

Order of Service

PROCESSIONAL

RECEIVING OF FAMILY AND FRIENDS.....1:00 - 1:30 PM

“BETTER THEN GOOD TO ME” .....COMPOSER: LADY HARMONY

CALL TO WORSHIP.....PASTOR GENE MCCORKLE, JR.

SELECTION.....DAYARNA BOULWARE

SCRIPTURE READING

OLD TESTAMENT.....PSALM 23.....ELDER MICHELLE McCORKLE

NEW TESTAMENT .....MINISTER DIADORA GLENN

PRAYER OF COMFORT.....PASTOR SHARON COLLINS

SOLO.....DAYARNA BOULWARE

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS/RESOLUTION.....CHARLENE JOHNSON

REMARKS.....DEACON GENE McCORKLE, SR.

RAMONA CULBRETH

POEM.....NIKKI McCORKLE

PRAYER OF ENCOURAGEMENT .....PASTOR TASHA LESLIE

SOLO.....ANGIE HOPE

WORDS OF COMFORT.....PASTOR GENE MCCORKLE, JR.

RECESSIONAL

INTERMENT

ARMSTRONG CEMETERY

GASTONIA, NORTH CAROLINA

FLORAL BEARERS

TARJA GRIER	MARRIKA ANDERSON
ANGEL ORR	SANIYAH McCORKLE
QAWNIA SHARPE	M’RIA MINTZ
TIA MINTZ	TROYONNA McKINNEY

PALL BEARERS

ANDRE SCOTLAND	JONATHAN McCORKLE
TIM ALEXANDER	DATHAN JOHNSON
PAUL CULBRETH	DAMEON McCORKLE
RODRIQUEZ WILLIAMS	JONATHAN McKINNEY

HONORARY PALL BEARERS

“MIKE’S BESTIES”

ADRIAN GRIER	DATHAN JOHNSON
BRADLEY “BEE” LEEPER	TIMMY ALEXANDER
HYSON “SHAWN” GRIER	CHRISTOPHER HUNTER

Thank You

Your words have comforted us,  
your support has strengthened us,  
and your love has sustained us.

We extend our deepest thanks to you for your kindness during our  
greatest sadness. We appreciate it more than words can express,  
and it will always be remembered.

The Family of Michael McCorkle

Arrangements Were Entrusted to:

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Celebrating the LIFE of

Mr. Michael Anthony McCorkle

“Mike” or “Tony”



THE CELEBRATION OF LIFE

Sunday, March 24, 2024

1:30 PM

Tabernacle Baptist Church

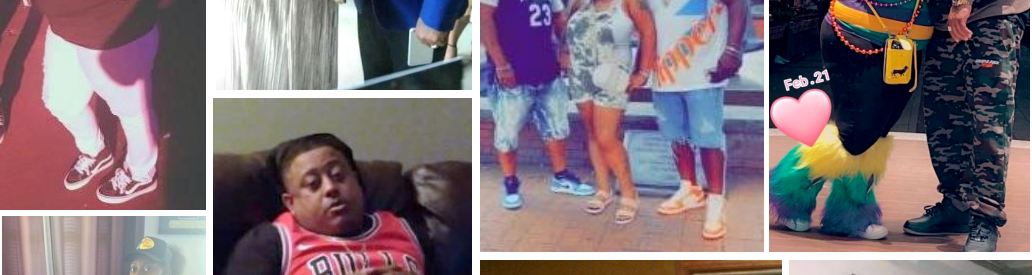
519 West 19<sup>th</sup> Street

Gastonia, North Carolina 28052

Dr. Benjamin Hinton, Senior Pastor

Pastor Gene McCorkle, Jr., Presiding





Michael Anthony McCorkle was born on December 1, 1982, in Gaston County, NC and departed this life on Saturday; March 16, 2024, at Caromont Regional Medical Center, Gastonia, North Carolina.

He was the son of Ramona McCorkle Scotland (Floyd) and Anthony Petty (Elaine). He was preceded in death by his grandmother: Minister Lois McCorkle; first cousin: Brian Gunnings, twin nieces: Taniya and Tanya Spencer and nephew: Khalil D. McCorkle.

Mike or Tony, as we called him, went to Holbrook Middle School, where he played football and basketball, then went on to North Gaston until the 11<sup>th</sup> grade. He loved to cook, and his baked beans was the talk at all the cookouts. He worked hard for his family. He loved wife and kids and granddaughters, where he would read the Bible to his Paris and say a word of prayer, and when it came to corn hole, him, and his brothers along with Pops thought they were the best.

He leaves to cherish loving memories to his wife, Danyel McCorkle of Gastonia, NC; three sons, Micheal Williams, M’Kieah Williams, and Messiah Phillips; two daughters: Myaezah Phillips and Emperious Williams; two granddaughters, Paris and Aaliyah Williams; parents: Ramona McCorkle Scotland (Floyd) and Anthony Petty (Elaine); mother-in-law, Jacqueline Williams; father-in-law, Roderick Berry (Pamela); paternal grandmother, Carolyn Petty; maternal grandfather, Gene McCorkle, Sr., siblings, Geneia McCorkle, Jonathan McCorkle, Dameon McCorkle, Nikki McCorkle, Andre Scotland (Jasmine), Aaron, Tai, Dewayne Scotland all of Gastonia, NC; brothers-in-law, Rodriquez Williams, Victavis Williams, and Tyrone Dawkins, Jr., uncles, Roger Wilson (Alberta), and Gene McCorkle, Jr.; aunts, Lisa McCorkle, and Doris Lynch (Rodney); great uncles, Artruer Wilson (Lawanda), Roy McCorkle, Gary McCorkle, Dean McCorkle, and Deal McCorkle; great aunts, Arnetta Wilson, Sharon Brooks (James), Patricia Benson, Gail Feemster (Gunzo), and Barbara Kay McCorkle and a host of nephews, nieces, other family and friends.



**In Memory of my Brother**

I can picture you like a photograph  
I can see your smile, I can hear your laugh  
You still in my heart and mind  
Still making me laugh cause  
Your stories live on  
Each day you are on my mind  
Brother, you were one of a kind  
In life we loved you dearly  
In death we love you still  
In our hearts you hold a place  
no one else ever will  
You were more than a brother,  
husband, son, father and friend  
You created beautiful memories  
Where ever your soul has been  
Good vibes are not forever  
Goodbyes are not the end  
They simply mean I miss you  
We only part to meet again  
So when tomorrow start without you  
Don't think we're far apart  
For every time I think of you  
You're right here in my heart  
So farewell my brother  
Til we meet again

