

Acknowledgement

We the family wish to extend our sincerest appreciation to our many friends for all acts of kindness shown during our moments of sorrow. The Lord has been good to us and we thank you for being there with us. May God richly bless and keep each of you, forever.

23 Psalm

The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want.
He maketh me to lie down in green pastures:
He leadeth me beside the still waters. He
restoreth my soul: He leadeth me in the
paths of righteousness for His name's sake.
Yea, though I walk through the valley of the
shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for Thou
art with me; Thy rod and Thy staff they
comfort me. Thou preparest a table before
me in the presence of mine enemies: Thou
anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth
over. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow
me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in
the house of the LORD forever.

March 26, 1958 – June 6, 2023

Roger L. Harden Jr.



A CELEBRATION OF LIFE



We Entrusted Our Loved One To The Golden Care Of:

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Memorial Services Held At:

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Wednesday, June 21, 2023 ~ 3:00 p.m.

Minister Sheri Hall, Officiating

Reflections of His Life

Roger Louis Harden Jr., was born March 26, 1958 in Jackson County Missouri to Anna M. Davis and Roger L. Harden Sr.

Roger was highly educated and obtained his GED in order to enlist into the Coast Guard June 30, of '76. He was honorably discharged from service August 1, 1980.

He was married before he served and Angela L. (Call) Harden bore two children that he loved; Velton and Rogina Harden. Angela also transitioned before Roger. Years later, Ernestine "Tina" Washington gave birth to another one of Roger's beautiful children; Isaeic Washington (formerly known as Kyla).

Along his Journey, Roger moved from Kansas City, Missouri to Columbia, Missouri where he did good work, met a nice lady, made good friends and lived humbly; finding joy in simple things.

He took his last breath at Pioneer Nursing Home in Marceline, Missouri on Tuesday, June 6, 2023, under hospice care. Along with both parents, two of Roger's lovely sisters departed this earth all too soon, Theressea A. (Harden) Purnell and Jocelyn M. (Harden) Wash.

Still in the land of the living to carry his memory are three children, Velton Harden, Rogina Harden, and Isaeic Washington; two brothers, Darrell W. Harden and Verlon L. Harden; one sister, Connie L. Harden; Life partner, Janie French; four grandchildren, Tre 'Vonte Harden, J'Lonna Harden, Dazionna Smith, Gemn Harden and a number of beloved nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives, and friends who loved him dearly and will carry him close to their hearts.

Order of Service

Processional

Clergy & Family

Crowning Ceremony

Golden Gate

Scripture Reading

**Pastor Alice Piggee-Wallack
Truelight Church of the Nazarene**

Prayer

Pastor Alice Piggee-Wallack

Selection

**Dazionna Smith
"Rise Up" by Andra Day**

Acknowledgements/Condolences

Life Reflections

Read In Silence

Remarks

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

Selection

**Marvin Sapp
"He Saw The Best In Me"**

Words of Comfort

Minister Sheri Hall

Prayer of Committal & Benediction

Presentation of Keepsakes

**Rogina Harden
"One Sweet Day" by Mariah Carey & Boyz II Men**

Recessional

