

### **Acknowledgement**

*The family wishes to express their sincere appreciation. Words are inadequate to express the humbleness we feel toward our friends and family who have consoled us during our bereavement. Your prayers, your love, your presence, and your support have sustained us. The acts of kindness with flowers, cards and letters are deeply appreciated. We saw all of these things as God expressing His love through you. You have truly been a pillar of strength and comfort to our family. May God continue to bless and keep each of you!*

*The Family of Kenneth Zeb Spencer*

### **Pallbearers**

*Troy Spencer - Rena' Lawson - Billy Drew - Marvin Spencer  
Jaton Spencer - Aaron Spencer - Raqib Howel - Idriys Maalik*

### **They Say There Is A Reason**

*They say there is a reason, they say that time will heal,  
But neither time nor reason, will change the way I feel,  
For no-one knows the heartache, that lies behind our smiles,  
Noone knows how many times, we have broken down and cried,  
We want to tell you something so there won't be any doubt,  
You're so wonderful to think of, but so hard to be without.*



To offer condolences to The Spencer Family,  
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## *Homegoing Celebration for*



# *Kenneth Zeb Spencer*

*March 6, 1958 - February 4, 2023*

**Chapel of Peace North**  
**Tuesday, February 14, 2023**  
*Visitation: 10:00am Service: 11:00am*

## *Obituary*

Kenneth Z. Spencer departed this earth and peacefully entered heaven at the age of 64 years old on Saturday, February 4, 2023. Kenneth Z. Spencer was born on March 6, 1958, to Zeb Spencer Jr., and Doris M. Spencer in Columbus, Ohio.

Kenny received his early education at Sullivan Elementary School, Starling Junior High School and in 1975, graduated from Central High School. Kenny played football and wrestled while attending Central High School. After high school Kenny attended Central State University.

Kenny had a distinguished career at the Ohio State University Plumbers Facility Department and retired, December 2021 after 32 years of service.

Kenny was involved in the community as a Head Coach for the Brittany Hill Jaguars youth football league and was always available to give a helping hand to family and friends when needed. Kenny's favorite pass time was watching all sports, but his favorite teams were the Cleveland Browns and the Los Angeles Lakers.

Kenny was a devoted husband, father, son, grandfather and uncle.

He is survived by his loving wife of 29 years, Seneca V. Lawson Spencer, three granddaughters; Kenyonna, Kemya and Lavaya Lawson, two sisters; Barbara Spencer Johnson and Christine Milk, two brothers; Gregory Spencer and Troy Spencer, sister-in-law; Adrienne Lawson (Shelly), brothers-in-law; Rena Lawson, Kevin (Kathy) Lawson, Carlton (Kathy) Lawson and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.



**DO NOT STAND  
AT MY GRAVE AND WEEP  
I AM NOT THERE. I DO NOT SLEEP  
I AM A THOUSAND WINDS THAT BLOW  
I AM THE DIAMOND GLINTS ON SNOW  
I AM THE SUNLIGHT  
ON RIPENED GRAIN  
I AM THE GENTLE AUTUMN RAIN  
WHEN YOU AWAKEN IN THE MORNING'S HUSH  
I AM THE SWIFT UPLIFTING RUSH OF QUIET BIRDS IN CIRCLED FLIGHT  
I AM THE SOFT STARS  
THAT SHINE AT NIGHT  
DO NOT STAND AT MY GRAVE AND CRY  
I AM NOT THERE. I DID NOT DIE**

# *I'm Free*

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 him call;  
I turned my back and left it all.  
I could not stay another day,  
To laugh, to love, to work and play.  
Tasks left undone must stay that way;  
I found that place at the close of 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, I too 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 time, a loved ones touch.  
Perhaps my time seems 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

# Order of Celebration

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

PARTING VIEW ..... Immediate Family

SCRIPTURE READING .....

    Old Testament..... Psalm 31:24..... Tova Richmond

    New Testament..... John 11:25-26..... Treva Johnson

PRAYER OF COMFORT ..... Carla “CeCe” Jackson

SELECTION ..... “Take Me To The King” by Tamela Mann

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS/CONDOLENCES .....Debbie Williams

WORDS OF COMFORT ..... Family and Friends

READING OF OBITUARY .....Kenya Spencer  
  & Tyla Johnson

SELECTION ..... “If You Could See Me Now” by Bishop Paul S. Morton

## The Eulogy

Trina J .Oates

BENEDICTION ..... Trina J .Oates

RECESSIONAL ..... Clergy, Family & Friends  
"Goin Up Yonder" by Tremaine Hawkins

## Interment

## Eastlawn Cemetery

*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

