



## The Family Tribute

*Weeping may endure for a night,  
but joy comes in the morning*

**Mr. Hurley Albert Morgan, III**, beloved son of Mrs. Gail Young Morgan and the late Hurley Albert Morgan, Jr., was born in Iredell County on April 14, 1976. He departed this life on Thursday, September 10, 2020, at his home in Charlotte, North Carolina.

He was a graduate of North Iredell High School, Class of 1994; the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill where he earned his BA in 1998 in Exercise and Sports Science. He furthered his education at Strayer University received an MBA and MPA. Most of his professional career has been spent in the Human Services Field. Hurley worked in the Human Services Field in some capacity or another for over twenty years. He was employed by Pinnacle Family Services, LLC as a Family Centered Specialist Supervisor.

At an early age he joined St. John Baptist Church in Statesville and when he made his home in Charlotte, he attended Mt. Olive Presbyterian Church. He was a gifted writer, and penned several books and writes under the pen name, Author Hurley Morgan when writing Christian Fiction and Nonfiction writing. Hurley writes under pen name, H. M. Trey when writing Contemporary Fiction, Romance, and Urban Fiction. Hurley has been writing with Peace in the Storm Publishing since 2004, which he released 7 full-length novels. H. M. Trey also works as a senior managing editor and contributing writer with Real Life Real Faith Men of Faith Magazine, which is a digital magazine that is released bi-monthly. From inspiration, to entertainment, to sports, to politics, to business, to mental health, and everything in between... *the Men of Faith Magazine strives to educate, uplift, motivate, inspire and be a magazine that is written by men for men.*

Sug, as he was affectionately called, leaves to cherish the memory of his life, his mother, Gail Young Morgan of Statesville; his fiancé, Jessica Allison of Charlotte, NC; his daughter, Kaleigha Roach of Rocky Mount, NC; his sister, Stephanie Morgan of Statesville; his aunts, Gwendolyn Morgan and Barbara (Nate) Jackson, both of Statesville, Carolyn Morgan and Theresa (Ed) Rose, both of Dallas, Texas; one uncle, Thomas Morgan of Irving, Texas; one niece, Brittany Morgan of Statesville; three nephews, Steffen Morgan, Sr. of Statesville, R. J. Conner of Mooresville and Morgan Conner of West Virginia; and a host of great nieces, great nephews, cousins, other relatives, co-workers and friends.

*When tomorrow starts without me, and I'm not there to see,  
if the sun should rise and find your eyes all filled with tears for me;  
I wish so much you wouldn't cry the way you did today,  
while thinking of the many things, we didn't get to say.  
I know how much you love me, as much as I love you,  
and each time that you think of me, I know you'll miss me too;  
so when tomorrow starts without me, don't think we're far apart,  
For every time you think of me, I'm right here in your hearts.*



**Loved**



# CELEBRATING THE LIFE OF

*The Celebration of Life for*

## MR. HURLEY ALBERT MORGAN, III

**Saturday, September 19, 2020**

**2:30 p.m.**

**Rutledge and Bigham Funeral Home**

*Statesville, North Carolina*

**Reverend Burrel Brooks, Officiating**

### *The Order of Service*

- The Processional
- The Call to Worship..... Pastor Burrel Brooks
- The Invocation..... Pastor Burrel Brooks
- The Hymn: "Blessed Assurance" ..... Congregation
- The Scripture
  - Old Testament: Psalm 23 ..... Pastor Burrel Brooks
  - New Testament: St. John 14:1-3 ..... Pastor Timothy Stevenson
- The Prayer of Comfort ..... Pastor Timothy Stevenson
- The Acknowledgments and Commemorative Presentation ..... Funeral Director
- The Solo ..... Sister Kathy Everhart
- The Eulogy ..... Pastor Burrel Brooks

### *One Day You'll Face The Music*

- The Committal
- The Recessional Selection

*In the procession to the cemetery, please remember to turn on your headlights, take caution at all intersections, and fasten your seatbelts for safety.*

**Please remain prayerful as we go to the final resting place**

### *At The Belmont Cemetery*

**The Placing of the Casket  
The Final Departure**

*Casket Bearers*  
**Relatives and Friends**

*Flower Bearers*  
**Relatives and Friends**



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*Still Wrapped In My Love*  
**Hurley Albert Morgan, III**



*Hurley* 1976 - 2020  
 If tears could build a stairway,  
 AND MEMORIES A LANE,  
 I'd walk right up to heaven,  
 AND BRING YOU HOME AGAIN  
*Jessica*

*You were my favorite hello and my hardest goodbye*  
**Dad... Hurley Albert Morgan, III**



1976 - 2020  
*You taught me everything I know,  
 except how to live without him.*  
*Kaleigha*

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