



WORDS TO *My Mother*

*I had to leave you suddenly,
But God knows what is best.
Stand strong family and friends.
This is just a little test.*

*We'll see each other again one day.
What a time it will be.
So know that I am resting well,
No need to cry for me.*

*Love each other with all your heart.
Cherish the time you have together.
Never take life and friends for granted.
For no one can live forever.*

*You came together to mourn for me,
But celebrate, I am with Jesus now.
I miss you and though you miss me
God will see you through somehow.*

BY ANGELA RAY

FLORAL BEARERS
FAMILY AND FRIENDS

PALLBEARERS
CARLOS'S BROTHERS FROM THE NEIGHBORHOOD

*Your wings were ready, but
our hearts were not...*



Love

THE FALLEN LIMB

*A limb has fallen from the family tree.
I keep hearing a voice that says, "Grieve not for me.
Remember the best times, the laughter, the song.
The good life I lived while I was strong.
Continue my heritage, I'm counting on you.
Keep smiling and surely the sun will shine through.
My mind is at ease, my soul is at rest.
Remembering all, how I was truly blessed.
Continue traditions, no matter how small.
Go on with your life, don't worry about falls
I miss you all dearly, so keep up your chin.
Until the day comes we're together again."*

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IN LOVING MEMORY

Remembering the Life of



Sunrise
February 21, 1983

Sunset
September 5, 2020

Carlos
Alonzo Parks

Wednesday, September 16, 2020 • 12 Noon

**SOUTH END MISSIONARY
BAPTIST CHURCH**

229 Whitfield Street • Fayetteville, North Carolina

Reverend Bernard N. Hayes, Pastor
Reverend Terrence McCrimmon, Eulogist

Order of Service

PreludeMusicians

Processional Clergy and Family

Selection SoloVera Conteh (Great Aunt)

Scripture Old Testament / New Testament

Prayer of Comfort Deacon Curtis Ray (Great Uncle)

Selection Maurice Dockery

AcknowledgementsMs. Angela Ray

Poem Ms. Angela Ray (Author)

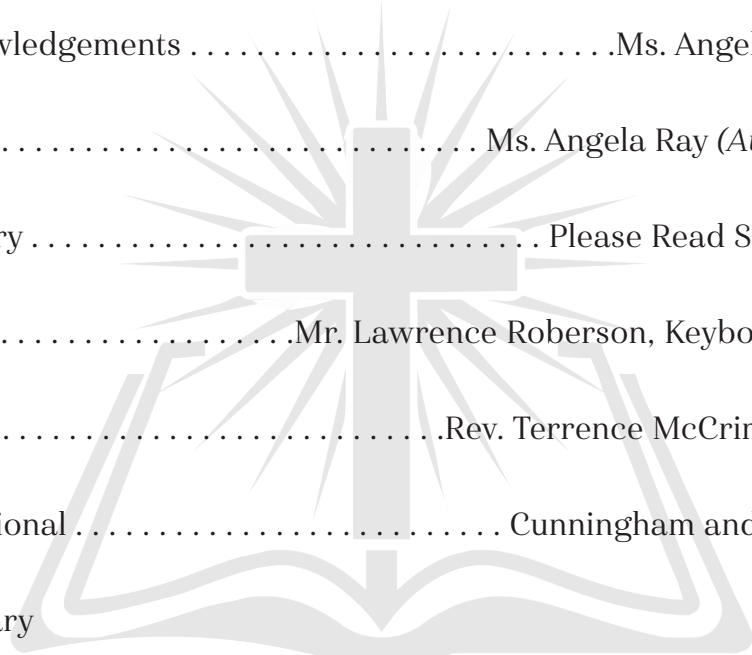
Obituary Please Read Silently

SoloMr. Lawrence Roberson, Keyboardist

EulogyRev. Terrence McCrimmon

Recessional Cunningham and Sons

Mortuary



INTERMENT

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Family Acknowledgements

The family would like to thank and express gratitude to all of you who help support us in this difficult time with either cards, food, and even cleaning supplies. We appreciate every act of kindness.

LOVINGLY SUBMITTED, THE FAMILY

Repast Will Be At Southend Missionary Baptist Church
Immediately Following Interment.

In the Life and Times Of

In my Father's house are many mansions: If it were not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you. And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and receive you unto myself; that where I am, there may you be also.

JOHN 14:2-3

CARLOS ALONZO PARKS was born in Fayetteville, NC on February 21, 1983 to Ernestine McMillan and Everette Parks.

CARLOS who was also known affectionately to some as “Los Ghost” and “Fat Cat”. Carlos played the drums at Southend Missionary Baptist Church as a youth. He won best dress in Kindergarten. Carlos graduated from Douglas Byrd Senior High School where he played football and afterwards moved to Florida and became a Professional Barber. Carlos had an affectionate smile and a magnetism to make lifelong friends.

CARLOS entered rest on Saturday, September 5, 2020.

Preceding him in death his grandmother Mrs. Hilda Gabriel and grandfather Nathaniel McMillan.

CARLOS leaves to cherish both mother, Ms. Ernestine McMillan and father, Mr. Everette Parks as well as a great grandmother, Liela Mae McMillan and two special aunts, Mitchell Leana Ray and Teresa Evans; a very special uncle, Deacon Curtis Ray (who taught Carlos how to PRAY}.

He also leaves to cherish six siblings, Reggie Smith of Hendersonville NC, Sherry Perogative of Greenville SC, La’Quan Suber of Greenville SC, Hikeem Greene of Hendersonville NC and Jayden Parks of Asheville NC.

Also left to cherish his legacy is nine beautiful children Gabriel Ahkeem Jackson, Jahkahari Ely Demari Hurley, Carliesia N. Parks, Carlahzia Katina Parks, Nadia Johari-Iman Mathis, Carlos Alonzo Parks Jr., Chynna Ariel Parks, Nasir Assad Parks and Nasirah Breshay Parks and a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

FOREVER LOVED...

