

## *Acknowledgement*

*The family of Carlos M. Rainey wish to extend our sincerest appreciation to our many friends and family for all acts of kindness, expressions of sympathy and comfort shown during these hours of bereavement. Your generosity of giving and sympathetic understanding, has provided us with great strength, and aided us to lighten our heavy burden at this time. May God bless each of you.*

### *I'm Free*

*Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free  
I'm following the path  
that god has chosen for me  
I took his hand when I heard him call  
I turned my back and left it all  
I could not stay another day  
To laugh, to love, to work or play  
Tasks left undone must stay that way  
I've now found peace at the end of the day  
If my parting has left a void  
Then fill it with remembered joys  
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss  
Oh yes, these things, i too will miss  
Be not burdened with times of sorrow  
Look for the sunshine of tomorrow  
My life's been full, I savored much  
Good friends, good times, a loved ones touch  
Perhaps my time seems all to brief  
Don't lengthen your pain with undue grief  
Lift up your heart and peace to thee,  
God wanted me now- He Set Me Free*



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## *A Home Going Celebration for*



**CARLOS MONTEZ**  
*Rainey*

*November 20, 1963 - November 20, 2022*

*Golden Gate Funeral & Cremation Services, LLC.  
2800 East 18th Street, Kansas City, Missouri 64127  
Friday, December 2, 2022 -Service 3:00 p.m.  
Edward Washington, Officiating*

## ~ Reflections of His Life ~

Carlos Montez Rainey was born November 20, 1963 in Kansas City, Missouri to Lola and Lv Rainey Sr.

Carlos was educated in the inner city of Kansas City, where he graduated from Southwest High School. He worked several jobs throughout his life. He was also a local entrepreneur, owning his own business, Cosmo Ice Cream And More; and also worked as a part time truck driver. Later in life, he settled into part time seasonal jobs.

Carlos accomplished many things in life. His number one accomplishment was raising his children, being a good grandfather and person to all. He was a peace-maker, as much as a protector and provider for his family. He left his mark on each person he passed.

Carlos was blessed with three beautiful children. He enjoyed family gatherings, and playing video games. He also loved to eat milk and cookies, making jokes and laughing, and spending time with his family.

Carlos departed this life on Sunday, November 20, 2022. His mother, Lola Rainey; father, LV Rainey Sr.; grandmothers, Elnora Cubie "Maedea" and Addie Maryweather; grandfathers, Ezekiel Rainey, and Harvey Cubie; several aunties, uncles, and cousins all preceded him in death.

Carlos leaves to cherish his memory his children, LV Rainey (Tyekesha Miller), Mia Rainey (Larnell Watson Jr.), and Virgil Patterson; sister, Dana Gutierrez (Rafael); nephew, Jordain Rainey; nine grandchildren, Caleb Hawkins, Montez Rainey, Kai Rainey, ZaMya Barr, LaKaedra Watson, LaMina Watson, Larnell Watson III, Lailoni Watson, and LaMell Watson.

## Order of Service

**Prelude**

**Soft Music**

**Crowning Ceremony**

**Golden Gate**

**Scripture**

**Edward Washington**

**Prayer**

**Edward Washington**

**Selection**

**Ronnie Roland**

**Acknowledgements & Condolences**

**Remarks**

**Family & Friends**

**Two (2) Minutes Please**

**Life Reflections**

**Read In Silence**

**Selection**

**Ronnie Roland**

**Words of Comfort**

**Edward Washington**

**Benediction**

**Recessional**

