

Acknowledgement

The family of Ronnie Morgan Stephens wishes to express their sincere appreciation for your kind thoughts and expressions of sympathy. Your continued thoughts and prayers are appreciated.

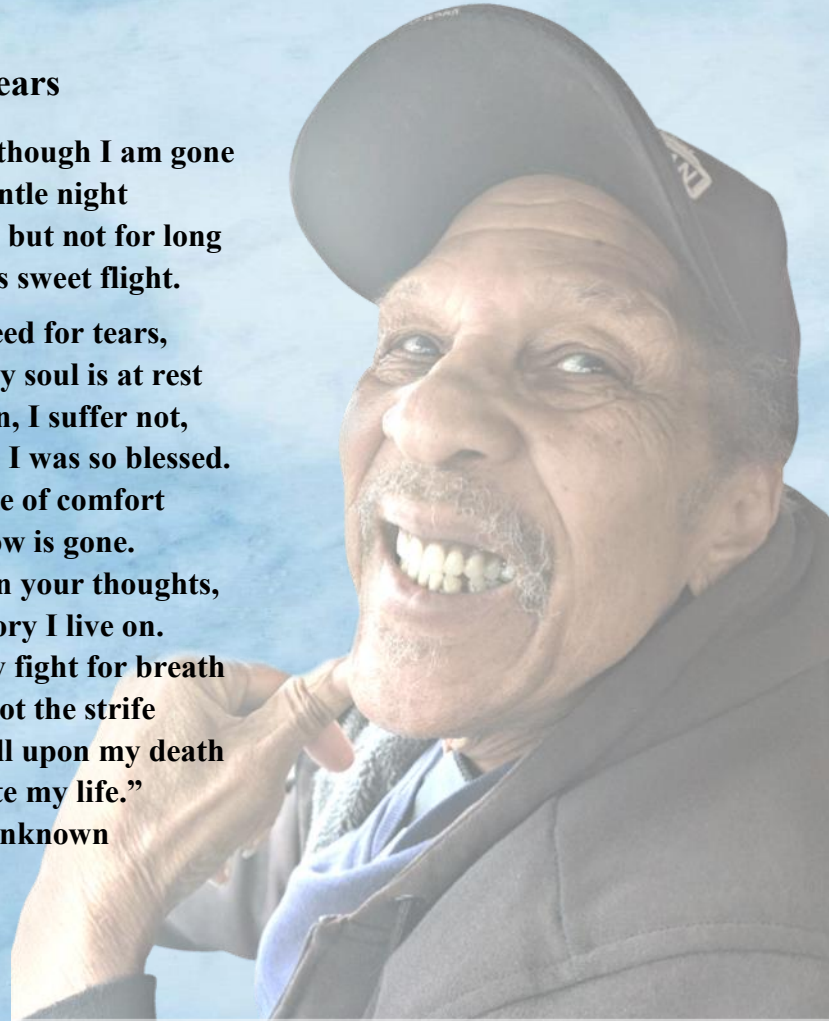
No Tears

“Weep not for me though I am gone
Into the gentle night
Grieve if you will, but not for long
Upon my soul’s sweet flight.

There is no need for tears,
I am at peace, my soul is at rest
There is no pain, I suffer not,
For with your love I was so blessed.

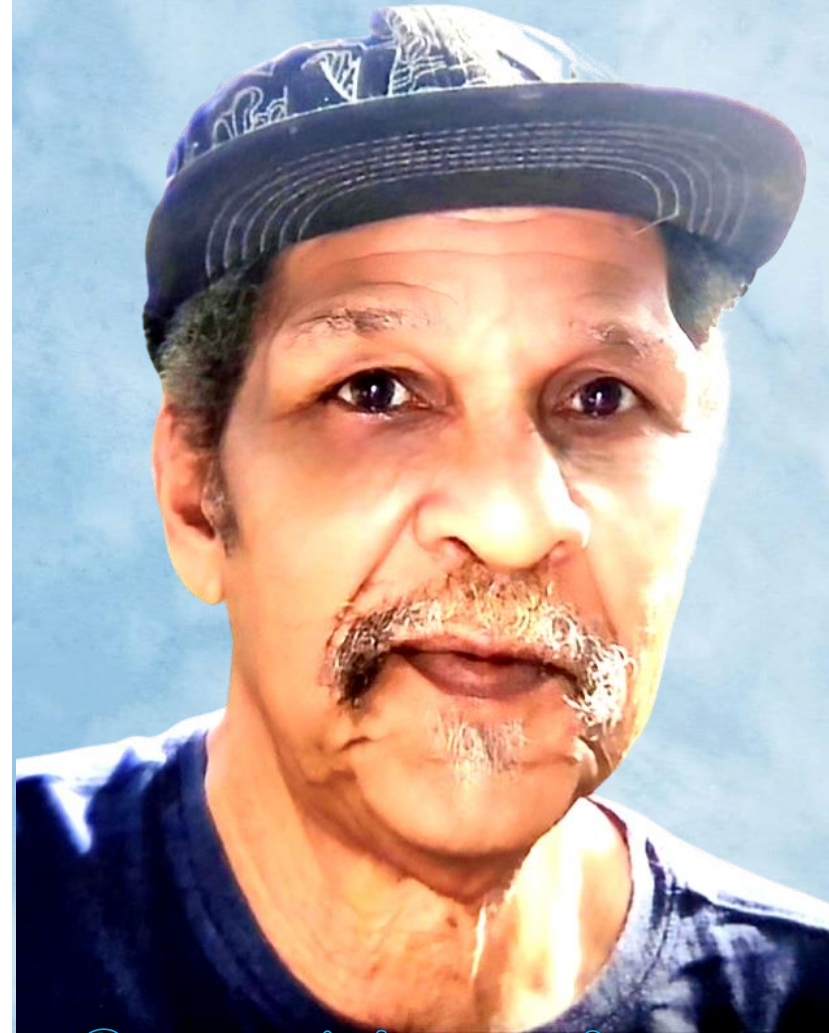
I am in a place of comfort
The fear now is gone.
Put those things in your thoughts,
In your memory I live on.
Remember not my fight for breath
Remember not the strife
Please do not dwell upon my death
But celebrate my life.”

Author Unknown



In Loving Memory Of

June 3, 1943 - January 8, 2023



Ronnie Morgan Stephens

Funeral Services Held At:

Golden Gate Funeral & Cremation Services
2800 East 18th Street ~ Kansas City, Missouri 64127
Thursday, January 26, 2023 ~ 3:00 p.m.
, Officiating



We Entrusted Our Loved One To The Golden Care Of:

GOLDEN GATE

Funeral & Cremation Services, LLC
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“A Service Designed...With You In Mind”

Reflections of His Life

On January 8, 2023, Ronnie Morgan Stephens, 79, was called home to be with the Lord. He was the first of four children born to Vernola (Stephens) Stewart. Preceding him in death was his wife of 44 years, Cynthia (Weaver) Stephens, and his mother, Vernola (Stephens) Stewart.

Ronnie was born June 3, 1943, in Chillicothe, MO to Vernola Stephens. He was raised by his grandparents, William Olie and Mary Stephens, until their passing. Ronnie received his G.E.D. and enlisted in the US Army in 1961. He proudly served the United States in Vietnam.

Ronnie married Cynthia Weaver in 1976. He held various positions with different companies throughout his life, with his last position being an Environmental Construction Worker. He was known for his generosity, wittiness, and broad knowledge about all subjects. Ronnie enjoyed fishing, spending time with family and friends, and watching television shows, such as Gold Rush and Secrets of Skinwalker Ranch. He helped and touched the lives of so many during his time on Earth. The family finds comfort in knowing that Ronnie is with the Lord and no longer is suffering from any ailments or pain.

Ronnie leaves to cherish his memory, three beautiful daughters, Marlo Barnes of Owasso, OK, Stephanie (Willie) Thomas of Corona, CA, and Shana Stephens of Kansas City, MO; five grandchildren, Davonne Stephens, Tyler LaGrone, Akirra James, Quiani Middlebrooks, and Dei'Anna Jones; one great-granddaughter, Bayla James; three sisters, Kathleen Stewart, Vickie Stewart, and Leslie Diane Stewart, all of Omaha, NE, and a host of other family and friends.

Order of Service

Prelude *Aretha Franklin*
"God Will Take Care of You"

Crowning Ceremony *Golden Gate*

Welcome & Words of Introduction

Opening Prayer *Clergy*

Scripture *Clergy*
2 Corinthians 4:16-18

Selection *Lauren Hill*
"His Eye Is On The Sparrow"

Acknowledgements/Condolences

Life Reflections *Read In Silence*

Remarks *Family & Friends*
Two (2) Minutes Please

Words of Comfort

Prayer of Committal & Benediction

Closing Selection *CeCe Winans*
"Don't Cry For Me"

Recessional

