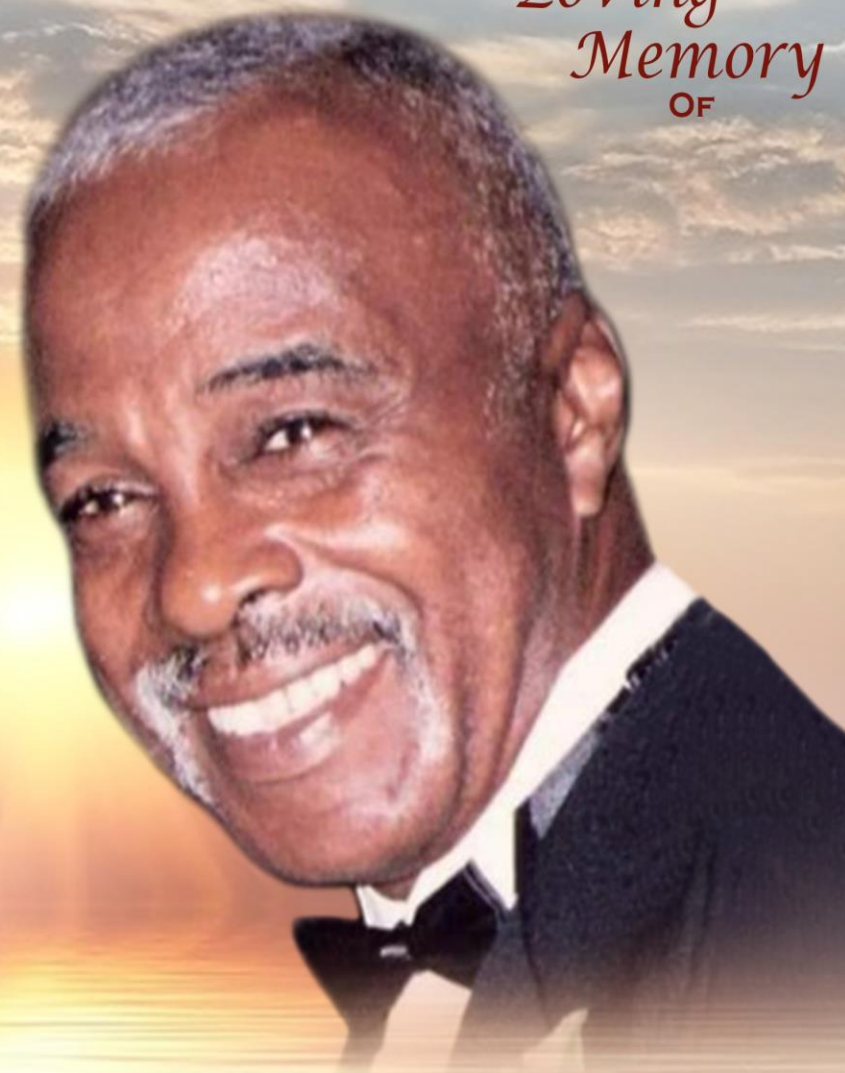


IN  
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OF



**THEODORE WILTON JOHNSON**  
"TIGHTEYES"

NOVEMBER 28, 1942 ~ MAY 29, 2022

~Service~

SATURDAY, JUNE 11, 2022 ~ 12:00 PM

**City of Grace**

3350 Allegheny Avenue

Columbus, Ohio

Pastor Rick Jones, Officiant

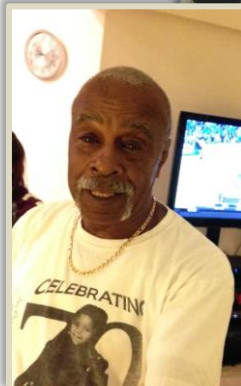
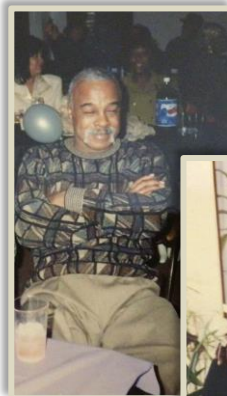
Pastor Michael Young, Eulogist

*Acknowledgement*

*The family of Theodore Johnson wishes to express our heartfelt gratitude to all who have offered prayers and bestowed various forms of love and support upon us during this time of bereavement.  
May God continue to bless you now and always.*

*Pallbearers*

THEODORE JOHNSON III  
KENNETH JOHNSON  
JUSTIN RICHMOND  
JASON LEWIS  
REGGIE PACE  
CHARLES JONES  
EARL JOHNSON



*Gone To Rest a Little While*

*Fill not your heart with pain and sorrow;  
But remember me in every tomorrow.  
Remember the joy, the laughter, the smiles;  
I've only gone to rest for a little while.*

*Although my leaving causes pain and grief;  
My going has eased my hurt and given me relief.*

*So dry eyes and remember me;  
Not as I am now, but as I used to be.  
Because I will remember you all  
And look on with a smile;*

*Understand in your hearts,  
I've only gone to rest a little while.  
As long as I have the love of each of you:  
I can live my life in the hearts of all of you.*

To offer condolences to The Johnson Family,  
visit [www.TheChapelOfPeace.com](http://www.TheChapelOfPeace.com)



## The Obituary

Theodore "Bobby" "Tighteyes" Wilton Johnson was born on November 28, 1942, in Lackawanna, NY to Genevieve Pelham Johnson and McCoy Jacobs. He grew up in Buffalo, New York graduating from Lafayette High School and went to Kentucky State University then later transferring to Wilberforce University. Because he enjoyed sports, he majored in Health, Physical Education, and Recreation. Since Wilberforce didn't have HPER classes, Bobby took classes at neighboring Central State University. He often said, "I enrolled at Wilberforce, but never took a class there." Eventually, he transferred to Central State University where he met his future wife, Terry Wiggs. Terry and Bobby married in August 1967 and moved to Dayton, Ohio where he finished his education. He graduated from Central State University in December 1968 and received his Master's degree from Xavier University in 1972. After graduating he began his teaching career at Roosevelt Junior High School where he taught Health and Physical Education and coached basketball. He also taught at Beechcroft, Walnut Ridge and served as Home School Community Agent for Columbus Public Schools.

Bobby loved playing tennis and joined a club at Wolfe Park where he traveled with them to tournaments around the country.

Bobby's love of sports eventually moved to golf when he received a set of golf clubs as a gift. He would play tennis in the morning, then go to a golf course later. Eventually golf became his game of choice, and he played as often as he could. After he retired from teaching, he joined the Wednesday Retired Golf Group so he could play more. In 2001, Bobby and Terry bought a house in Florida so he could play year-round.

Bobby's other passions were his family and his alma mater, Central State University. He was President of his family organization, The Pelham Foundation and served on their board.

Bobby served on the Board of Central State University from 1976 to 1985. His passion for education was strong. While at CSU, he met many lifelong friends, due to these relationships, he joined the board of the Michael L. Pye Scholarship Fund out of Detroit, Michigan. Bobby enjoyed traveling with friends and family and was a passionate Buffalo Bills fan.

On May 29, 2022, Bobby transitioned to be with the Lord. He was proceeded in death by Julia Porter (sister), Earl Johnson (brother), Nathaniel Johnson (brother), Ruth Jeanette Johnson (sister), and Celma Bell (sister). Also, Michael Pye (best friend), Wendall Tomlin (best friend). And Michael Theodore Cavins (son).

He leaves to celebrate his life his wife, Terry; his children Tara, Theodore II (Faith), Kelley Drew, brother Carl W. (Peggy); grandchildren Theodore III, Kenneth, Alise (Theodore and Faith), Quincy Drew (Lindsey), Miles Drew (Kelley), Jasmine, Mychael and Jade (Michael); many other nieces, nephews, cousins, great grandchildren family members and friends.

## Order of Service

PRELUDE.....	City of Grace Musicians
SCRIPTURE READING .....	Clergy
Old Testament .....	Psalm 23
New Testament.....	John 14:1-4
PRAYER OF COMFORT .....	Elder Maurice James
SELECTION .....	City of Grace
ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS/CONDOLENCES/RESOLUTIONS	
Tia Fountain	
REMARKS .....	Family and Friends
READING OF OBITUARY .....	Tia Fountain
SELECTION.....	City of Grace

## The Eulogy

PASTOR MICHAEL YOUNG

BENEDICTION .....	Pastor Michael Young
RECESSIONAL .....	Clergy, Family, and Friends



*In lieu of flowers, please send donations and acts of kindness to*  
**Central State University National Alumni Association**  
[www.centralstateuniversityalumni.org](http://www.centralstateuniversityalumni.org)

*I am the resurrection and the life: He that believeth in me  
though he were dead yet shall he live.  
And whosoever liveth and believeth in me shall never die.*

John 11:25-26