



POEM OF LIFE

Life is but a stopping place,
A pause in what's to be,
A resting place along the road,
to sweet eternity.

We all have different journeys.

Different paths along the way,

We all were meant to learn some things,

but never meant to stay...

Our destination is a place,

Far greater than we know.

For some the journey's quicker,

For some the journey's slow.

And when the journey finally ends,

We'll claim a great reward,

And find an everlasting peace,

Together with the lord

— Author unknown —

—ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS—

The family would like to thank everyone for their kind expressions of love shown throughout this difficult time. Your expressions of sympathy and kindness touched our hearts.

A special thanks to the medical staff at Trellis and the Davidson County Hospice Care Unit in Thomasville, North Carolina for the kindness shown to my beloved Nathaniel and I.

The Family of Mr. Nathaniel Lowery

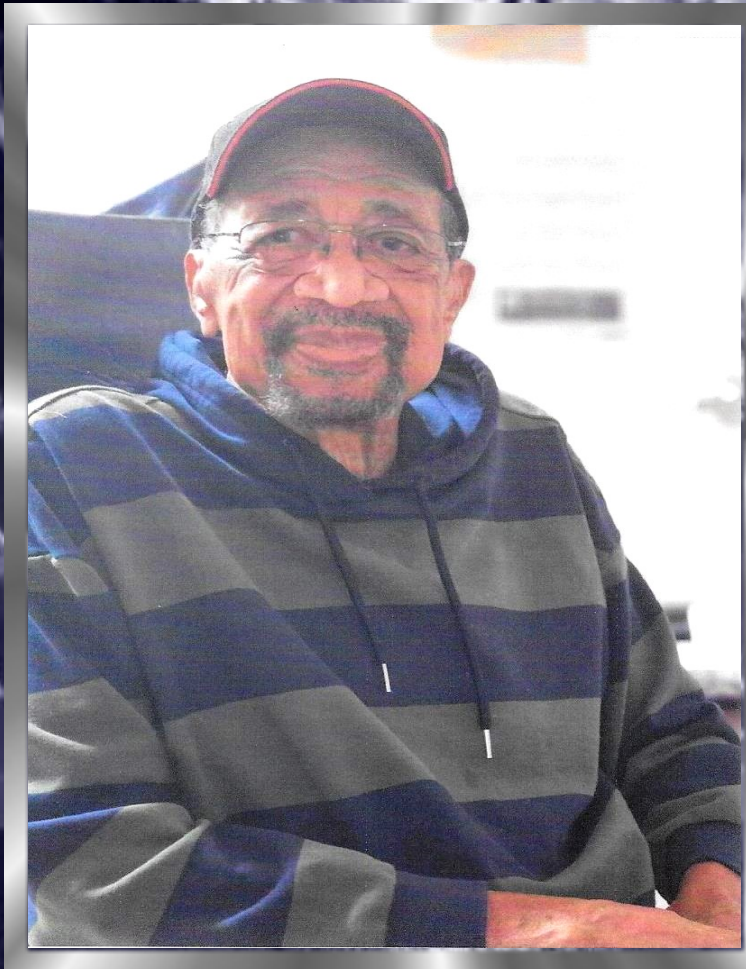


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Celebrating the Life of
Nathaniel Lowery



Sunrise
January 16, 1933

Sunset
February 10, 2024

MARCH 2, 2024

1:00 PM

Costner Funeral Home
2425 West Franklin Boulevard
Gastonia, North Carolina 28052

Reverend Chad R. Armstrong
Pastor of Phillip Chapel Baptist Church
Winston Salem, North Carolina

Officiating

Order of Celebration

Prelude

Musical Selection My Soul Has Been Anchored In The Lord
By Douglas Miller

Prayer Minister Lora Darby

Scripture Reading

Old Testament: Psalm 23 Ms. Kim Daniel, Niece

New Testament: John 14:1-3 Ms. Yendelela Neely, Niece

Prayer of Comfort Ms. Phyllis Cleland, Cousin

Musical Selection Something Got A Hold On Me
New Reflection Ministry

Reflections and Remarks John Lowery, Cousin
Zenobia Campbell, Sister

Song Uncloudy Day
by Myrna Summers

Eulogy Reverend Chad R. Armstrong

Recessional Selection When the Saints Go Marching In
by The Howard Gospel Choir



Nathaniel Lowery was born in York, South Carolina on January 16, 1933 to the late Sam and Mozell Matthews Lowery. He transitioned from this earthly life on February 10, 2024, in Thomasville, North Carolina.

Nathaniel was educated in South Carolina public school. He relocated to New Haven, Connecticut and resided there for 10 years. Upon returning to Gastonia, North Carolina, he was employed as an Independent Cab Driver with Lightner's Cab Company and worked at the "Box Factory." He again relocated to Winston-Salem, North Carolina in 1986 where he was employed by Phoenix Packaging until his retirement.

Nathaniel accepted Christ as his Lord and Savior at an early age. He was a member of Phillips Chapel Baptist Church in Winston-Salem, North Carolina.

Nathaniel affectionally known as "Nate," "Daddy," "Pops," and "Brother" enjoyed life. He loved fishing, car racing and the Dallas Cowboys.

He is survived by his wife of 41 years, Lena Alexander Lowery, daughter, Patricia Ann Lowery of Rex, Georgia; sons: Nathan Lowery, Jr. and Ricardo Woods (Katina) of Gastonia, North Carolina, Emery Lynn Lowery (Victoria) of Snellville, Georgia and Kenneth Wayne Lowery (Sheila) of Marietta, Georgia. He also leaves to cherish his memories Dennis Johnson, stepson of Gastonia, Jason Linnear of Baltimore, Maryland, Jessica Sainvelus of Orlando, Florida; godchildren, and a host of grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews, and friends.

Nathaniel is also survived by his loving siblings: Zenobia Campbell and Bertha Lowery of Gastonia, North Carolina and Carrie E. Lowery of New York City.

He was preceded in death by his sisters, Marcie L. Bagley, Annie Mae Knox, and Frances J. Wilson.

