

### *Acknowledgement*

*The family of Ulysses Staten is grateful for all acts of kindness displayed during this difficult time. Whether you sent a card or flowers, spoke comforting words, lent a shoulder, whispered a prayer or simply kept us in your thoughts.*

*No act has gone unnoticed.*

### ***The Broken Chain***

*We little knew that morning  
That God would call your name  
In life we loved you dearly  
In death we do the same*

*It broke our hearts to lose you  
You did not go alone  
For part of us went with you  
The day God called you home*

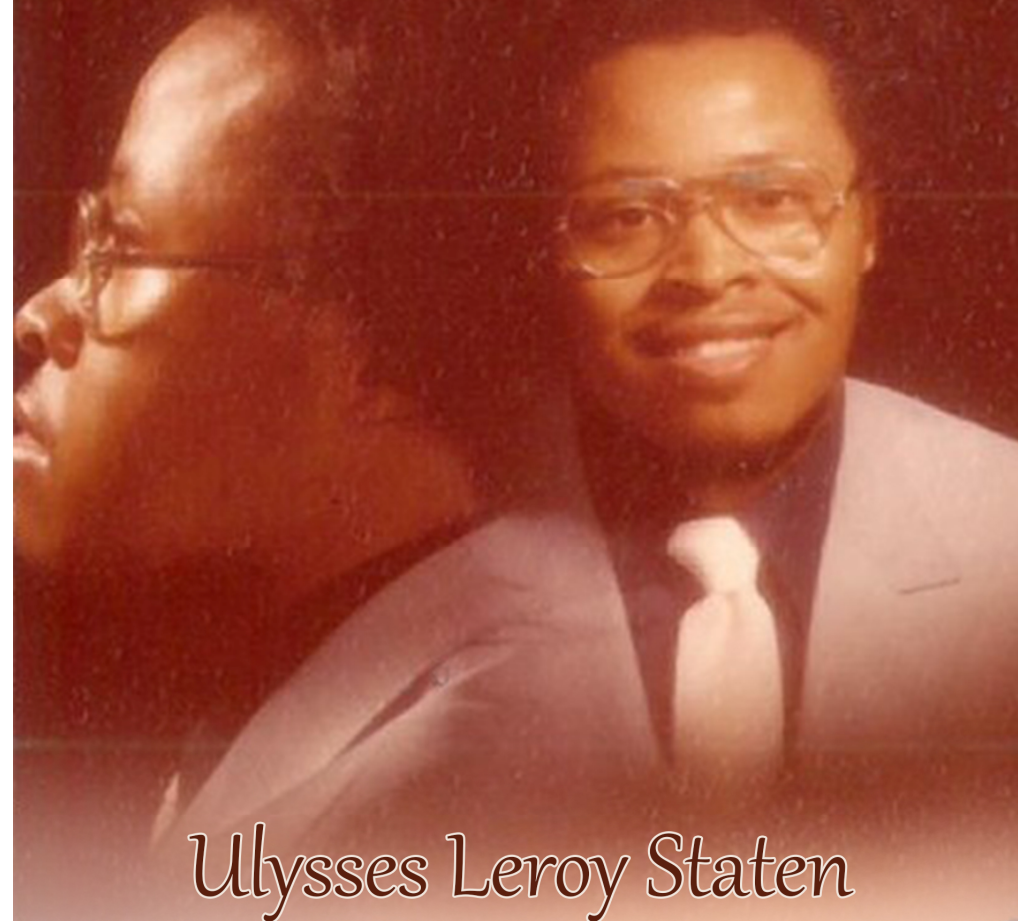
*You left us beautiful memories  
Your love is still our guide  
And although we cannot see you  
You're always by our side*

*Our family chain is broken  
And nothing seems the same  
But as God calls us one by one  
The chain will link again*

To offer condolences to The Staten Family,  
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In Loving Memory Of



**Ulysses Leroy Staten**

**SEPTEMBER 19, 1959 ~ MAY 14, 2021**

**~Service~**

**FRIDAY, JUNE 4, 2021 ~ 11:00 AM  
MARLAN J. GARY FUNERAL HOME**

***Chapel of Peace North***

**2500 Cleveland Avenue  
Columbus, Ohio**

## Obituary

Ulysses Leroy "Skip" Staten was born September 19, 1959 in Columbus, OH to Virginia Staten.

Skip went home to be with the Lord on May 14, 2021.

Skip is preceded in death by his grandmother, Helen Allen and great grandmother, Mother Georgia Fears Baker.

Skip leaves to cherish his memory, mother, Virginia "Jenny" Barnes; uncle, Butch Wilson; cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Rick Witter; good friend and caregiver, Sharon Hunter; special friends, Yalonda Eugene Gillen and Mae Canesia; and a host of other relatives and friends.

Skip will be truly missed by all those who had the privilege of knowing and loving him.

## Order of Service

ORGAN PRELUDE..... Music Ministry  
PARTING VIEW..... Immediate Family  
SCRIPTURE READING ..... Clergy  
    Old Testament.....  
    New Testament .....  
PRAYER..... Clergy  
SELECTION..... Music Ministry  
ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS/CONDOLENCES ..... Clergy  
REMARKS ..... Family and Friends  
READING OF OBITUARY ..... Silently  
SELECTION..... Music Ministry

### *The Eulogy*

Bishop Fred L. Marshall

Smyrna Baptist Church

BENEDICTION ..... Clergy  
RECESSIONAL..... Clergy, Family, and Friends



*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