Life Reflections

Bobby Riddle Murray departed this life on Sunday; February 16, 2025 at Atrium Health-Main, Charlotte, North Carolina.

He was reared by the late Deacon Meek and Deaconess Odessa Murray of Gastonia, North Carolina and was the maternal son of the late Edna W. Lockard.

Bobby Murray was a 1966 graduate of Highland High School and received a certificate from Gaston College in 1967.

Bobby was an avid basketball and football fan. He played the position of tackle at the East-West Shrine Bowl in Winston Salem, NC in 1965 and was the last player from Highland High School to play in the Shrine Bowl game.

Bob was A DIE-HARD DALLAS COWBOYS FAN!

Bob is survived by his loving wife of 58 years, Tommie Hart Murray; a daughter, Selissa A Murray of Gastonia; sons, Christopher Bobby Murray of Gastonia and Kevin Lee Murray of Charlotte, NC, sisters, Connie Cheetam, Denise and Geraldine Lockard, Selena Lockard; brothers, Michael Lockard and Troy Lockard; grandchildren, Kiana Luke, Kayla Luke of Gastonia, NC; great grandchildren, Tamirah Mitchell, Bre'kayla and Makala Luke, RJ Luke, Ja'Kavion Meeks of Gastonia, NC: special friend. Coach Leonard Hamilton of Tallahasse, FL, brother-in-law, Michael Hart (Sharon) of Charlotte, NC; sister-in-law, Iris H. Graham of Gastonia, NC and Dianne Duren of Winston Salem and a host of loving aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Bob truly loved and was devoted to his great grands.

An Angel Called "HUSBAND"

God blessed and sent me to an angel called husband. Someone loving to stand by me in the good and not so good times.

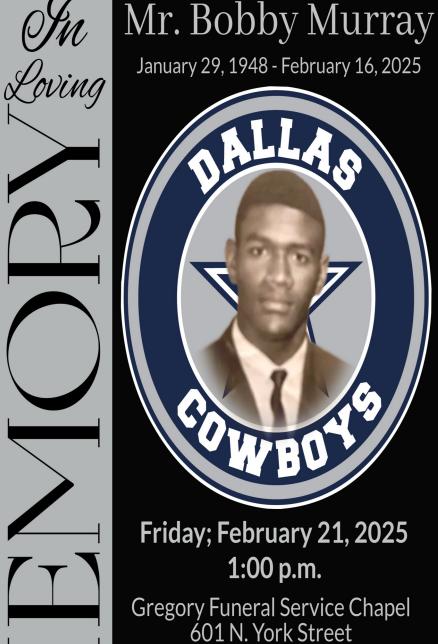
Someone sacrificing, who provided for me even if he had to do without himself. Someone wise who saw what I was unable to see in situations and especially in people. Someone who gave advice generously, even when I did not want it and usually, often to my dismay, ended up being right. I want to thank that someone for all he did, all he has been.

Most of all, I want to thank God for blessing me with such a wonderful friend to help me in my journey through life. Thank you, Heavenly Father, For my own personal Angel, My Husband, Bob Murray!

Acknowledgements

We, the family of Bob Murray, would like to thank everyone for your many acts of kindness shown during the passing of our beloved. Please continue to keep us in your prayers. May God continue to bless all of you.

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