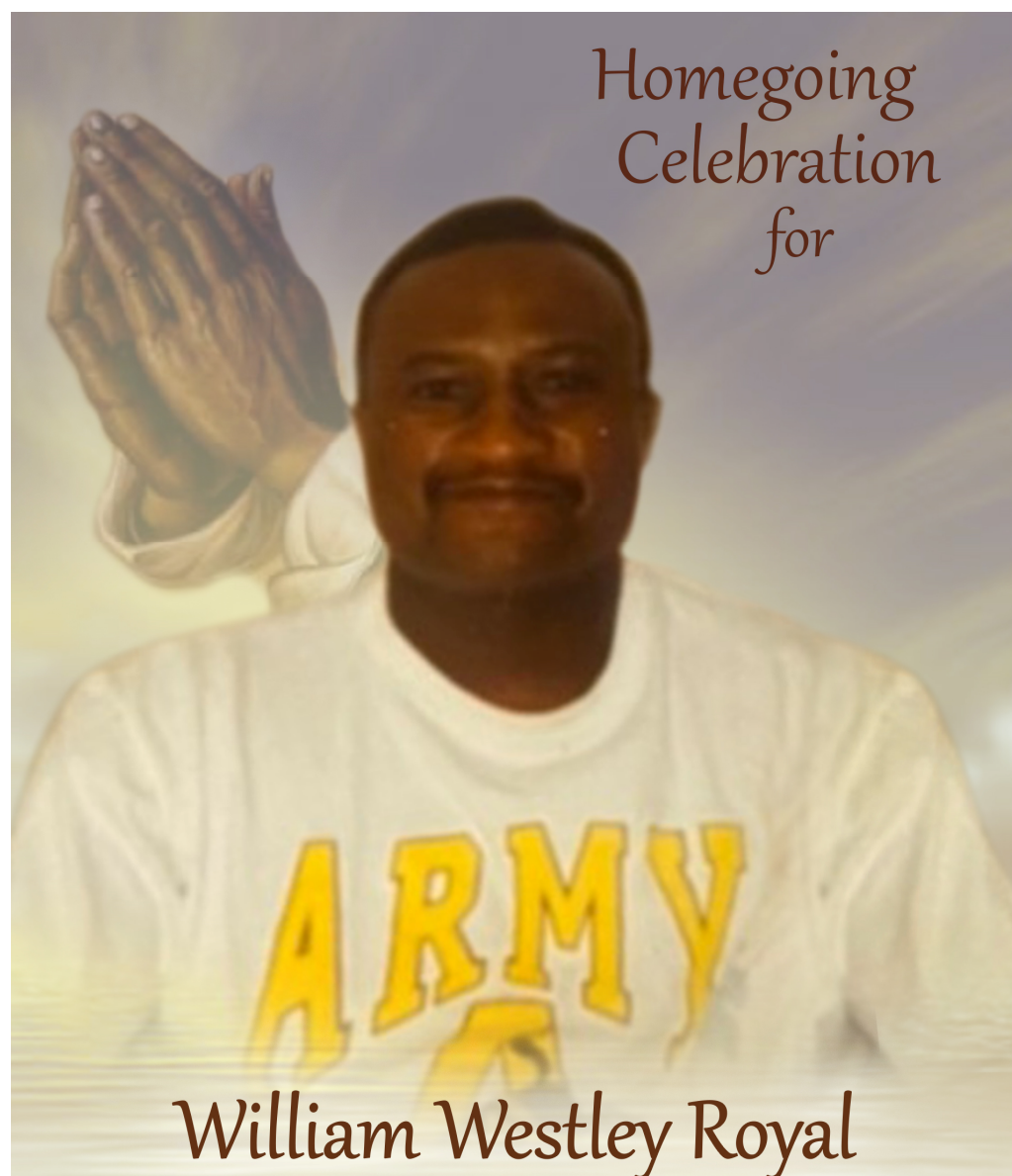


# Homegoing Celebration for



**William Westley Royal**

**JANUARY 23, 1951 ~ JUNE 16, 2021**

**~Service~**

**FRIDAY, JUNE 25, 2021 ~ 11:00 AM**

**Christian Valley Baptist Church**

3330 Scottwood Road  
Columbus, Ohio

PASTOR QUENTIN RESPRESS  
Officiating & Eulogizing Minister

## *Acknowledgement*

*Perhaps you sent a lovely card or sat quietly in a chair,  
Perhaps you sent a floral piece, if so we saw it there.  
Perhaps you spoke the kindest words as any friend could say;  
Perhaps you were not there at all, just thought of us that day.*

*Whatever you did to console our hearts,  
We thank you so much whatever the part.  
Blessings, the Royal family.*

## *Pallbearers*

NATHAN ROYAL ~ STEVEN HICKS ~ DWAYNE ROYAL  
JEROME MUHAMMAD ~ LARRY EDWARDS ~ DANA DAVIS

## *Honorary Pallbearers*

KENNETH ROBINSON ~ ROYAL TALLEY ~ LLEVITICUS INGRAM

## *Flowerbearers*

FRIENDS AND FAMILY

## **Don't Cry For Me**

*Don't cry for me. I will be okay.  
Heaven is my home now, and this is where I'll stay.  
Don't cry for me. I'm where I belong.  
I want you to be happy and try to stay strong.  
Don't cry for me. I am not alone.  
The angels are with me to welcome me home.  
Don't cry for me, for I have no fear.  
All my pain is gone, and Jesus took my tears.  
Don't cry for me. This is not the end.  
I'll be waiting here for you when we meet again.*

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



## *The Obituary*

William "Bro" Westley Royal, of Columbus, Ohio was born January 23, 1951 to William and Ermal Royal in Wheeling, West Virginia. He was called home on June 16, 2021.

William was an honor graduate of Wellsburg High School, where he was a member of the Wellsburg Wrestling Team. After graduating from high school, he attended Marshall University and West Liberty state College. He also attended an Electrician Trade school and received an Associate of Science Degree in Electrical Technology. William later attended Giant Eagle Butcher Academy where he became a Certified Butcher. He worked as a butcher at Giant Eagle grocery store in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, and at Kroger's grocery store in Reynoldsburg, Ohio. He also held the position as a restaurant manager at the Waffle House in Westerville, Ohio. William later obtained his Real Estate License in the state of Ohio.

Over the past six years, William fought a long and hard battle against cancer. He never let his illness suppress his optimism to beat the cancer or take away his joy of doing EXACTLY what he wanted to do and how he wanted to do it. William returned to Columbus, Ohio to be close to family and friends where he was able to restore relationships. Even when he was not feeling well, he was determined to care for his mother up until the last two weeks of his passing. He loved his family and he never wanted to be a burden to anyone, he was always willing to help if he could. He had a very generous heart. He will always be remembered for his generosity towards others, his love for family and friends, and his Chrysler Labaron with the diamond in the back with the white wall tires. He will be deeply missed by his friends and family, and all who knew him.

William is preceded in death by his father, William Royal; Brother, William Royal, Jr.; Maternal Grandparents, George and Mamie Taylor, and his paternal Grandparents, Washington and Arelia Royal. William is survived by his Mother, Ermal Royal.

He leaves behind to cherish his children, Nathan Royal of Columbus, Ohio, Melissa (Khary) Davis, of Washington, DC, Monica Vinicky of Marion, Ohio, Abigail Jackson of Columbus, Ohio, Cameron Jackson of Columbus, Ohio, Hailey Jackson of Columbus, Ohio, Devan Duppen of Columbus, Ohio, Graham Royal of Columbus, Ohio, 15 grandchildren, and 4 great grandchildren. He also leaves behind his beloved siblings, Darlene (Larry) Edwards, of Worthington, Ohio, Dorethea Ingram of Columbus, Ohio, Vonda Jo Deus of Bluffton, Indiana, Stephanie (Dereck) Gilliam of Columbus, Ohio, Steven Hicks of Phoenix, Arizona, Dwayne Royal of Maricopa, Arizona and Kenneth Robinson of Alexandria, VA and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and other relatives and friends.

## Order of Service

ORGAN PRELUDE .....Jermaine Smith

PARTING VIEW ..... Immediate Family

SCRIPTURE READING ..... Clergy

Old Testament.....Ecclesiastes 3:1-8 (ASV)

New Testament ..... John 14 (KJV)

PRAYER..... Minister Doretha Ingram

SELECTION ..... Sybil Wise

## “I Won’t Complain”

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS/CONDOLENCES ..... Vonnetta Zalac

REMARKS (2 minutes please) .....Family &amp; Friends

READING OF OBITUARY ..... Vonneta Zalac

SELECTION ..... Sybil Wise

## “Take Me To The King”

## The Eulogy

PASTOR QUENTIN RESPRESS

BENEDICTION.....Minister Doretha Ingram

RECESSIONAL.....“Going Up Yonder”

Sybil Wise &amp; Jermaine Smith

## Interment

## GLEN REST MEMORIAL ESTATES

8029 E. Main Street

Reynoldsburg, Ohio