

## God's Garden

God looked around His garden  
And found an empty place.  
He then looked down upon the earth  
And saw your tired face.  
He put His arms around you  
And lifted you to rest.  
God's garden must be beautiful  
He always takes the best.  
He saw the road was getting rough  
And the hills were hard to climb,  
So He closed your weary eyelids  
And whispered, "Peace be thine!"  
It broke our hearts to lose you  
But you didn't go alone,  
For part of us went with you  
The day God called you home.

## ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

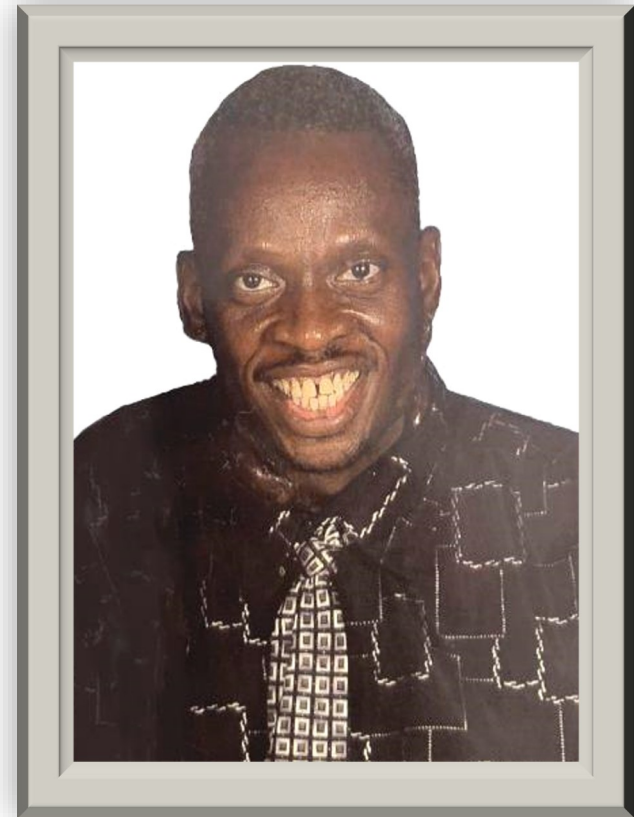
The family acknowledges with great appreciation every expression of kindness, love and concern shown to them during their time of sorrow. May God richly bless each of you.

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## HOME GOING CELEBRATION MR. WILLIAM JEFFERY KNOX

MAY 10, 1962 - MAY 20, 2023



SATURDAY, JUNE 3, 2023  
1:00 P.M.

GREGORY FUNERAL SERVICE CHAPEL  
601 NORTH YORK STREET  
GASTONIA, NORTH CAROLINA

PASTOR GEORGE FLOYD, OFFICIATING  
WORDS OF TRUTH MINISTRIES  
GASTONIA, NORTH CAROLINA

# OBITUARY

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William Jeffery Knox was born on May 10, 1962. His life came to a full circle when he went peacefully to be at rest with the Lord on Saturday; May 20, 2023. This transition took place at his loved one's home in Mount Holly, North Carolina.

William was educated in the public school system in Gastonia, North Carolina. He graduated from Hunter Huss High School with the Class of 1980.

William was a dedicated worker. He worked twenty plus years for Chem Clean and many years for Doles.

William was preceded in death by his mother: Annie Mae Knox; his sister, Lula Mae Knox Harbinson; and his brother: Leroy Knox.

William leaves to cherish his memories to his special cousin/sister: Clara Ann Wilson; his other closest family: Dorothy Hardin Camp, Willie Edward Hardin, James Alexander Knox (Patricia), Marshall Reese Knox Debra), Nathaniel Anderson (Juanita); special friend: Rhonda Reid, and a very special cousin: James Anderson and a host of other family and friends.

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You have left our lives, but you will never leave our hearts

FOREVER IN OUR HEARTS

# ORDER OF SERVICE

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Processional

Receiving of Family and Friends

12:30 - 1:00 PM

Call to Worship

Invocation

Hymn "What A Friend"

Selection

Scriptures

Elder Farley McGill

Old Testament

Psalms 91:1-12

New Testament

II Corinthians 5:1-8

Prayer of Comfort

Selection

A. J. Bellamy

Remarks (2 minutes, please)

Ms. Juanita Anderson

Selection "I Won't Complain"

A. J. Bellamy

Words of Comfort

Pastor George Floyd

Selection "I'll Fly Away"

Recessional

FLORAL BEARER AND PALL BEARERS  
Family and Friends

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Pleasant Grove Baptist Church  
Clover, South Carolina