

## *Acknowledgement*

*In all of our todays and tomorrows, whatever we say or do, it is friendship that makes the difference, It is friendship that helps see us through. The family of Kwann McCrary gratefully acknowledges all expressions of consolation extended to us during this difficult time. We sincerely thank those who sent messages of sympathy, flowers, all who helped in any way.*

*The Family*

## *The Final Flight*

*Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free,  
I'm following the path God laid for me.  
I took his hand when I heard his call,  
I turned my back and left it all.  
I could not stay another day,  
To laugh, to love, to work, to play.  
Tasks left undone must stay that way,  
I've found that peace at the end of the day.  
If my parting has left a void,  
Then fill it with remembered joy.  
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,  
Ah, yes, these things too I will miss.  
Be not burdened with times of sorrow,  
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.  
My Life's been full, I savoured much,  
Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.  
Perhaps my time seemed all too brief,  
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.  
Lift up your heart and share with me,  
God wanted me now, He set me free.  
Author: Unknown*

To offer condolences to The McCrary Family,  
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## *A Celebration of the Life of*



*Kwann Laurice McCrary*

*September 1, 1978 - December 20, 2022*

**~Service~**

**SATURDAY, JANUARY 7, 2023 ~2:00pm**

***The Chapel of Peace North***

2500 Cleveland Ave.  
Columbus, OH 43211

## Obituary

Kwann Laurice McCrary was born September 1, 1978, the son of Linda McCrary. He was born in Columbus OH where he then moved to Holden WV. Kwann was a 1996 graduate from Logan High School.

Shortly after graduating moved to Charleston, WV. He passed from this life to be with his heavenly father on December 20th unexpectedly.

During his 44 years here on Earth, Kwann touched so many lives and left a major impact in each. First and foremost, Kwann loved his savior and answered the call to Christ at the age of 16. Kwann always called on his Heavenly Father in faith and was never embarrassed to let others know that he was a follower of Christ. His humbleness and politeness were qualities that people would often mention about him.

His love for family, especially for his daughter and stepchildren, were his driving force. Kwann loved and adored his mother like no other. He would often refer to her as his sweet queen. He had a special bond with his brothers and sisters. Growing up in the 80s and 90s were special times for us kids. We reflect on those days of watching wrestling, Monday Night Football, MTV, In Living Color, Summer trips to see Uncle Richard and Aunt Constance, and many other precious memories that will last a lifetime.

Kwann was preceded in death by his grandparents, Alice and Gilbert Rankin; aunt, Shirley Rankin; and uncle, Ralph Rankin.

Kwann is survived by his mother, Linda McCrary; daughter, Kwan'Jnae McCrary of Charleston, WV; ex-wife, Mindy Russell of California; stepsons, Anthony and Malec Cole of Charleston, WV; three sisters, Melika (Greg) Bayless of Columbus, OH, Kyna (William) Caines of Bridgeport, CT, and Natasha McCrary of Bridgeport, CT; three brothers, Tracy (Tamlyn) McCrary of Columbus, OH, Jawanza (Jessica) McCrary of Charleston, WV, and Tayon McCrary of Huntington, WV; two uncles, Paul Rankin of Huntington WV and Michael Rankin of Coshocton, OH; one aunt, Constance (Eddie) Calloway of Indianapolis, IN; nieces, Ikea McCrary, Janda DeJarnette, and Shakerra McCrary; nephews, Darius Brewton, O'Neil Gill Jr., Donovan Brewton, and Chase Johnson; two friends that were his lifelong brothers, Kelly "Tanker" Eggers and Freddie "Puff" Adkins; one great nephew, three great nieces, and a host of other relatives and friends.

## Order of Service

ORGAN PRELUDE..... The Chapel of Peace Music Ministry  
PARTING VIEW ..... Immediate Family  
SCRIPTURE READING..... Pastor Roy Terry  
    Old Testament .....  
    New Testament.....  
PRAYER..... Pastor Roy Terry  
SELECTION..... The Chapel of Peace Music Ministry  
ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS ..... Vivian Rankin  
REMARKS ..... Family and Friends  
READING OF OBITUARY ..... Read Silently  
SELECTION..... The Chapel of Peace Music Ministry

### *The Eulogy*

Pastor Roy Terry

BENEDICTION..... Pastor Roy Terry  
RECESSIONAL..... Clergy, Family, and Friends

### *Repast*

JH Ross Community Center  
907 Lexington Avenue  
Columbus, OH 43201  
4pm-6pm

*Sing unto the LORD, O ye saints of his, and give thanks  
at the remembrance of his holiness. For his anger  
endureth but a moment; in his favour is life: weeping  
may endure for a night, but joy cometh in the morning.  
Psalms 30: 4-5*