

In Loving Memory of
Lamar Davis

Sunrise
August 31, 1937

Sunset
January 10, 2020



Memorial Service

Friday, January 24, 2020 • 11:00 a.m.

GREATER ABYSSINIAN BAPTIST CHURCH

88 Lyons Avenue • Newark, New Jersey

Obituary

Clifford Lamar Davis “known as Lamar”, son of the late Aldean Davis and the late Ella Crawford Trent, was born August 31, 1937 in Doe Run, Georgia. On January 10, 2020, God called his son home. Lamar relocated to Newark, NJ at the age of 10 with his grandmother the late Mozell Hagan Crawford. He attended the public schools of Newark, NJ (Cleveland and Central High School.) At an early age he professed his faith in Jesus Christ and recommitted his life to Christ in 2010. He was truly committed to protecting his family and friends.

He was united in holy matrimony to Alvornia Baldwin Davis on June 24, 1962, a beautiful union that lasted almost 58 years until his untimely death.

Lamar was a highly motivated child, a natural nurturer. He was a very hard worker who started laboring in the cotton fields of Georgia and could manage his responsibilities as any adult would. Lamar was very industrious. He taught himself to drive and operate those large farm tractors. With those same skillsets he started driving those tractor trailers, but he soon learned that was real hard work. As many of you know he did not like to get dirty nor stay dirty, so he learned another craft and that was barbering and hair styling. He mastered that skillset and received many awards for his creativity and mastery over that industry. He was a natural entrepreneur. His mother and various family members taught him God Bless the child that has his own. He lived by that mantra. He stopped working for others and started his own business, The Eldorado barbershop. This shop was located in a prime location on the corner of South 11th St. and Springfield Ave. in Newark, NJ. This shop flourished well and became one of the go to shops for the latest hair styles and fresh haircuts. Lamar was known for his fingerwave hairstyle and people would travel from all over to get their hair done by him! Men and women alike would wait for hours to get Lamar to do their hair. He had a touch that would bring life to otherwise a dead head.

Lamar quietly departed this life on Friday, January 10, 2020 at Beth Israel Hospital in Newark, NJ. He was preceded in death by his mother and father and his dear mama Mozell Crawford.

He will be forever cherished in the lives of his wife, Alvornia Davis; his children and grandchildren: Mrs. Carmen Clemons of Rancho Cucamonga and Mr. Derrick Caldwell of New Jersey, granddaughter Mrs. Bricsha E Clemons Oliver of San Bernadino, CA (husband Bradford); his only sister Serena Trent Speight, Maryland, nephew Kraig Lamar Speight, CA, niece Ciara J. Speight, NY City and a host of devoted nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Order of Service

Hymn

Prayer

Selection

Scripture

Old Testament

New Testament

Selection

Words of Comfort

Acknowledgments

Recessional

Repast

Preston Williams Center



Life Is Forever, Death Is a Dream

If we did not go to sleep at night
We'd never awaken to see the light.
And the joy of watching a new day break
Or meeting the dawn by some quiet lake,
Would never be ours unless we slept
While God and all His angels kept,
A vigil through this "little death"
That's over with the morning's breath.
And death, too, is a time of sleeping
For those who died are in God's keeping.
And there's a sunrise for each soul,
For life, not death is God's promised goal.
So trust God's promise and doubt Him never.
For only through death can man live forever!

WORDS OF APPRECIATION

Our hearts have been made to rejoice during the illness and passing of our loved one by the many acts of kindness extended to our family. Your prayers and all expressions of love and sympathy are greatly appreciated. May God's blessings of peace and love continue with you forever.

The Davis Family

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