

Expressions of Gratitude

The Family of Howard Boddie, Jr. is extremely grateful for the respect, kindness, and love displayed during this difficult time. Whether you said a prayer, sent a card, flowers, a word of comfort, or a kind act of service, or simply kept us in your thoughts it has not gone unnoticed. Thank you.

Pallbearers

Family & Friends

The Broken Chain

We little knew that afternoon, God was going to 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 a part of us went with you, The day God called you home.

You left us beautiful memories, Your love still our guide.
And although we cannot see you, You are always at 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.

John 11:25-26

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.

May God Be With You All, Always!
-The Boddie Family

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



Howard
Boddie, Jr.

May 11, 1957 - December 7, 2023

Thursday, December 21, 2023

Marlan J. Gary Funeral Home

Chapel of Peace East

5456 E. Livingston Ave., Columbus, OH 43232

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

Obituary

Howard Boddie, Jr. was born to Jacqueline and Howard Boddie on May 11, 1957, on Mother's Day in Columbus, Ohio. Howard came into the world as a gift on this special day. On December 7, 2023, Howard was called home to be with our Heavenly Father and Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

Howard grew up in Columbus, Ohio. As a child, Howard's nickname was "Ox". He had a paper route as a delivery boy and would spend all his money on pizzas. He attended South High School where he then enlisted and served in the Army. Howard served his country and was discharged from the Army with honors.

He then went on to attend Franklin University. Howard's goal early in life was to become an Attorney. He studied law extensively, and had he become an attorney, he would have been a competent litigator.

Howard was a skillful chess player, loved music and would attend rock concerts. Howard gave his life to Christ and completed a Bible course program early on in life.

He was preceded in death by his father, Howard Boddie, Sr., and his sister, Robin L. Schoolfield (husband, Gary Schoolfield).

Howard's life and memories will be left to be cherished by his mother, Jacqueline Marshall; devoted son, Howard Boddie III (wife, Angel); grandchildren, Joseph Howard Boddie, Amara Lynn Boddie and Elijah Howard Boddie; his sisters, Dr. Deborah L. (husband, Jean-Marie) Polynice, and Karen Boddie; as well as his brothers, Richard C. Boddie, Derrick A. Boddie (wife, Chandra), Eric Boddie (wife, Theresa), and special daughters, Jacqueline Jones & Monica Jones; special brother, Robert "Earl" Wilson; and a host of special cousins, nieces and nephews, as well as a host of other family and friends.

Howard will truly be missed by many. His life and the legacy he leaves behind is blessed and will continue to live on through his son and grandchildren. The many memories of him, we will all cherish.

Order of Service

ORGAN PRELUDE.....	Chapel of Peace Music Ministry
PARTING VIEW.....	Immediate Family
SCRIPTURE READING.....	Reverend Vaughn Newsom
Old Testament	
New Testament	
PRAYER.....	Reverend Vaughn Newsom
MUSIC OF COMFORT.....	Chapel of Peace Music Ministry
REMARKS	Family and Friends (6 persons max, 2 mins. Please)
READING OF OBITUARY	Elder Family Member or Reverend Vaughn Newsom
MUSIC OF COMFORT.....	Chapel Of Peace Music Ministry

The Eulogy

Reverend Vaughn Newsom

BENEDICTION.....	Reverend Vaughn Newsom
RECESSIONAL.....	Clergy, Family, and Friends

The Winans & Anita Baker: *Ain't No Need To Worry*
Boyz II Men: *It's So Hard To Say Goodbye To Yesterday*

Interment

Dayton National Cemetery
4400 W. Third St.
Dayton, OH 45428

*Following the funeral services,
the family will receive family and friends at*
1452 E. Livingston Avenue
Columbus, Ohio 43205
3:30/4:00pm - 6:30pm