

HOMEGOING SERVICE
Celebrating The Life Of



Cleveland Beachum, Jr.

Sunrise

February 6, 1949

Sunset

July 13, 2026



Service

Saturday, July 25, 2026 - 11:00 AM

G. G. Woody Funeral Home, LLC

206 East Eighth Avenue, Roselle, New Jersey 07203

Rev. James E. Moore, Sr., Officiating

Life Reflections

Cleveland Beachum, Jr. was born on February 6, 1949 in Port St. Joe, Florida, son of Ella Mae Gainer Beachum and Cleveland Beachum, Sr. Educated in the Port St. Joe Public School System, he graduated from George Washington High School where he had played baseball.

While visiting family in Linden, New Jersey, Cleveland was introduced to the love of his life, Linda Aileen Redmond. They would be joined in holy matrimony in 1974. This union was blessed with two sons, Corey and Derek. They raised their family in Linden before moving to Rahway, New Jersey.

Cleveland served in the United States Marine Corps during the Vietnam War era and was honorably discharged on May 13, 1975.

He was employed by New Jersey Transit in Elizabeth, New Jersey where he enjoyed playing on the company baseball team. Later, he worked as a Truck Driver for UPS in Edison, New Jersey for many years. After he retired from UPS, he worked for Penske Trucking Company in Linden and Cowen Trucking Company in Carteret, New Jersey.

Cleveland Beachum, Jr. departed this life on July 13, 2026 at Robert Wood Johnson University Hospital in New Brunswick, New Jersey at the age of 77. He was predeceased by his parents, Ella and Cleveland Beachum, Sr. and a brother, Charles Beachum.

He leaves to cherish fond memories, his beloved wife of 51 years, Linda Beachum of Rahway, NJ; two sons, Corey Beachum (Kala) and Derek Beachum both of Maryland; three grandchildren, Karson and Kay Beachum of Palmyra, NJ and Kyrie Beachum of Upper Marlboro, MD; an aunt, Mary Gainer of Newark, NJ; a sister-in-law, Shirley Golden (Al) of MD and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Lovingly and Sorrowfully Submitted,
The Family

Order of Service

Processional

Organ Prelude

Selection

Scriptures

Old Testament

New Testament

Prayer of Comfort

Selection

Reflections (2 minutes, please)

Family Tribute

Acknowledgment of Condolences

Reading of the Obituary

Selection – “Thank You Lord”

Eulogy

Rev. James E. Moore, Sr. – Pastor
Second Baptist Church – Roselle, NJ

Presentation of the Flag

United States Marine Corps Honor Guard

Committal

Recessional

Cremation

Rosehill Crematory – Linden, New Jersey

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“Where Our Sympathy Expresses Itself Through Sincere Service”

Pallbearers
Family and Friends of Cleveland Beachum, Jr.



Acknowledgement

*The family of **Cleveland Beachum, Jr.** sincerely thanks you for the many thoughtful acts of kindness, support, and concern shown to us during this time of bereavement. May God richly bless you.*