

Letting Go

The angels gathered near your side
So very close to you
For they knew the pain and suffering
That you were going through

I thought about so many things
As I held tightly to your hand
Oh, how I wished that you were strong
And happy once again

But your eyes were looking homeward
To that place beyond the sky
Where Jesus held His outstretched arms
It was time to say good-bye

I struggled with my selfish thoughts
For I wanted you to stay
So we could walk and talk again
Like we did... just yesterday

But Jesus knew the answer
And I knew you loved Him so
So I gave to you life's greatest gift
The gift of letting go

Judith Bullock Morse

Note Of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation
for your thoughts, prayers and acts of kindness shown
during the loss of our loved one.

The Family

Arrangements Were Entrusted to:

Gregory Funeral Service, Inc.
601 North York Street
Gastonia, North Carolina 28052
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In Loving Remembrance of Mr. David Henry McLean

Sunrise
June 14, 1947

Sunset
November 5, 2024



**Monday; November 11, 2024
12:30p.m.**

**Gregory Funeral Service Chapel
601 N. York Street
Gastonia, North Carolina**

Reverend Torey Haynes, Officiating

Order Of Service

Visitation
12:00 - 12:30

Call To Worship

Selection
Sybil Johnson

Scripture
Old Testament Psalm 23 Minister
New Testament John 14 : 1-7 Minister

Prayer Of Comfort
Minister

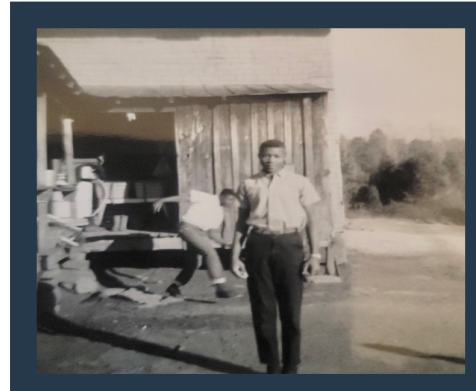
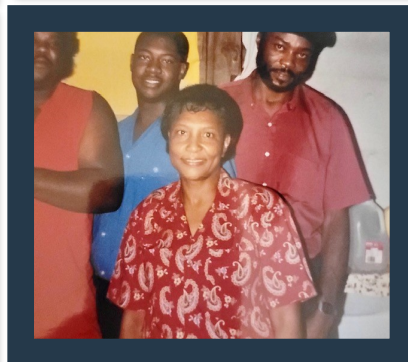
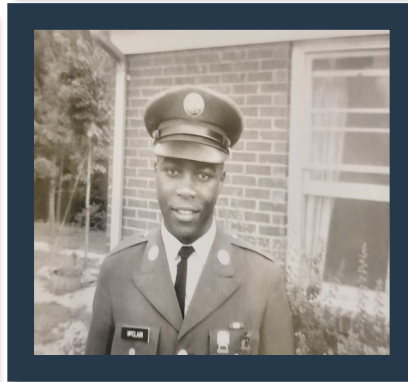
Obituary Reading
Family Friend

Remarks (Limit 2 min)
W David Brown
Sebastian Shipp

Selection
Sybil Johnson

Eulogy
Reverend Torey Haynes

Benediction and Closing
Reverend Torey Haynes



Obituary

David Henry McLean, a beloved husband, father, grandfather, and friend, passed away peacefully on November 5, 2024, at the age of 77. David lived a life filled with passion, courage, and a deep love for his family and country.

Born on June 14, 1947, in Lincolnton, North Carolina, David proudly served his country in the United States Army during the Vietnam War. His bravery and sacrifice were recognized with the distinguished honor of two Purple Hearts. His military service instilled in him a strong sense of duty, honor, and unwavering commitment to his fellow Americans.

After his military service, David pursued his passion for automobiles by attending Central Piedmont Community College, where he earned a degree in body fabrication in 1971. He was a true car enthusiast and showed his passion for cars by appreciating their beauty, power, and engineering.

David was a devoted Dallas Cowboys fan, cheering on his team through thick and thin. He also cherished the opportunity to gather with family and friends, creating lasting memories filled with laughter and love.

David was preceded in death by his mother Nadine McLean Graham, his father Gray Graham, brother Jerry McLean and sister Edith Shipp.

David is survived by two sons, David Lee Rendleman (Lorielle) and Daren Rendleman, and his grandchildren, Darean Alice Rendleman and Derris Deron McCoy and one brother Gilbert McLean (Geraldine), and a host neices nephews family and friends. He will be deeply missed by all who knew him.