

Expressions of Gratitude

The family of Fredrick L. Easley gives great thanks to everyone for thinking of our family during this time and for the many prayers, cards, phone calls and condolences. The endless memories will be with us always. We Love you and may God bless each of you!

Pallbearers

John Donaldson - Jerry Watkins - David Lewis
Jonathan Harriston - James Watkins - La'Shawn Rice

To My Father

So many memories. Your smile & laughter was contagious. If it was funny, you would laugh about it for years. Play fighting and aggravating kids one of your favorite pastimes. Every road trip, you were the driver, the DJ, the narrator and the restaurants were mapped out. Push OnStar for directions, just to do the opposite. Saying "Don't you want to be adventurous?" A good home cooked meal, the remote glued to your hand. You and Julius going for seconds. "Jamari and Jaquan, come show your Grandpa how to work this. Threatening J-Bone about posting my mom's cooking. Our Sunday ritual. To know you, was to love you. To be called your friend was a honor. Friendship for you was a life long commitment. You taught me everybody makes mistakes, hopefully they will learn from those mistakes and do better. Thanks for all the time you said "I know you don't want to hear this, but I'm going to tell you anyway". Thanks for loving me conditionally. For all the times you didn't give up on me. For keeping your promises. Thanks for being the Best Dad Ever. Thanks for being my Best Friend. I can still hear you rapping "I was once young and spry and a had a physique. That's what make me unique". Love Tina

To offer condolences to The Easley Family,
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Homegoing Celebration For



Frederick Lee Easley

February 9, 1948 - September 7, 2023

Friday, September 15, 2023

Marlan J. Gary Funeral Home

Chapel of Peace East

5456 East Livingston Ave., Columbus, Ohio 43232

Visitation: 1:00pm - Service: 2:00pm

Obituary

It is with deep sorrow and heavy hearts that we announce the passing of Frederick L. Easley. Frederick, a beloved father, compassionate friend, and respected member of the community, peacefully departed this world on September 7, 2023, at his home in Columbus, Ohio. He was born on February 9, 1948, and lived a remarkable life of love, laughter, and selflessness.

He was raised in Charleston, West Virginia and Pittsburg, Pennsylvania and moved to Columbus, Ohio. Frederick was a man of strong character, integrity, and unwavering generosity. Known for his warm heart and infectious sense of humor, Frederick was a father figure to those who didn't have one and a source of inspiration to many. His ability to uplift others through laughter earned him the title of comedian in his own right, as he always found joy in making people smile.

Frederick's dedication to helping others knew no bounds. He would go above and beyond for those in need, gladly giving the shirt off his back to support a friend or stranger. His compassion extended to his community, where he tirelessly donated to the church and various charities, even if he didn't attend religious services himself. Frederick's commitment to making a positive impact in the lives of others will forever be remembered and cherished.

A hardworking individual, Frederick spent many years honing his craft as a cement finisher in the construction industry. Through his dedication and expertise, he contributed to countless projects, leaving behind a legacy of his labor throughout the city.

Frederick was preceded in death by his parents, Roy Easley Sr. and Alberta Love Easley; daughter, Nicolette Jones; brothers, Roy Easley Jr., Herbert Easley, Eugene Easley, Billy Easley, James Easley, Mason Easley, and Dewey Easley; sisters, Odessa Watkins, Maxine Dean and Carolyn Bowers.

Frederick leaves behind a legacy of love and memories cherished by his companion Marie Jones; children, Tina (John) Jones-Donaldson, Derrick Lipsey, Alexis Mennifield, Leon Mennifield, Jonathan Hairston, Janelle Hairston, Freddy Jones, and daughter Phillina (Phillip) Poindexter; a host of grandchildren, great grandchildren, nieces, nephews, cousins. He also leaves behind a host of other family members and friends who were touched by his kindness, wisdom, and captivating spirit.

Order of Service

ORGAN PRELUDE.....Chapel of Peace Music Ministry

PARTING VIEW.....Immediate Family

SCRIPTURE READING..... Rev. Derrick Wood
Old Testament.....
New Testament.....

PRAYER..... Rev. Derrick Wood

SELECTION.....Kesha Turner

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTSKimmy Watkins

REMARKS Family and Friends

READING OF OBITUARY..... Read Silently

SELECTION.....Kesha Turner

The Eulogy

Rev. Derrick Wood

BENEDICTION Rev. Derrick Wood

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

Interment

Glen Rest Memorial Estates
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Reynoldsburg, Ohio 43068