

## *Acknowledgements*

Thank you for your prayers, support and love you have shown us.  
We appreciate and love you. May God bless you!

**With Love,  
The Family of Jerome Keith Goodwin**

## *Farewell Message*

*I'm good, I'm ok, I heard him say "This life has given me much  
and for that I am grateful.*

*May you grace the heavens with your smile, humor and winning  
personality.*

*May you take your place amongst the angels to watch over and  
protect us.*

*I'm sure you will be great in your new assignment. On earth you  
were great! You always shared your best part.*

*We will surely miss you and your memories will forever rest in  
our hearts.*

*Beyond Eternity,  
Belinda*

To offer condolences to The Goodwin Family,  
visit [www.TheChapelofPeace.com](http://www.TheChapelofPeace.com)



Homegoing Celebration for

*Jerome Keith Goodwin*

October 23, 1964- August 5, 2024

**Saturday, August 24, 2024**

Visitation: 1:00pm Memorial Service: 2:00pm

Marlan J. Gary Funeral Home

**The Chapel of Peace East**

5456 E. Livingston Ave., Columbus, OH 43232



## *Epitaph*

We gather to celebrate and remember Jerome Keith Goodwin who peacefully transitioned from this life on August 5, 2024. Jerome was the last sibling born to his late parents, George Edward Goodwin and Doris Jean Goodwin (Hickman) on October 23, 1964, in Marion, Ohio.

In his earlier years he attended and graduated from River Valley High School and Tri-Rivers Vocational in Marion, Ohio with a special interest in electrical communications.

Later he moved to Columbus, Ohio and worked at Buckeye Steel Castings and retired in 2019 from Pickaway Correctional Institute as a Correctional Officer.

Jerome's life was so fulfilling in which he shared with his wife, children, grandchildren, siblings and friends.

He loved to travel and never passed up an opportunity to vacation often. He had a special love for the tropics and frequently visited Jamaica the place he called "Home". When he was not traveling, he had a special interest in riding his motorcycle, fishing with his brother, woodworking, making homemade biscuits and spending time with his wife, children, grandchildren and friends.

He leaves to cherish in memory: his lovely wife of 30 years, Belinda Goodwin sons, Ayren Griffea, Brenden Boswell; grandchildren, Luis and Brelin; siblings, and spouses; sisters, Sandra (Gregory) Ward, Frann (Micheal) Lowery; brother, Edward (Jennifer) Goodwin, and a host of nieces and nephews. He had a special place in his heart and for his extended family of sons, daughters and grandchildren.

Today we cherish the beloved memory of Jerome's late niece, Alexandria L. Goodwin.

## *Order of Celebration*

### **The Gathering**

1:00pm to 2:00pm

### **1:45pm Musical Selection – (Rob C.)**

(Let Go) DeWayne Woods

### **2:00pm Candle Lighting (Family)**

(Let the Church Say Amen) – Marvin Winans

### **Musical Selection (Please Stand)**

Total Praise- Richard Smallwood

### **Opening Prayer| Verse - Pastor Gaius Griffea**

### **Ministry with Song/Dance – Maria C. (Grand)**

Never Would Have Made it – Marvin Sapp

### **Reading of the Epitaph – John Sims**

### **Poem – Vicki Sims**

### **Words of Encouragement – Terry Byrd**

Timothy O'Bryant

### **Shared Memories (2-minutes)**

### **Musical Selection - Kay Brown**

Amazing Grace (My chains are Gone) CeCe Winans

### **Ministry of Healing– Elder Gregory Ward**

### **Closing Remarks and Acknowledgements**

### **Musical Selection – Farewell, Well Done – Bebe Winans**