

CELEBRATION OF LIFE



*Clarence Earl Johnson Jr.*

*February 14, 1983 - August 02, 2024*

**Saturday, August 17, 2024**

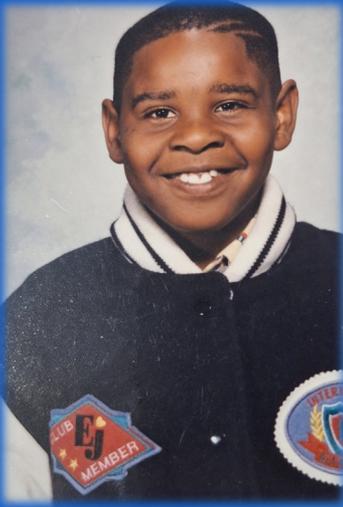
*Calvary Temple Baptist Church*

*2940 Holmes, Kansas City, MO 64109*

*Wake 9:00 AM Celebration of life 11AM*

*Rev. Ronnell Jones, Officiating*

ALWAYS & FOREVER MISSED BEYOND WORDS



Clarence Earl Johnson Jr., affectionately known as Jr, Bearman, Doughboy, and Earl. He was born on February 14, 1983, in Kansas City, MO to the union of Carolyn Johnson and Clarence Earl Johnson, Sr.

He graduated from high school with pride, a testament to his determination and commitment to his education. Clarence's educational journey led him to hair school. Although he didn't pursue it as a career, his time in hair school allowed him to further develop his skills and creativity by helping those that he knew and those in need. Worked in transportation and ran his own business, Johnson Transportation & Logistics.

Above all, Clarence was known for his caring nature and genuine concern for others. He took great pride in ensuring that everyone around him was doing well and always lent a helping hand to those in need. His selflessness and compassion left an indelible mark on the lives he touched. Clarence will be remembered for his infectious laughter, warm smile, and kind heart. He leaves behind cherished memories that will forever be treasured by his family and friends.

Clarence is preceded in death by his father, Clarence Johnson Sr, his sister, Audra Humphry, and both maternal and paternal grandparents. Clarence was the father of four children. Mario Johnson age 23, Mariah Johnson age 21, Clarence Earl Johnson III age 19, all of Fort Worth, TX, Malachi Hardin age 11 of Kansas City, MO.

Clarence leaves to cherish his memories: His 4 children, mother, Carolyn Johnson of Kansas City, MO; 3 sisters, Deon Jones (Harold), Kansas City, MO, Nichole Coleman, Kansas City, MO, and Hellen Johnson (Ronald), Saint Louis, MO.; 2 brothers, Reginald Ligons (Shantay), Houston, TX, and Sean Mikle of Houston, TX. Clarence had a host of nieces and nephews. He leaves bonus sisters, Monae Bland and Ashley Morris of Kansas City, MO, special friend Kenya Osborn and host of other loving family and friends.



# *Order of Service*

*Processional..... Clergy & Family  
Crowning Ceremony.....Golden Gate*

*Prayer.....Rev. Ronnell Jones*

*Old & New Testament..... Rev. Cheryl Hawkins*

*Selection..... Yunna Powell  
Walk Around Heaven*

*Acknowledgements & Condolences.....Ellamae Ashley*

*Life Reflections..... DVD Tribute*

*Remarks.....Family & Friends*

*Selection .....Yunna Powell*

*Take Me To The King*

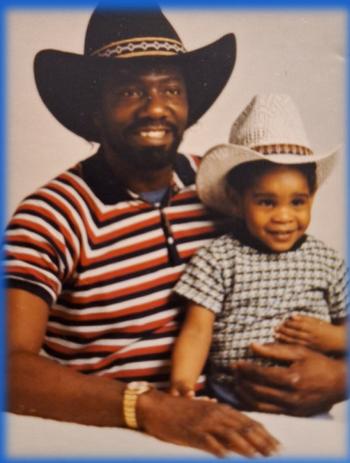
*Poem.....Ashley Morris*

*Words of Comfort.....Rev. Ronnell Jones*

*Benediction.....Rev. Ronnell Jones*

*Interment: XI Gates Memorial Gardens  
9500 Bannister Road  
Kansas City, MO 64134*







IN LOVING MEMORY  
OF  
**CLARENCE E. JOHNSON**  
BORN  
AUG 15 1947  
DIED  
AUG 15 2015

CON  
KILLS  
CATS

## Messages from the children

*Dear Dad, you've always been a cool father to us, and we've had a lot of good laughs together. We had lots of good fun hanging out and talking with each other. You never made me feel different and always made sure I was respected as the oldest and told me to stand tall and hold my head up. I wish we had more time together; I still have questions. I will forever remember you and love you. Forever and always your first born  
~Est 2000~I love you Rest well dad. -Mario K Johnson*

*I wish this wasn't a goodbye, but a see you later. I wish I could have said more. I wish there was more time. I wish everything could've been alright, but I know you were hurting. I wish to you all good health and happiness and peace, I love you. -Mariah*

*"I miss you every day. I think about all the great times we had together, and it brings a smile to my face. Sharing the same name and talents with you like music, cutting hair and personality in general always made me feel a special connection with you, and your habit of saying see you later instead of goodbye still comforts me to this day. I know you're watching over us, and I carry your love and wisdom in my heart. Until we meet again, see you later -Tre*

*I love you and miss you dad, and I wish we had more time. You said you wanted me to go pro playing football. I will do my best to make it happen and have you smiling down on me until we see each other again. Love you, Dad -Malachi*



# Thank You

The family of Clarence Earl Johnson Jr. would like to thank each one of you for the many words and acts of comfort and love expressed during this time of bereavement. Your kindness will never be forgotten. May God Bless each and every one of you.

## *Pallbearers*

*Lewis C. Taylor*                      *Kenneth Jones*  
*Na'Marco Coleman*           *Jimmie Holman Jr.*  
*Jawon Jones*                      *Charles Ashley*  
*Uh'Ryan Robins*                 *Dameon Nelson*

## *Honorary Pallbearers*

*Lewis C. Taylor Sr.*                *Steven Robinson*  
*Harold Jones*                      *Clyde Talbert*

## *Reginal Ligons*

*To My Family*

*A limb has fallen from the family tree, I keep  
hearing a voice that says "Grieve not for me"*

*Remember the best times, the laughter, the  
song, the good life I lived while I was strong  
Continue my heritage, I'm counting on you.  
Keep smiling and surely the sun will shine  
through*

*My mind is at ease, my soul is at rest.  
Remembering all, how I truly was blessed  
Continue traditions, no matter how small. Go  
on with your life, don't worry about falls  
I'll miss you dearly, but keep up your chin until  
the day comes, we're together again.*



**We Entrusted Our Loved One To The Golden Care Of:**

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