



*Celebration  
of Life  
for*



*Darron Lavett Alridge*

Alpha: November 24, 1973 - Omega: October 20, 2020

*Service*  
11:00 AM, Saturday, October 31, 2020  
*Samuel C. Rogers, Jr. Memorial Chapel*  
4315 North Main Street  
Jacksonville, Florida 32206  
*Pastor Alonzo Burns, Officiating*

# Obituary

**Mr. Darron Lavett Alridge "Doobie"** was born in Jacksonville, Florida on November 24, 1973 to the late Rochester Sailor and Letha Bell Alridge. He received his education in the Duval County Public School System.

**Darron** was a self-made entrepreneur and a people person who loved his kids and family dearly. Even when his day was full from doing odds and ends, he still made a way to make sure everyone else's business was taken care of.

On Tuesday, October 20, 2020 Darron's life was taken senselessly. Darron was a wonderful guy. Every one who came in contact with him loved him. He was preceded in death by his brothers, Chester Sailor, Stanford Sailor, and Raymond Sailor; and sisters, Vondell Sailor and Nettie Tisby.

**Darron** leaves to cherish his memories, his loving and devoted children, Ashley Alridge, Darron Alridge, Jr. Darrisha Alridge, Sh Tyria Alridge, Darryeon Alridge, Daryeon Long, Destiny Long, Dominique Long; stepkids, Lanaiya Dawsey and Arron Tobier; grandchildren, Aiden Alridge and Xzavia Mitchell; brothers, Jerome Aldrige (Kecia), Jeffery Alridge, Travis Alridge, and Milton Brooks; sisters, Parthenia Sailor, Castorine Graham (Jerry), and Sharon Alridge; and loving uncles, aunts, nieces, nephews, cousins, baby mothers, and friends.

## *A Golden Heart Stopped Beating*

*A golden heart stopped beating, hard working hands at rest,  
it broke our hearts to see you to, God only takes the best.*

*They say that memories are golden, well maybe that is true,  
But we never wanted memories, we only wanted you.*

*Your life was love and labour, your love for your family true,  
You did your best for all of us, we will always remember you.*

*We sat beside your bedside, our hearts were crushed and sore,  
We did our duty to the end, til we could do no more.*

*In tears we watched you sinking, we watched you fade away,  
And though our hearts were breaking, we knew you could not stay.*

*Our lips cannot speak how we loved you, our hearts cannot tell  
what to say, but God only knows how we miss you,  
In our home that is lonely today.*



# Order of Service

## Processional

*"Missing You"*

Recording by Brandy, Tamia,  
Gladys Knight, and Chaka Khan

## Scripture

Pastor Alonzo Burns

## Prayer

Minister

## Musical Selection

Organist

## Obituary Reading

*(Read Silently)*

## Remarks

*(Two minutes please)*

## Musical Selection

Organist

## Words of Comfort

Pastor Alonzo Burns

## Committal

## Recessional

*"Another Lifetime"*

Recording by Nao

## Flower Attendants

Keely Tomlin    ShaNayla Cox  
Lanaiya Dawsey

## Acknowledgement

On behalf of the family, we wish to express our gratitude for your many kindnesses, as evidenced in thought and deed, and for your audience at this service.

~The Family~