

His Journey

Dwight Alexander Patterson was born on September 26, 1946, in Shelby, North Carolina. He was the eldest of three sons. Dwight transitioned from this life on Wednesday; March 12, 2025, at Atrium Health Pineville.

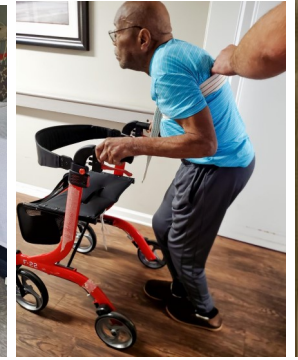
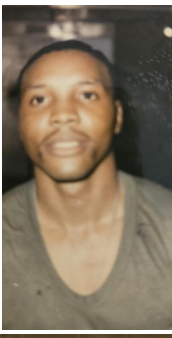
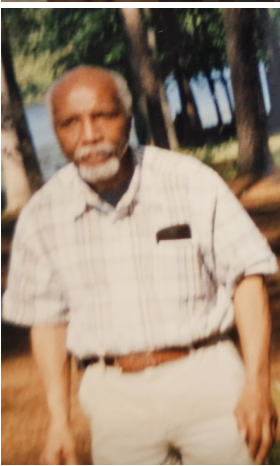
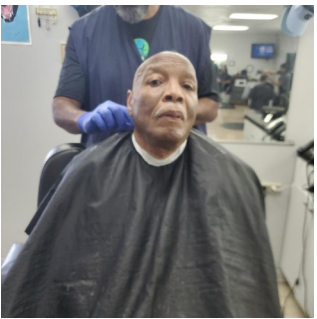
Dwight graduated from Shelby High School in 1963. He married his late wife Betty Louise Hawkins Patterson in 1969. To this union two sons were born, Brian K. Patterson and the late Steven Michael Patterson.

Dwight enlisted in the United States Army. Dwight Patterson, Betty, and sons were stationed at bases in Texas, California, Washington, DC, Kentucky, Alaska and Oklahoma. Dwight retired from the Army in 1989 and moved his family to Gastonia, North Carolina. Dwight started his second career in 1990 working at Wix for over 20 years and then doing a final retirement in 2013.

Dwight Patterson was a member of St. Titus Church and was a devoted giver in tithes and works. He also believed in being a blessing to others as well.

Dwight was preceded in death by his parents, Lewis Avery Patterson and Bessie Johnson Patterson; brother, Joe Wade Patterson; and son, Steven Michael Patterson.

He leaves to cherish his memories, son, Brian K. Patterson (Pamela); brother, Roy Lee Patterson; five grandchildren, thirteen great-grandchildren, three nieces, four nephews, and a host of cousins and friends.



Order of Service

Processional	
Invocation	Pastor Robert L. McCaskill
Selection	First Antioch
Scripture Reading	
Old Testament	Reverend Charles June
New Testament	Minister Dennis Jefferies
Prayer of Comfort	Pastor Franklin L. Clark
Selection	Sarita Jeffries
Tributary Remarks (2 Minutes Please)	Temekia Miller
	Frankie Blevins
	Joanne Finkel
	Rodney Thompson
	Geraldine Johnson
Reading of Obituary	Chandra Slaughter
Selection	First Antioch
Eulogy	Pastor Robert L. McCaskill
Recessional	

Interment
Armstrong Cemetery
Gastonia, North Carolina

Floral and Pall Bearers
Family and Friends

*As this day of sorrow comes,
tears in our eyes, loneliness in our hearts,
we say goodbye.*

*Thank You for sharing your life with us,
without you, we will not know
the love of God for us.*

*For you are a blessing in our eyes.
We thank the Lord for sharing you with us.
He has given us a great gift that we will never forget.
Even as the sun sets and the rain falls down.
God is indeed amazing, for knowing who we need.*



Acknowledgement

The family wishes to express our heartfelt thanks and sincere appreciation for the many acts of kindness extended during our bereavement. Please continue to keep us in your prayer.

The Family

ARRANGEMENTS WERE ENTRUSTED TO:
Gregory Funeral Service, Inc. | 601 North York Street
Gastonia, North Carolina 28052 | 704-867-4364
www.gregoryfuneralservice.com

CELEBRATION OF LIFE DWIGHT ALEXANDER PATTERSON

September 26, 1945 – March 12, 2025



**Saturday, March 22, 2025
1:30 p.m.**

**Weeping Mary Baptist Church
1799 Old Highway 321
Bowling Green, South Carolina**

**Pastor Robert L. McCaskill
Officiating**