



**A Special Poem  
from  
Johnathan Bishop**

*Hold my hand and don't let go*

*To overcome will take a while  
Shedding tears, I'll fight to smile  
You were a brother like no other  
When you were being misunderstood you would talk  
to me*



*Hold my hand and don't let go*

*The adversities that life may bring  
Hurts losing my brother and causes so much pain  
So to Pooh, my lil bro, hold my hand and dont let go*

# Pallbearers

Oakleaf Football Team

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- Quentin Bostick
- Raymond Wilcox
- Jason Mitchell
- Josh Murrell
- Reyon Lewis
- Korei Sheppard

# Flower Attendants

Friends of the Family

# Acknowledgments

The Armstrong Family appreciates and acknowledges your cards, phone calls, flowers, and many expressions of kindness shown to us during our time of bereavement. May God's richest blessings continue to shine upon each of you

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# Celebrating THE LIFE OF



*DeCartlton Cridell Armstrong Jr.*

*Sunrise: April 26, 2001*

*Sunset: February 8, 2021*

*February 20, 2021, 12:00PM*

*Cathedral of Faith COGIC  
2591 W. Beaver Street, Jacksonville, FL*

# Obituary

DeCarlton Criddell Armstong, Jr. was born to DeCarlton and Samantha Armstrong in Fort Campbell, Ky. on April 26th, 2001 . He resided in Orange Park, FL.

He confessed Christ at an early age uniting with Higher Ground C.O.G.I.C. He was an active member of the musical department where he served as lead drummer.

DeCarlton graduated from Oakleaf Senior High School in 2020. As an Oakleaf Knight, he was an active member of the varsity football team and the frisbee team. He aspired to be the very best and follow in the footsteps of his father by joining the Armed Forces. He was anticipating entry into the Navy in the Fall of 2021.

While awaiting his departure to the Armed Forces, DeCarlton was attending Florida State College at Jacksonville where he was pursuing a degree in General Studies. He was also employed by Dick's Sporting Goods. One of his life goals was to one day join the brotherhood of Omega Psi Phi.

DeCarlton departed this life on February 8th, 2021.

He was preceded in death by his grandparents - Sylvester and Marilyn Williams and Pastor Dwight E. Brisbane, Sr. He leaves to mourn his mother and father, DeCarlton (DC) and Samantha Armstrong; his siblings, Sharonica Bishop, Johnathan Bishop, Sr. , Johnesha Bishop, DeWayelon Paige, Danielle Armstong, and Desaray Armstrong; his grandparents, Sandra Brisbane, Dorothy Owens, and Wilbert Armstrong (May Armstrong); nephews, Jeron Robinson, Johnathan Jr., Journ'in, Jaeden, Cameron, Wolf, Ka'ni; and a host of uncles, aunts, cousins, and friends..



# Order of Service

## Presiding

Elder T. L. Brisbane Sr.

## Processional

## Invocation

Supt. Stanley Platts

## Scriptures

### New & Old Testament

Supt. Robert Jackson

## Solo

Teshcara Boykins

## Tributes

Poem by Johnathan Bishop - Read by Derrin McFadden

Serenity Prayer - Danielle Armstrong

"About My Brother" - Desaray Armstrong

Dedication - Alvin Floyd II and Daryl Hill

A Dedication from DeCarlton's Cousins

## Resolutions

First Lady Ebony Brisbane

## Acknowledgements

Anissa Brisbane

## Solo

Tresonda LaRalle

## Eulogy

Elder D.C. Armstrong Sr

## Recessional