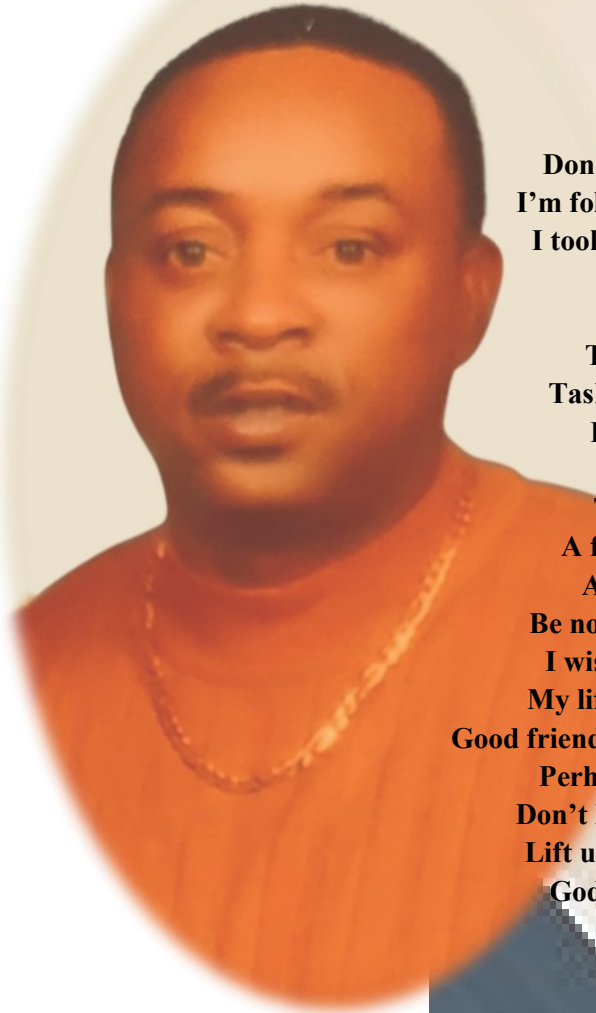


## *Acknowledgement*

*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 forever bless and keep each of you is our prayer.*



I'm Free

Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free  
I'm following the path God laid 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.  
Task left undone must stay that way,  
I found that peace at close of day.  
If my parting has left a void,  
Then fill it with remembered joy.  
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,  
Ah yes these things I too will miss.  
Be not burdened with times of sorrow,  
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.  
My life's been full; I've savored much,  
Good friends, good times, a love one's touch.  
Perhaps my time seemed all too brief,  
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.  
Lift up your hearts and share with me,  
God wanted me now; He set me free.

Author Unknown



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*In Loving Memory Of*



*Mr. Glen W. Kelly, Sr.*

**Memorial Services Held At:**

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2800 East 18th Street ~ Kansas City, Missouri 64127

**Saturday, November 19, 2022 ~ 2:00 p.m.**

**Rev. Bennie Young, Officiating**

## *Reflections of His Life*

Glen Kelly, Sr. was born March 21, 1958 in Kennett, Missouri to Anna Mae Kelly and Steven Anthony.

Glen was educated at Paseo High School in Kansas City, Missouri. He enlisted in the Marine Corps in 1975, and was Honorably discharged in 1979. He worked as an Over The Road Truck Driver for 20 years.

Glen met Christina Countz in 1990 and married in 1994. He was blessed with six children and two stepchildren.

Glen enjoyed music, bowling and cooking. He loved spending time with his children and grandchildren.

He departed this life on Tuesday, November 8, 2022. He was preceded in death by his parents, Anna Mae West, and Steven Anthony; one sister, Marilyn Dantzler; and a brother, Daryl Jones.

Glen leaves to cherish his memory, his wife, Christina Kelly; children, Glen Kelly, Jr., Masheena Johnkins (Andre Johnkins) both of Georgia, Lawrence Johnson of California, Montez Kelly of Kansas City, Brandon Kelly, and Christian Kelly, both of Georgia; step-children, Kiante Smith-Saxton (Ricky Saxton), and Tyleshia Avant (Issac Avant), both of Georgia; 14 grandchildren; siblings, Robert Jones of Kansas City, Darlene Caw of Kansas, Michael Kelly of Kansas City, Steven J. Anthony of North Carolina, Luther "Pete" Pryor of Mississippi, Sandy Smith of Muncie, IN, Bernadine Anthony of Raleigh, NC, and Edna Rasberry of New Bern, NC;; along with a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives, and friends.

## *Order of Service*

*Processional*

*Clergy & Family*

*Crowning Ceremony*

*Golden Gate*

*Welcome*

*Tyleshia Avant*

*Prayer*

*Tyleshia Avant*

*Scripture*

*Malaija Frazier  
Lamentations 3:22-25*

*Selection*

*Kiante Smith-Saxton*

*Acknowledgements & Condolences* *Taciona Lavelly*

*Life Reflections*

*Read In Silence*

*Remarks*

*Glen's Sons*

*Words of Encouragement*

*Detrol Treadwell*

*Words of Comfort*

*Rev. Bennie Young  
Bethlehem -Antioch Missionary Baptist Church*

*Prayer of Committal*

*Benediction*

*Issac Avant*

*Recessional*

