

A Celebration of the Life of

Acknowledgements

Family of Luther Wayne Mixon Sr. wishes to convey our deepest sincere thanks and appreciation of love, kindness, and thoughtful gestures extended to us throughout this difficult time. Special thanks to the Doctors and Nurses at Grant Medical Center, DaVita Dialysis Center, and My Father's House Church, family and friends.

Pallbearers

Arnold Perry - Ernest Bell - Ernie McCoy
Andre Scott - Micheal Thornton - Taft Woodford (Alternate)
Lonnie Harper

Honorary Pallbearers

Donald Mays - Marcus Mixon
Steven Grant Sr. - Carlton Allen - Ricardo Garth

Flowerbearers

Tracy Taylor - Paula Thompson



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Deacon Luther Wayne Mixon Sr.

February 9, 1947 - July 6, 2024

Saturday, July 20, 2024

Visitation: 9:00am Service: 10:00am

New Birth Christian Ministries
3475 Refugee Rd., Columbus, OH 43232

Messenger Pastor Phillip Poindexter, Officiant and Eulogist

Reflections of Life

Luther Wayne Mixon Sr. also known as "Butch" or "Wayne" was born to the late Carnal Troy Mixon and late Hazel Saddler on February 9, 1947 in Chattanooga, Tennessee. Wayne lived in the American Addition with his family and later moved to the Shepard Community.

Wayne was a product of the Columbus Public Schools. Wayne attended Eastmoor High School where he was an outstanding track runner and succeeded in football. He became Head Coach for EMJP "The Trojans". All the players he coached stayed in contact with Wayne until his passing. His favorite play was "Wish Bone 22" he would say, "If this play doesn't work, my name isn't Wayne Mixon".

Wayne was employed at the Ohio Malleable Iron until their closing and retired after 30 years of service from the Columbus Public Schools. On June 17, 2006 Wayne joined hands in marriage to his wife, Valena Allen. Wayne and Valena were active members of My Father's House of Ministry. Wayne wore many hats. Deacon Wayne, served on the Finance Committee and drove the church bus until his health declined, but he continued doing his other mission until his passing.

Wayne was an all-time sportsman and cook. He loved sharing his talent with his family. Every Thanksgiving, the Mixon Men and close friends would go hunting while the wives prepare Thanksgiving Dinner, and it was hosted at his father's house or Larry Sr.'s house. After the family became large. The tradition continued at their own home.

Wayne also enjoyed camping and fishing. He formed a club called the "3B Sportsman's Club". The family would come together at family reunions and go hunting, and fishing. Wayne and Valena hosted alot of cookouts for the family, church family, friends, and neighbors. Wayne even made a park next to his house named, "Mickey's Playground".

Preceded in death by father, Carnal Troy Mixon; mother, Hazel Saddler; children, Anthony Mixon Sr., Luther Mixon Jr. and Terri Allen-Williams; siblings, Earlene, Willene, Larry Sr., Sharon, Alex, Kevin, and Barry Sr.; niece, Sher'Ron (Mixon) Coleman.

He leaves to cherish his lovely memory, wife, Valena; children, Patricia, Sonja (Steven) Grant, Donald, Dietra, Tashawn (Antonio) Scott, Aleta, Marcus, Takina Allen, TeiShawna "Toby" Jones, Sherman Adams Jr.; 45 grandchildren, 56 great grandchildren, and 3 great great grandchildren; siblings, Gary, Rosalyn, and Maxine, sister in love Shirley and Joan Mixon; sisters-in-law, Jakki "Robert" Allen Lee, Sounia "Keith" Raye, Dorothy "Charles" Rivers, and Veloris Allen; brothers-in-law, Micheal Ann" Allen, Clifford Allen; special brother-in-law, Carlton "Tondra" Allen; bonus sons, Marvin Coble, Arnold Perry, Dorsey Birdsall, Everett Lee Ross Jr., Brady Ford, and Ernest Bell; and bonus niece, Lisa Murray. A host of nieces, nephews, and close friends, Mr. & Mrs. Williams, and Mr. & Mrs. Dexter Sheppard.
- As Wayne would say "Peace Be Still"

Order of Service

ORGAN PRELUDE	Music Ministry
PARTING VIEW	Immediate Family
SCRIPTURE READING	Min. Shirley Mixon
Old Testament.....	
New Testament	
PRAYER	Pastor Jamar Turner
SELECTION	Bro. Ron Mapp
ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS	Sis. Donna Wilson
REMARKS	Children
OBITUARY	Read Silently
SELECTION	Sis. Tamisha Mckenize
THE EULOGY	Messenger Pastor Phillip Poindexter
BENEDICTION	Messenger Pastor Phillip Poindexter
RECESSIONAL	Clergy, Family and Friends

Interment

East Lawn Cemetery