

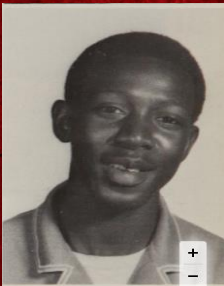


PALLBEARERS

Reginald Richardson
Lonnie G. Turnipseed Sr
Lonnie G. Turnipseed Jr
Lester Williams
Joshua Quinn
Michael Orr

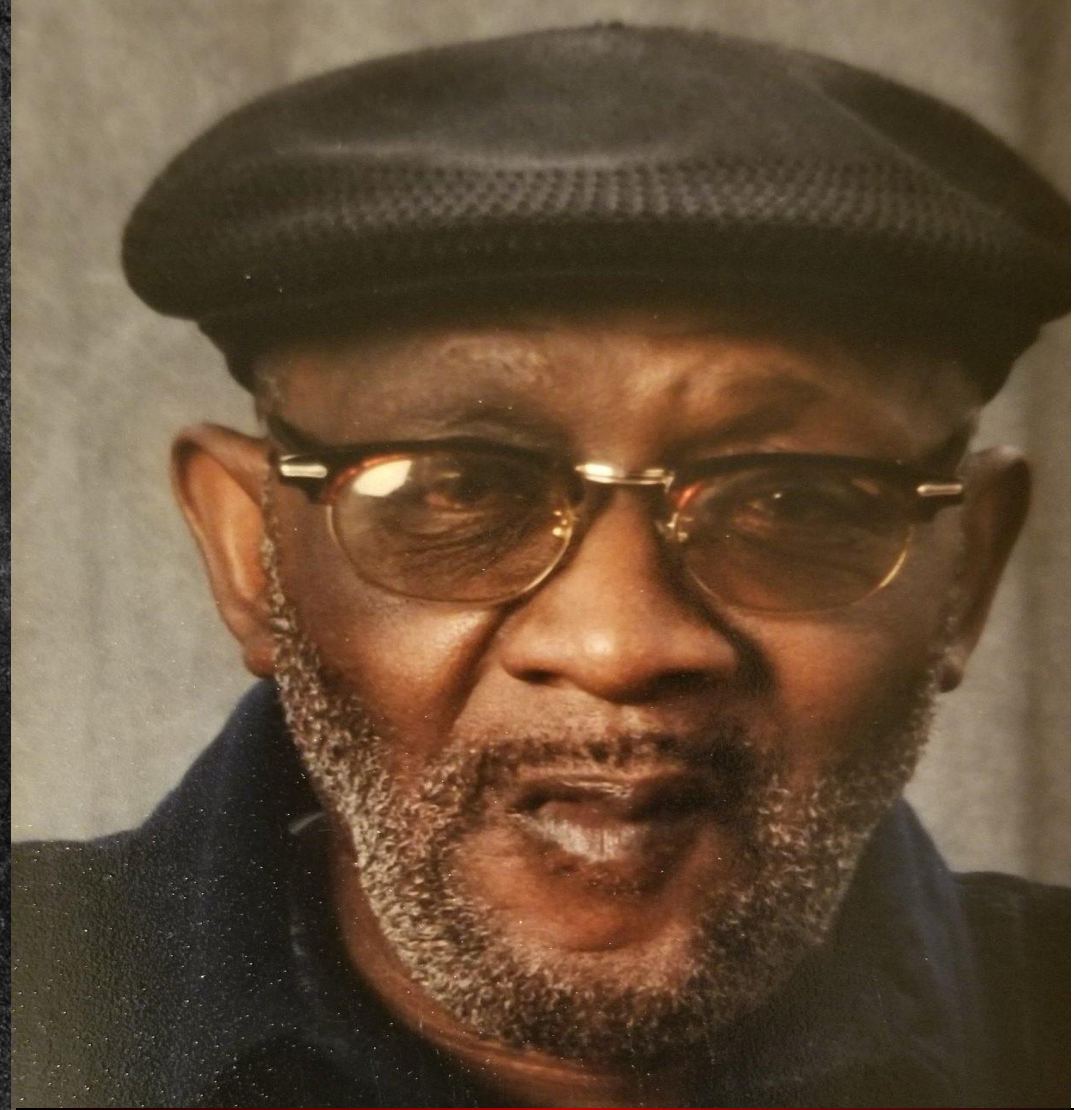
INTERMENT

Jefferson Barracks
2900 Sheridan Rd
St. Louis, MO 63125



ACKNOWLEDGMENT

The family wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation the many expressions of love, concern and kindness shown to them during this hour of bereavement. May God Bless and Keep You!
~The Watkins Family~



LARRY DARNELL WATKINS

Sunrise
January 21, 1953

Sunset
November 27, 2021

Clark & Sons Funeral Chapel
933 Hodiamont Ave
St. Louis MO 63112

Pastor Claudine Murphy
Officiating



IN LOVING MEMORY

LARRY D. WATKINS

Sunrise began for Larry Darnell Watkins on January 21, 1953. He was the second child born to Ruby Watkins in Tunica Mississippi. He was 2 years old, when he and his family moved to St. Louis Missouri in 1955. Confessing Christ at an early age, he was of the Baptist faith. Larry was educated in the St. Louis Public School system and graduated from Soldan/Blewett High School in 1972. He enlisted in the Navy in Spring of 1974, was honorably discharged, and became an EMT and Firefighter in 1977.

Larry had two daughters Shawanda Michelle Watkins with Carolyn Fletcher and Latisha Sha’Nee Watkins with Genoria Huddleston.

Larry worked for many years at the St. Louis City Fire Department. His favorite pastime was testing and sharpening his knowledge base while watching Jeopardy and Wheel of Fortune game shows. In his younger years you could often find him playing basketball in the park.

Later in life, Larry oved to Chicago Illinois where he joined Good Hope Missionary Baptist Church.

On Friday morning, November 27, 2021, at 7:10 am the sun set for Larry Darnell Watkins. He was preceded in death by his grandmother, Beatrice Dantzler; grandfather, Bruce Garrett; Mother, Ruby Garrett; Father, Hayes Odom; and brother, Jerry Watkins. Larry leaves to cherish his memory: daughters, Shawanda (Reggie) Richardson and Latisha (Bryan) White; grandchildren Reggie, Aniya, Nariah, Cohran & Chancelor; great grandchildren Q’oria & Amauri; brothers Walter (Dorothy) Garrett & Lonnie (Tina) Turnipseed, a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. His absence leaves a tremendous void in the lives of those who knew and loved him.

IN LOVING MEMORY

December 10, 2021
Pastor Claudine Murphy
PRELUDE

PROCESSIONAL
“Going Up Yonder”

PRAYER
Shirley White
MUSICAL SELECTION
“The Battle Is Not Yours”
READING OF OBITUARY
“One Sweet Day”

CONDOLENCES
Shirley White
REFLECTIONS/TRIBUTES
Family and Friends

WORDS OF COMFORT
Pastor Claudine Murphy
MUSICAL SELECTION
“Take Me To The King”
CLOSING PRAYER
Pastor Claudine Murphy
RECESSIONAL
I Hope You’re Dancing”

A MAN’S LIFE

“Every man’s life ends the same way. It is only the details of how he lived and how he died that distinguish one man from another.”

- Ernest Hemingway,

