

HOMEGOING CELEBRATION  
For  
David Lee Gary

Processional .....Clergy and Family  
Reception of Family and Friends.....2:00 pm - 12:30 pm  
Invocation ..... Pastor Bernardo Porter  
Hymn of Praise & Countdown .....Pastor Peggy Mungro Geter

Scripture Readings

Old Testament .....Min. Jackie Bradshaw  
New Testament .....Pastor Tawanda Berry Harris  
Prayer of Comfort ..... Pastor Tawanda Berry Harris

Remarks ( 2 minutes, please)

Friends and Family .....The Gary  
Family Friends and Family..... The Stroud Family

Acknowledgements/Obituary (Read Silently)

Selection (optional).....  
Eulogy ..... Pastor Bernardo Porter  
Pastor of Peculiar Generation Ministries

Recessional .....



*God watched you as you suffered and knew you had your share.  
He gently closed your weary eyes and took you in his care.  
Your memory is our keepsake with that we will never part.  
God has you in his keeping, we have you in our hearts.  
Nothing could be more beautiful than the memories we have of you.  
To us you were someone special. God must have thought so too.  
All our lives we shall miss you as the years come and go, but in our hearts  
you will live forever.  
Because we love you so.  
God saw you were getting tired, and a cure was not to be.  
So he put his arms around you and whispered "Come with me"  
With tearful eyes we watched you suffer and saw you fade away.  
Although we loved you dearly a golden heart stopped beating hard work-  
ing hands put to rest.  
God broke our hearts to prove to us, He only takes the best!*

Author: Unknown

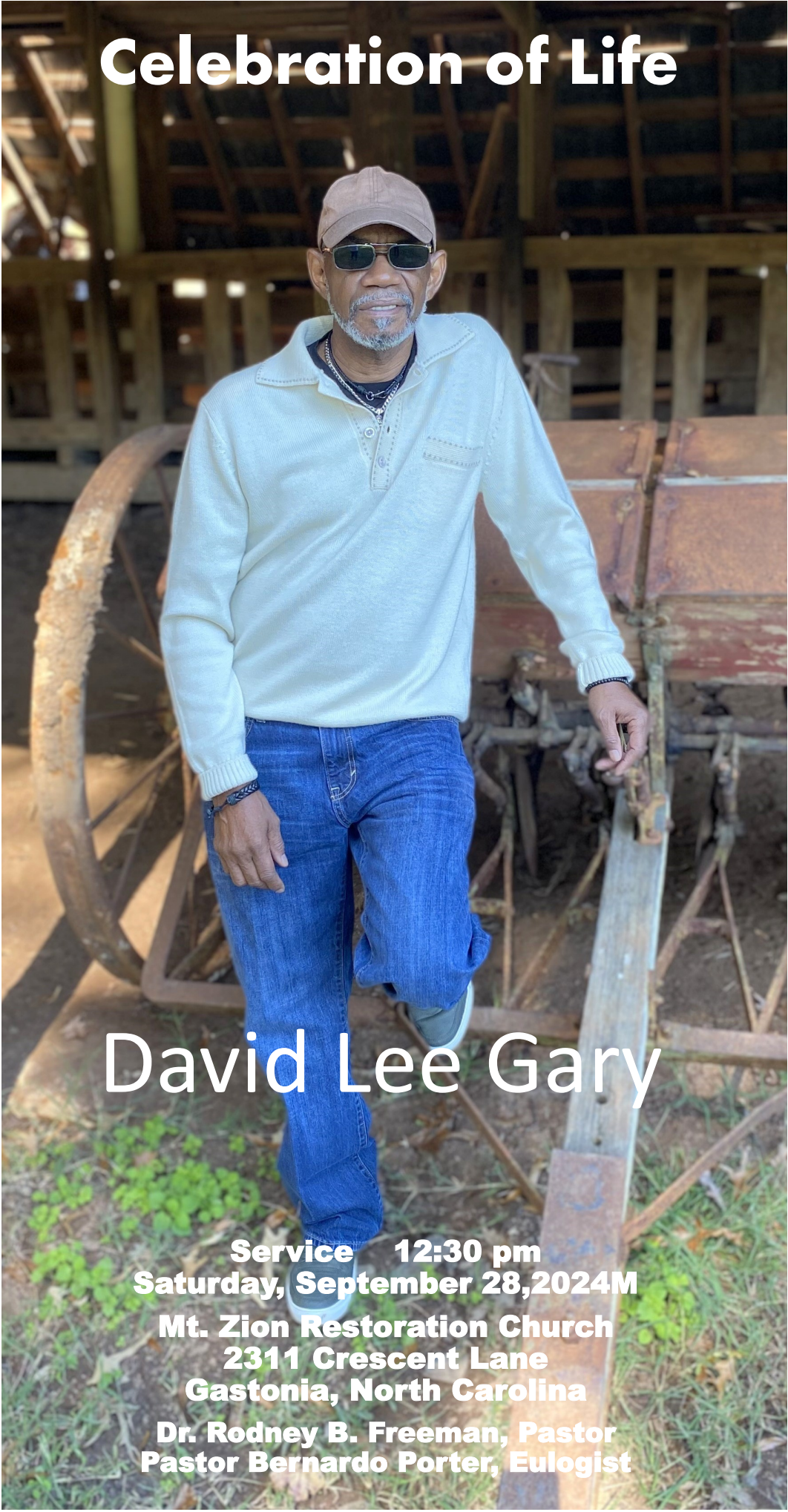
Acknowledgement

In everything both great and small, we see the hand of God through various expressions of sympathy you have extended to us. It is with deepest gratitude that we thank each of you during this most difficult time.



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Celebration of Life



David Lee Gary

Service 12:30 pm  
Saturday, September 28,2024M  
Mt. Zion Restoration Church  
2311 Crescent Lane  
Gastonia, North Carolina  
Dr. Rodney B. Freeman, Pastor  
Pastor Bernardo Porter, Eulogist





David Lee Gary was born on January 30, 1953, in York, South Carolina. He departed this life on Monday, September 23, 2024, at home with his loving wife by his side.

He retired from The Salvation Army in Charlotte. After he retired, he loved helping others and completing any kind of handy work. He was a hard-working auto mechanic, and he loved working with his hands.

He enjoyed an ice-cold can of Coke, Snickers, and Lemon Cookies. He loved a good home cooked meal. These were just a few of his favorite things. He also adored laughing and making the people around him laugh. David loved reading the Daily Bread each day.

David joined Peculiar Generation Ministries in 2009 where he rededicated his life to God. David loved the Lord, his wife, his children, his church, and his family.

David was proceeded in death by his parents, Johnny B. & Isabell Gary. His brothers, Glenn E. Gary & Raymie Gary, sister Ruby White and Bonus son Brian Robinson.

He leaves behind to cherish his memories, his loving wife of 13 years, Reesie Gary, Three daughters Tamika Dawn Berry-Geter, Davina Gary, Letitia Roberts (Derrick). His sons Pastor Bernardo Porter, Michael Porter (Ashley), Jason Thomasson (Shaketa). Bonus daughters April Watson, Pastor Tawanda Berry Harris (Dion), Edna Lewis (Paul), Bonus Daughter-In-Law, law Shelia Robinson. Bonus son Timothy Thomasson. Grandchildren Taylor Berry, Camryn Geter, Averi Geter, Ja'Zhier Harden, Amaya Mickles, Zamari Porter, Kyndyl Porter, Talysha Jones, Tyondre' Porter, Devin Hall, Cameron Porter, Ryhieem Porter, Malik Porter, Jeremiah Porter, Jordan Porter, and Jeryn Porter. His sisters, Rosa Crawford (Marshall), Katherine Frierson (Beary), and Vera Lowry. His brothers, Johnny Gary (Yvonne) & Perry Gary (Clara). His sisters-in-law, Mary Ampley, Tarba Parks (James), Ethel Beam (Sammie). His Brother-In-Laws, William Stroud Jr, Randy Stroud (Jhosetta). Godson, Boahen Dixon "Ari". And a Host of great grandchildren, nieces, nephews, friends and family.

