

His Journey

Alonzel Davis Jr, affectionately known to all as June, was born to the late AD Davis and the late Annie Bell Beard Davis in Gaston County.

He graduated from Ashley High School and later enlisted in the United States Army. June was assigned to the 82nd Airborne Division stationed in Fort Bragg, NC. While in the army he was a Paratrooper and was also on the Army's Boxing Team. He was a great boxer and earned the "Champion" boxer title. June was honorably discharged from the army and spent a few years in California. He returned to North Carolina where he spent much of his adult life in Hickory, NC. working in the furniture industry.

June, like most of his family, was a big sports enthusiast. Early on he was a Washington Redskin fan. He later became an avid Tarheel, Carolina Panther and Charlotte Hornets fan. Though his sisters hated watching sports on tv, he could always talk them into watching games with him. He loved to fish and once again, could always talk his sisters into walking to Rankin Lake with him. After fishing all day and cleaning the very small crappies came the fun part, eating their catch. He was a great "big" brother who loved his family tremendously.

June had an unshakeable faith in God. He read his Daily Bread and Bible daily. Never had a cross word to say and would happily let you know "I pray for you every day." June was preceded in death by his father, AD Davis, his mother, Annie Beard Davis and one sibling, Annie Glenn. He leaves to cherish his memories, daughter, Tashia Hunter, 2 grandchildren, Brianna and Isaiah of Hickory, 3 sisters, Betty Davis, Barbara (Clarence) Patterson of Gastonia, Marie (James) Horton of High Point, and a host of nieces, nephews, and other relatives.

God Saw You Getting Tired

Author Unknown

God saw you getting tired and a cure was not to be
so he put his arms around you and whispered,
"Come to Me"

With tearful eyes we watched you
and saw you pass away
and although we love you dearly
we could not make you stay.

A golden heart stopped beating
hard working hands at rest.
God broke our hearts to prove to us
He only takes the best

Thank You from the Family

We are grateful for your prayers and the strength they have
provided during our time of loss.
Your kindness and compassion have been a blessing.

Floral and Pall Bearers
Highland Class of 1970



Celebrating the Life of



Alonzel
"June" Davis Jr.

Sunrise : July 8, 1950 | Sunset : May 2, 2025

Tuesday, May 13, 2025
Family Visitation: 1:30pm - 2pm
Service: 2pm

Gregory Funeral Service Chapel
601 N. York Street
Gastonia, NC 28052

Elder Thomas Jackson, Officiating



FAMILY

The Order of Service

Visitation (receiving of friends from
(1:30pm until 2:00pm)

Military Honors

Call to Worship

Elder Thomas Jackson

Selection

Scriptures

Old Testament

Deacon Michael Stackston
(Psalms 90:12-14)

New Testament

Minister Murphy Moore
(1 Corinthians 15:50-55)

Prayer of Comfort

Elder Ellen Clay

Reading of Obituary

(Read Silently)

Selection

Reflections (2-minute limit)

Brookdale AL Union Road
Michael Rhyne
Tony Joe Sadler
Clarence Patterson

Selection

Eulogy

Elder Thomas Jackson

Committal and Benediction

Elder Thomas Jackson

Recessional

Interment
Armstrong Cemetery
Gastonia, North Carolina

MEMORIES

