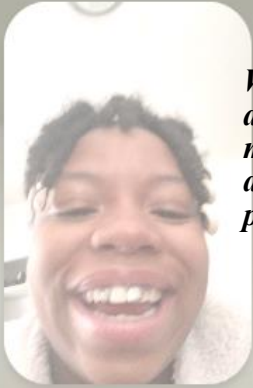


Acknowledgement



We would like to express my gratitude for all acts of kindness extended during the bereavement of my dad, your acts of kindness, prayers and other expressions of sympathy is greatly appreciated. Bless your soul.

My Father, My Father by Dakota Ellerton

My father, my father,
I love he,
my father, my father,
made me see,
how beautiful this world
really can be.

My father, my father,
said to me,
my daughter my daughter,
come see me,
I wont be around forever,
and I have things that must be.
My father, my father,
don't die on me.

He wasn't a hero
Known by the world,
But a hero he was
To his little girl.

My daddy was a god
Who knew all things.
And better than Santa,
With the gifts he'd bring.

I knew his voice
Before I could speak
And loved it when
He would sing me to sleep.

He changed my diapers
And sat up all night
When my body was weak
And I'd put up a fight.

He'd come home late
With not much to say
And made us all kneel
As he taught me to pray.

He taught me life's lessons
Of right from wrong
And instilled in me values
That I might be strong.

And so through the years,
Like a hero he stood.
Working to give
All that he could.

His presence was important,
And we loved to see him smile,
For no one in the world
Could emulate his style.

And so, dear Dad,
My best memory to recall
Is the gift of your presence,
The greatest gift of all.

Rebecca D. Cook

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A Homegoing Celebration For



Virgil Slaughter

SEPTEMBER 8, 1966 - JUNE 11, 2023

Service Held At:
Golden Gate Funeral & Cremation Services
2800 East 18th Street, Kansas City, Missouri 64127
Thursday, June 29, 2023 ~ 3:00 p.m.
Pastor Robert L. Brown, Sr., Officiating

Reflections of His Life

Virgil was born in Kansas City, Missouri to Virgil and Ella Slaughter on September 8, 1966. Virgil was a lifelong resident of Kansas City where he studied and received his GED. Virgil a.k.a. "Dupree" will be truly missed.

Dupree was blessed to meet and marry Rosalind Slaughter. He became a father to her 3 beautiful children before having two sons of his own. If anyone asked how many children he had, he would reply "5". Dupree loved being with his family watching football, listening to Ice Cube, Confunkshun, Cameo, but most of all he loved eating his wife's cooking.

Dupree accomplished many things in life, but becoming a husband and father was his greatest accomplishment.

Dupree departed this life on Sunday, June 11, 2023. His parents, Virgil and Ella Slaughter; son, Daniel Slaughter; sisters, Virgie Carter and Barbara Slaughter; brother, Phillip Slaughter, and niece, DeAntreia Ashley all preceded him in death.

He leaves to cherish his memory his loving wife, Rosalind Slaughter; children, Bobbi Jackson (Greg), Brian Slaughter, James Watson, and Willie Watson; sister, Mildred Terry; brother, Ivory Terry; granddaughters, Kei'Oni Jackson, Remedy Watson, and Ra'Miah Watson; grandson, Kei'Mon Jackson, and a host of nephews, nieces, cousins, other family, and friends.

HE IS GONE BY DAVID HARKIN

You can shed tears that he is gone, or you can smile because he has lived. You can close your eyes and pray that he'll come back, or you can open your eyes and see all he's left. Your heart can be empty because you can't see him or you can be full of the love you shared. You can turn your back on tomorrow and live yesterday, or you can be happy for tomorrow because of yesterday. You can remember only that he is gone, or you can cherish his memory and let it live on. You can cry and close your mind, be empty and turn your back. Or you can do what he'd want: smile, open your eyes, love and go on.

Order of Service

Processional

Clergy & Family

Crowning Ceremony

Golden Gate

Scripture

Clergy
Romans 8:38-39

Prayer

Clergy

Selection

Kirk Franklin
"Storm Is Over Now"

Acknowledgements & Condolences Vonda Wilson

Life Reflections

Video Presentation

Remarks

Family & Friends
Two (2) Minutes Please

Selection

LeAndria Johnson
"Better Days"

Words of Comfort

Pastor Robert L. Brown, Sr.

Benediction

Recessional

