel could count on his sisters who showed unconditional love. He gratefully returned the love throughout generations. Which in 2004 led to his niece Tiffany introducing him to the love of his life Patricia Rogers Smith who he married March 2007 in Beaumont, Texas.

Survived by his loving wife of 17 years, Patricia Rogers Smith. Sons; Terrence Smith Sr. and Erick Watson both of Beaumont, TX. Step-daughters; Shaketha Drew, Aesha Drew, And Tanya Arceneaux (Elton) all of Beaumont. Grandsons; Terrence Smith Jr., JaJuan Drew, and Traishane Drew all of Beaumont. Granddaughters Kaidence Smith and Dashanti Drew. Great grandsons; Da'mari and Kaydence Drew. Sister; Rosetta Dolores Provo(Fort Worth, TX), Vera Jean Morgan(L.C.), Lynda Smith Gilder, Amelia R. Coleman all of Beaumont. Nephews; Eddie Provo Jr. (Fort Worth, TX), Salama Troy Morgan, Phillip Brazile Jr, Derek Gilder, Sean Gilder(Ericka), Ronald Coleman(Rochelle), Reginald Coleman, Rodger Coleman(Kimberly), and Eran Moore(Katrisha). Nieces; Kimberly Gilliam, Decheshe Morgan, Tiffany Brazile, Dynasty Gilder. And a host of family and friends.



# *Order of Service*

CHOIR PRELUDE

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH - REV. C.U. NEAL, SR.

PRAYER

OLD TESTAMENT - REV. C.U. NEAL, SR.

NEW TESTAMENT - REV. C.U. NEAL, SR.

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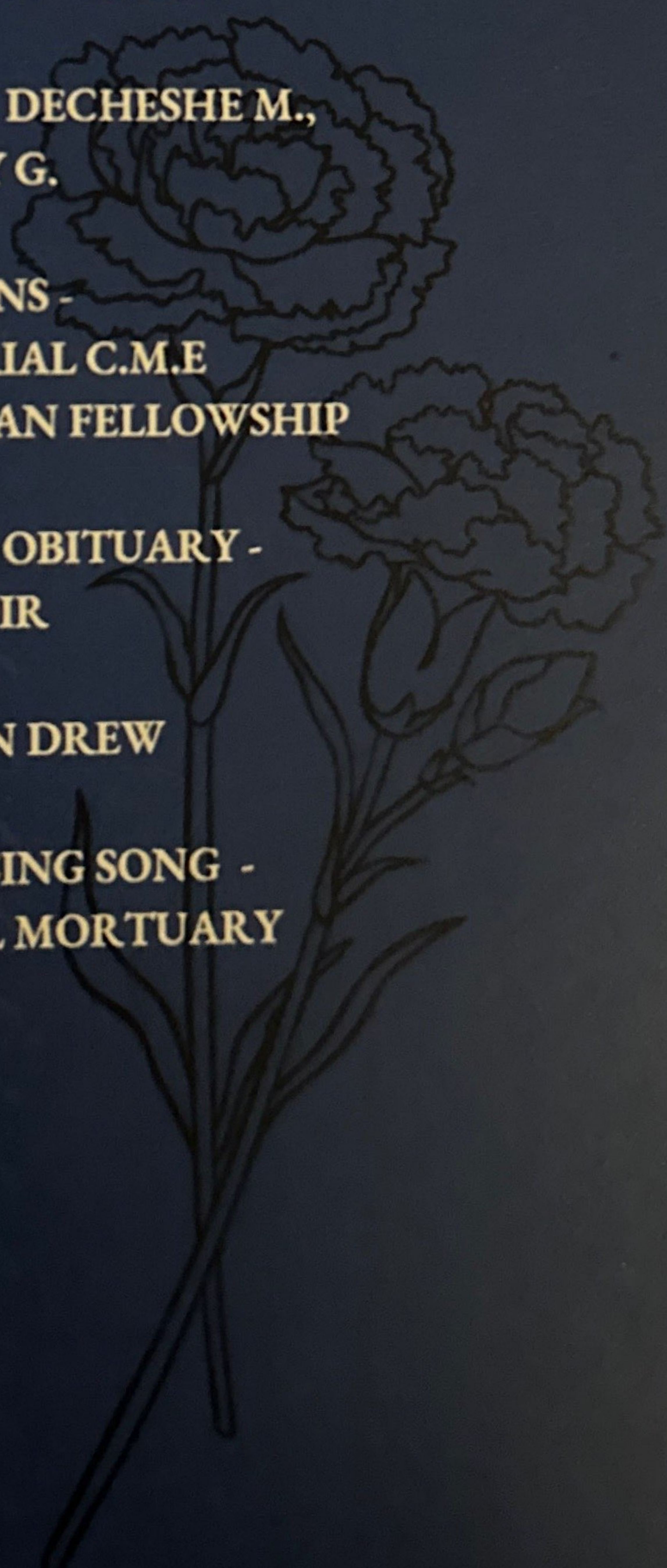
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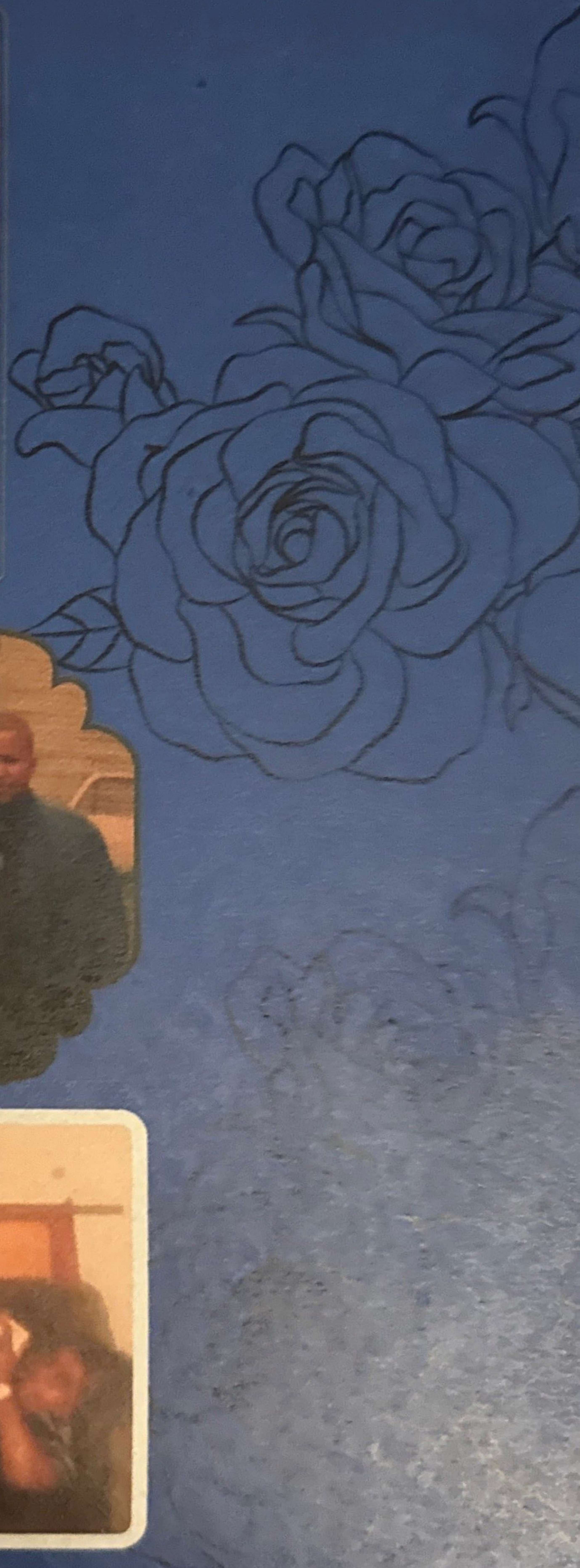
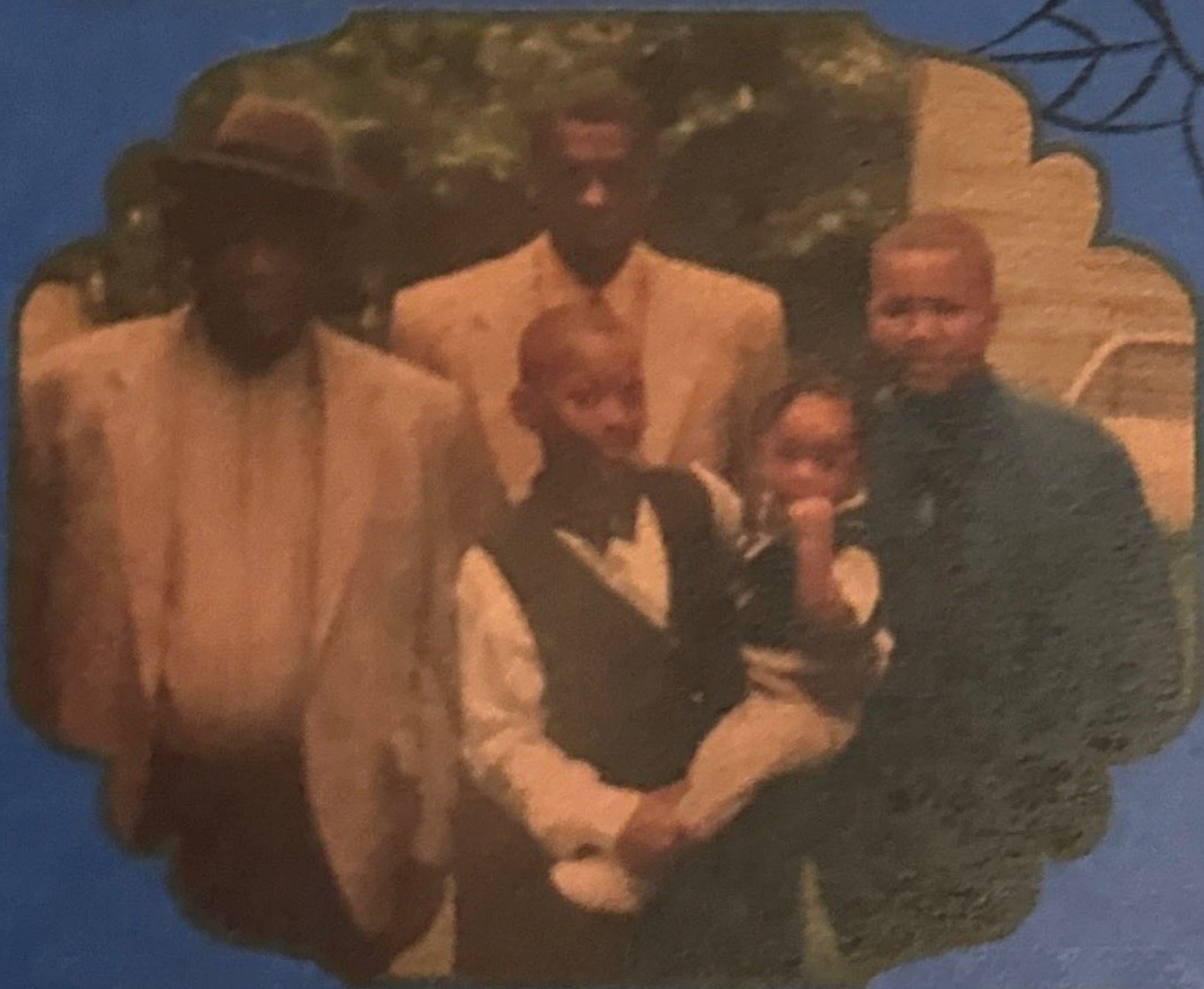
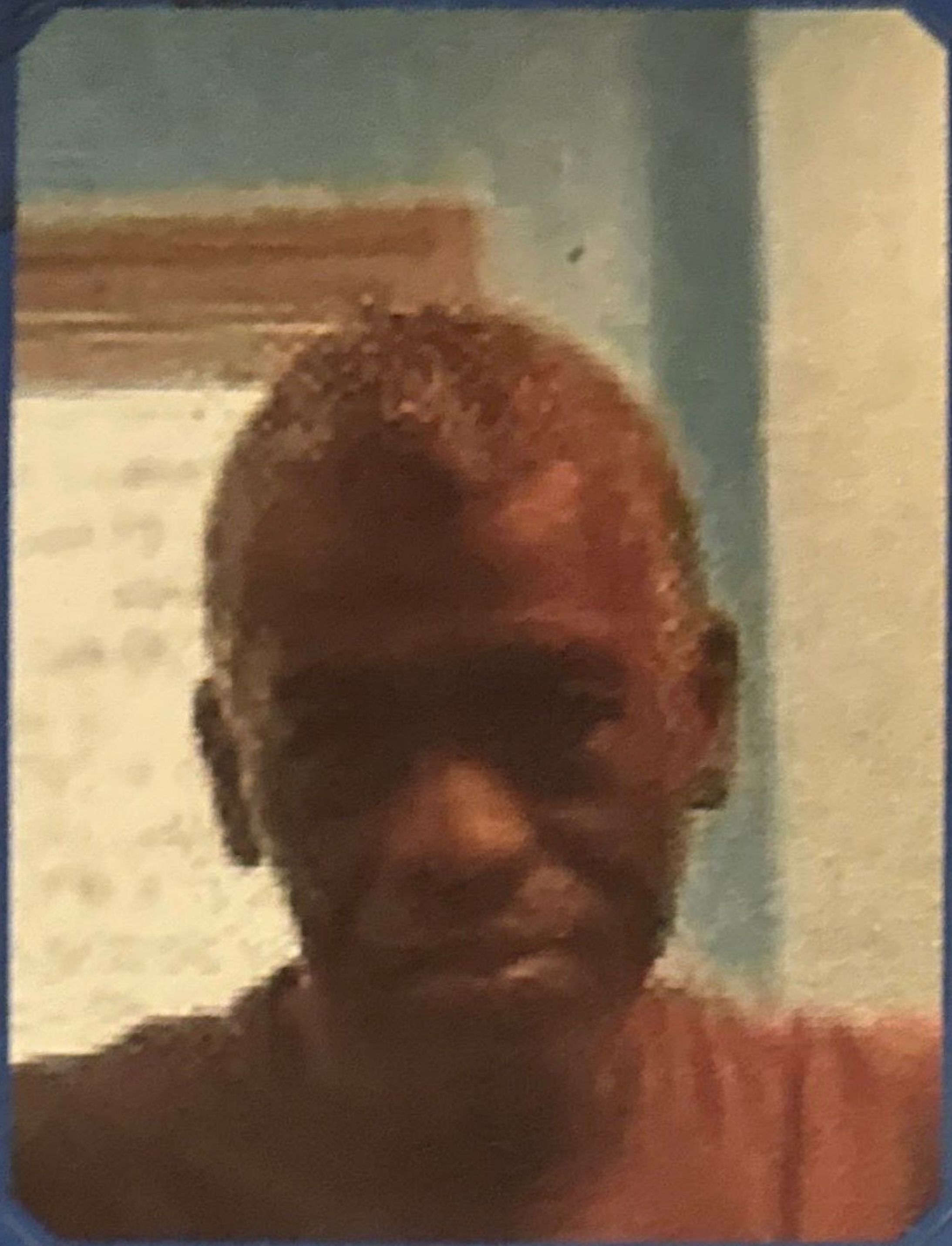
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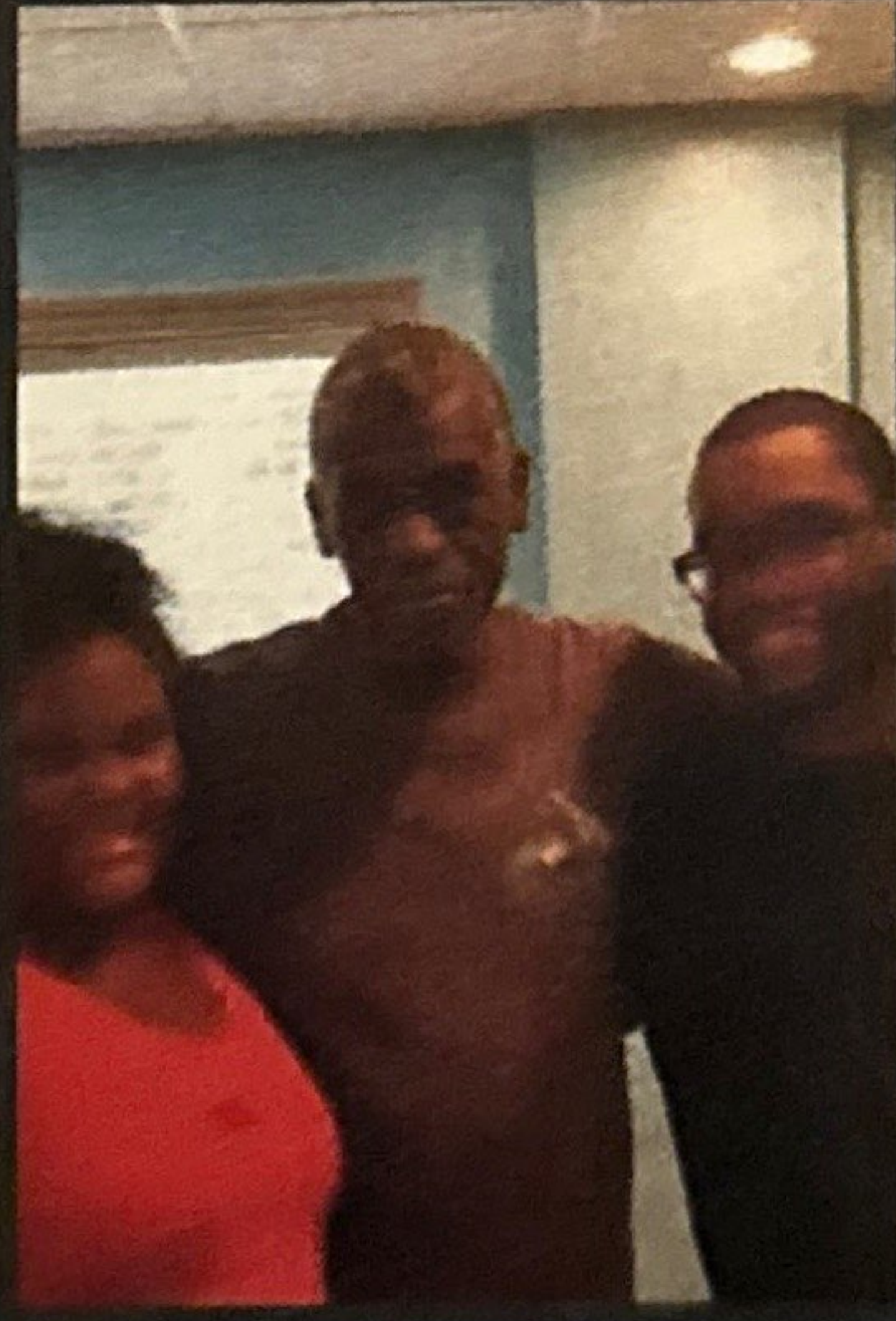
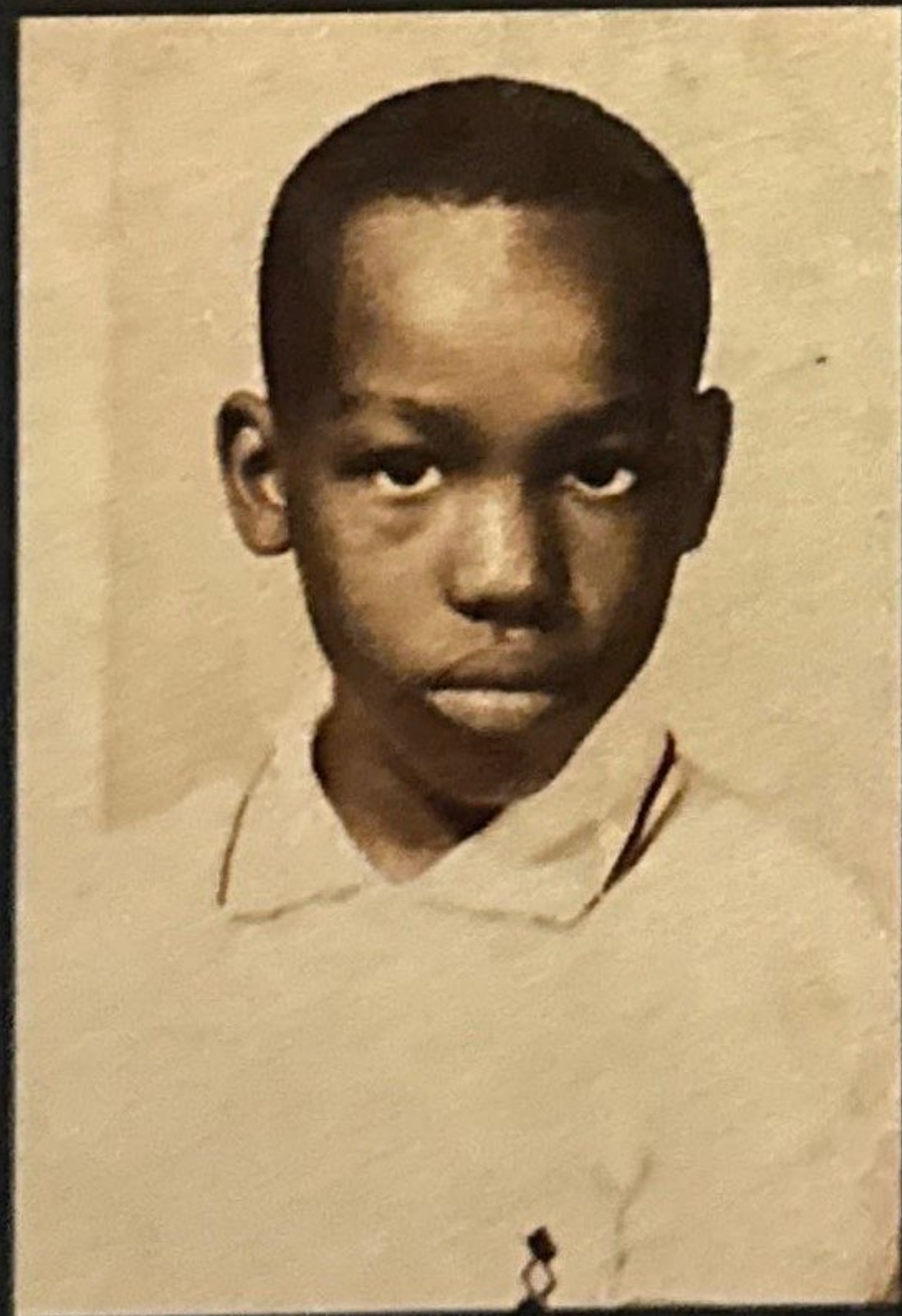
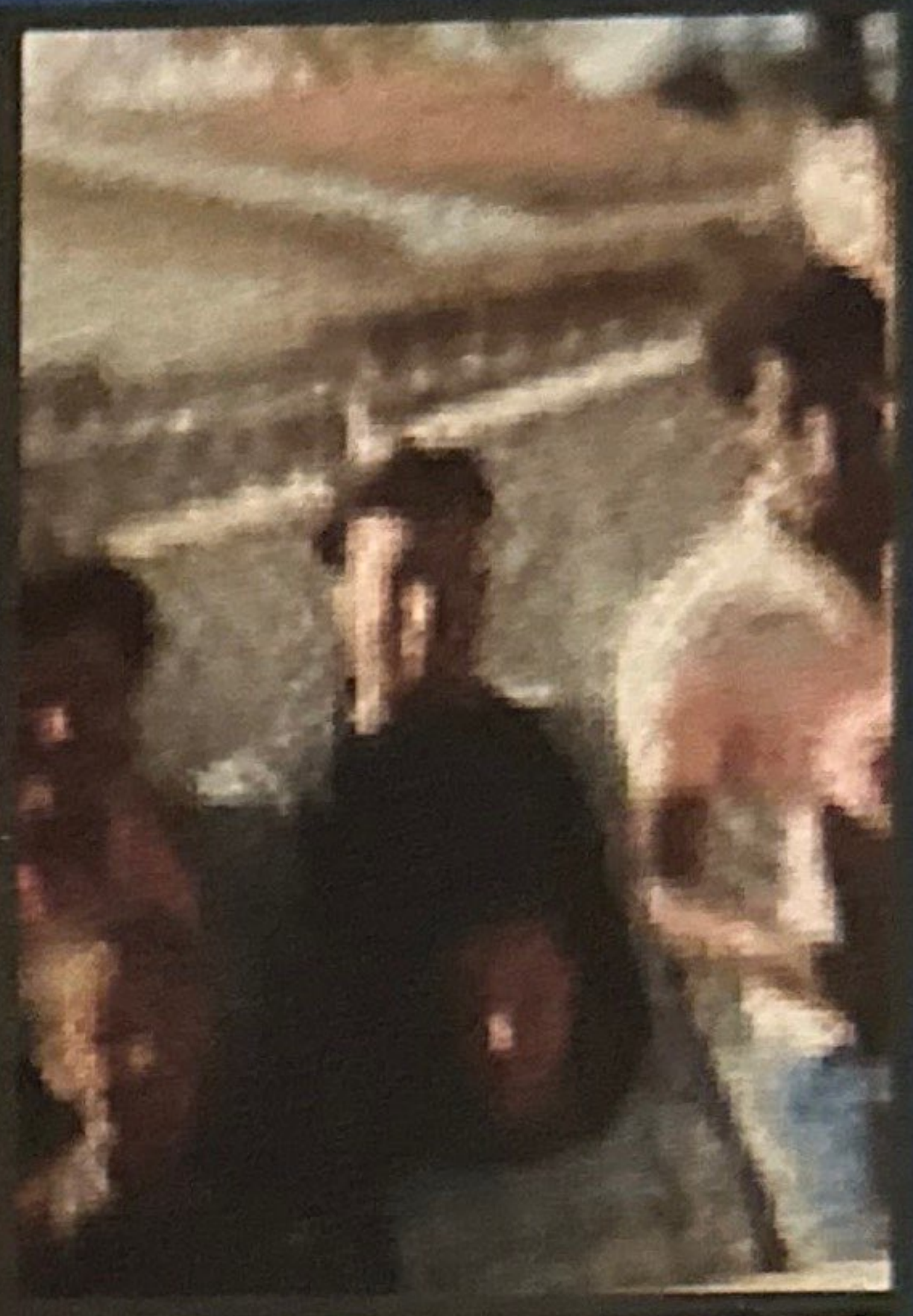
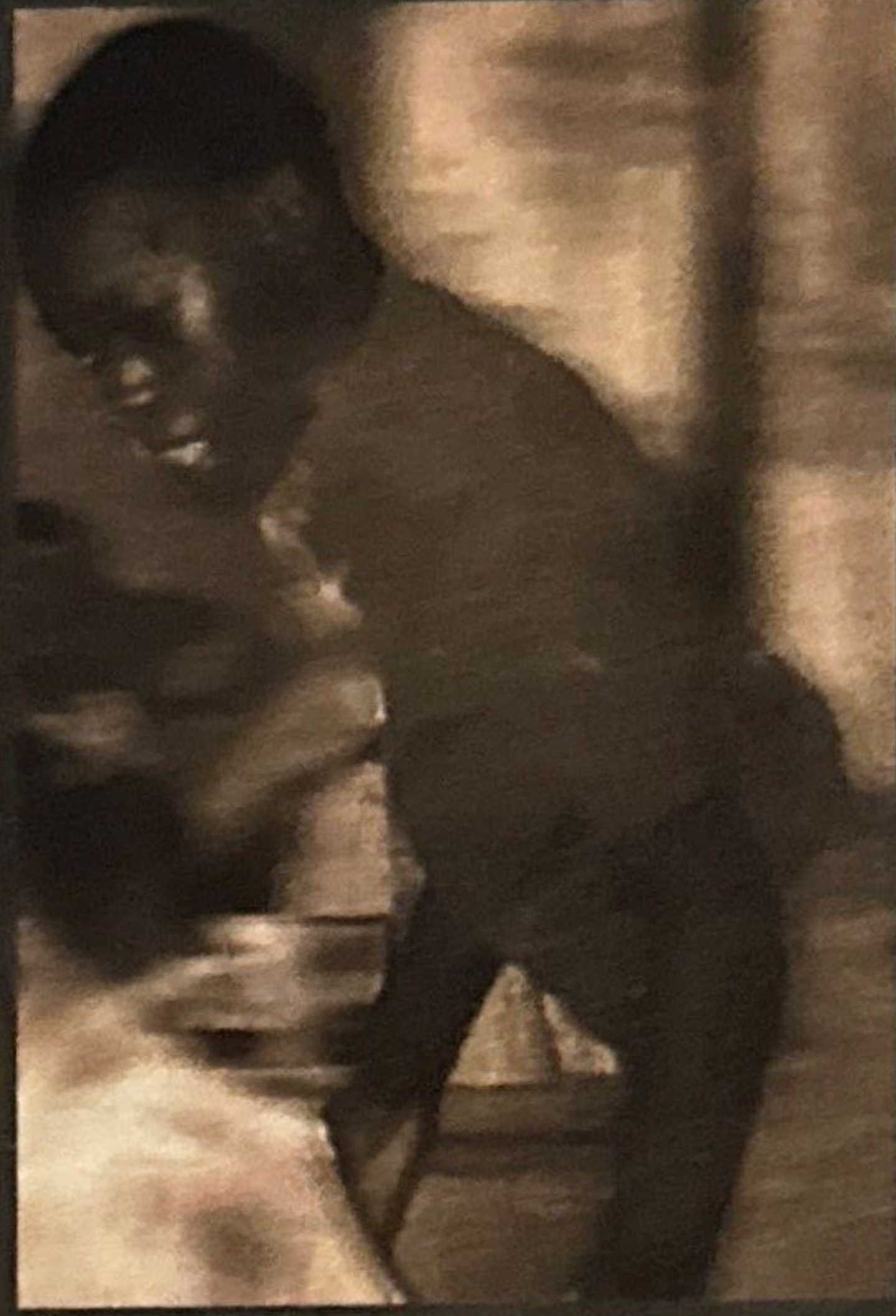
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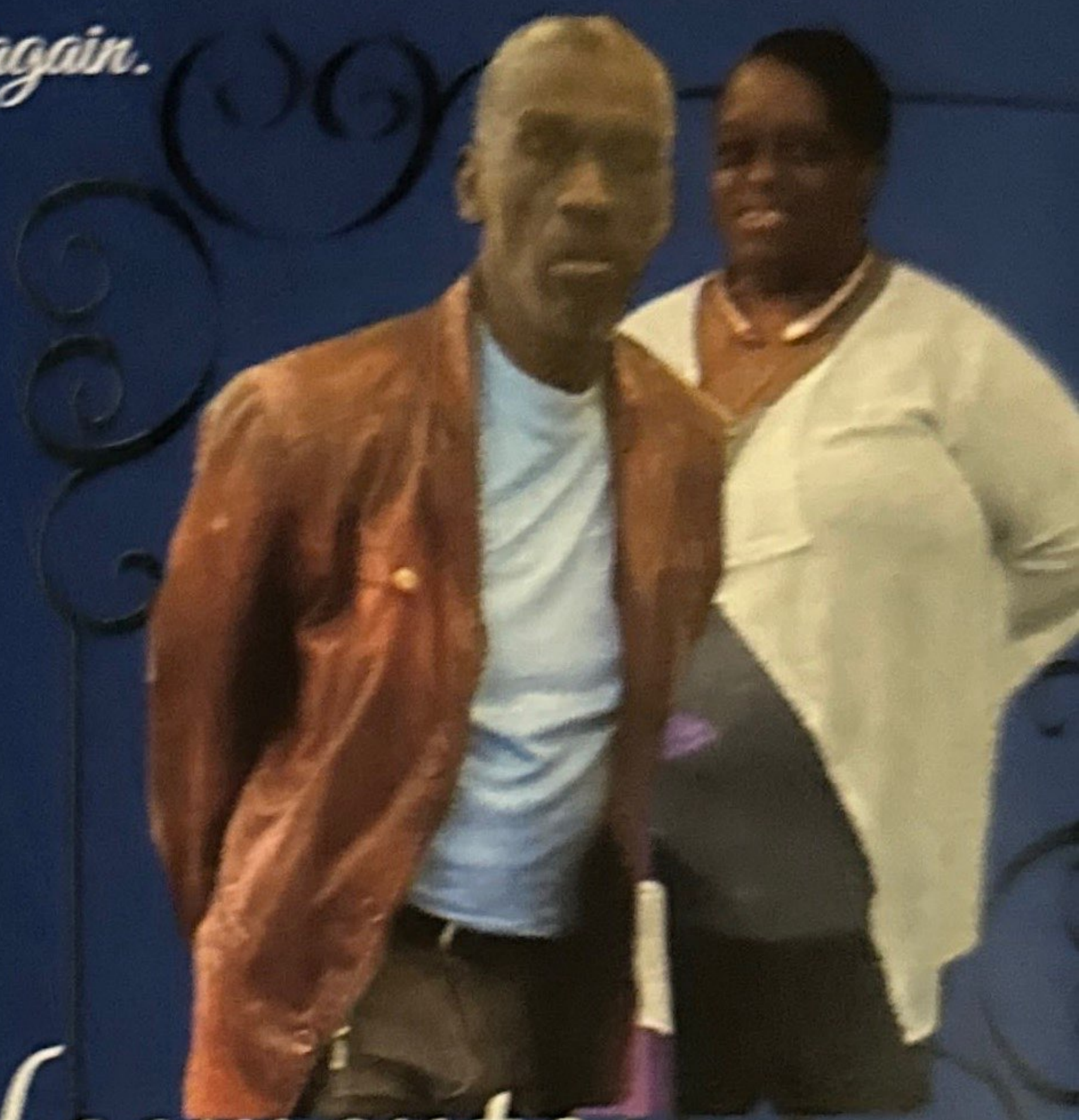


# Dear Husband

*To my loving husband, I miss you already. You are my heart. There are so many words I could say although I am sad I will always remember the love you had for me and my love to you. I always knew that we would be together forever. Your pain was my pain, I felt it all the way. Rest my baby, I don't want to say goodbye, one day we will be together again.*

*Your loving wife,*

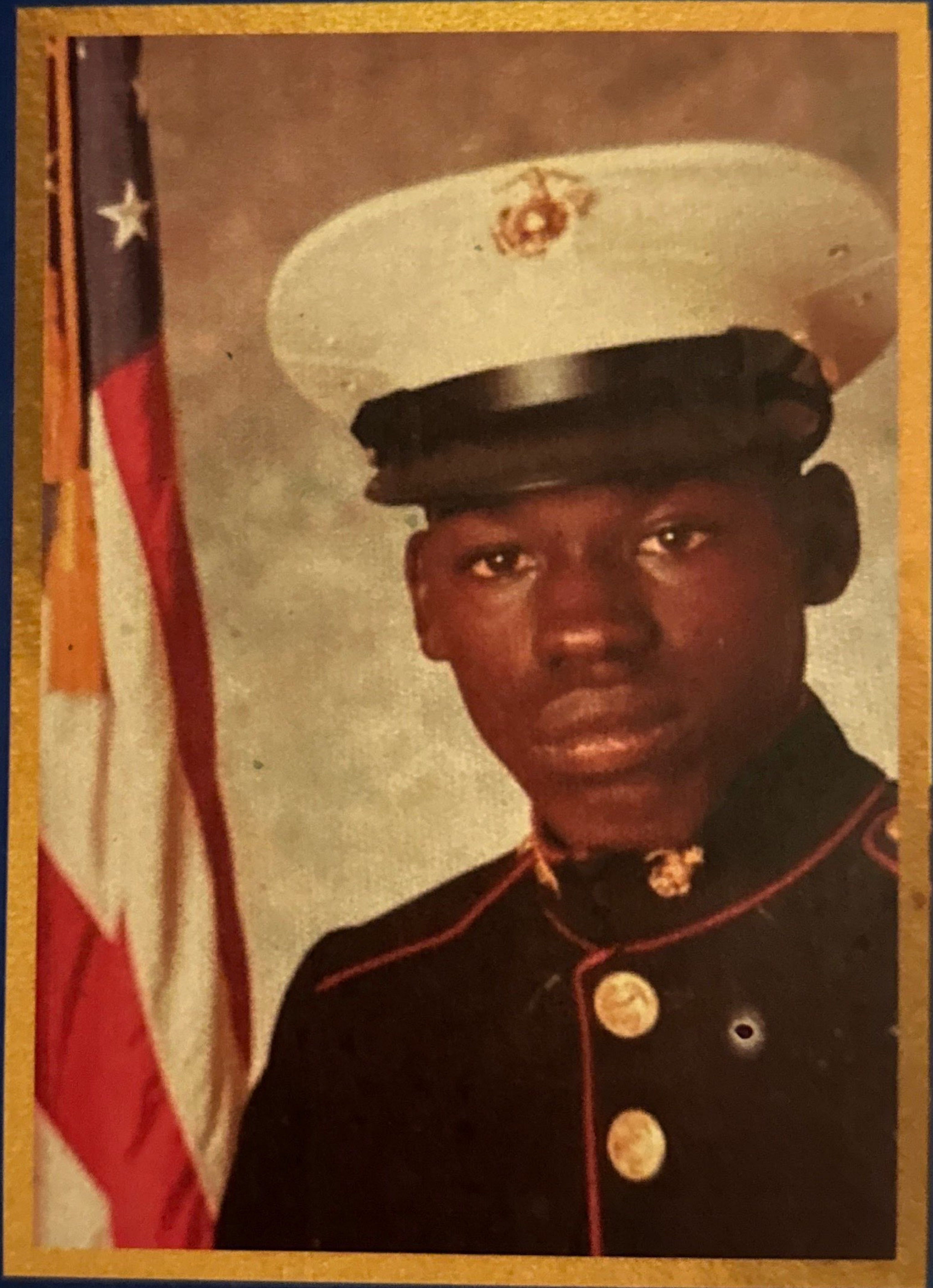
*Patricia Rogers Smith.*



## Acknowledgements

**The family would like to thank the VA Hospital of Houston, Jefferson Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, and Harbor Hospice both of Beaumont for all the care and service provided throughout Manuel's time of need. Also thank you to the church, family, and friends for their prayers and encouraging words. We are forever appreciative and grateful!**







## *Active Pallbearers*

Sean Gilder

Eran Moore

Traishane Drew

Elton Arceneaux

## *Honorary Pallbearers*

Troy Morgan

Derek Glider

Phillip Brazile Jr.

Ronald Coleman

## *Repast*

**A to-go meal will be served Immediately following service in church hall**

## *Burial*

**Promotely at 1:30 PM Friday October 28,  
2022**

10410 Veterans Memorial Dr.

Houston, TX 77038