

Stevie,
I just wanted you to know that you are the love of my life. I am so thankful for you and all of the life experiences we shared. Your presence in my life was truly a gift from God and for that I am grateful. Stevie Allen Tillman and I will love you always and forever.

Love, Brenita



Steve

The tears just won't stop flowing
Whenever I think about you
But what gives me peace and comfort
Is that you're living your life brand new

Our life's down here
Won't ever be the same
But the memories you've left
Will forever remain

We were talking about this day
When all of this started
We said don't talk like that,
But now you have departed

Pain and discomfort
Have finally gone
Because this mean ol' world
Was not your home

Some ups and downs
We ran into,
But through it all
God brought us through

Disagreements we had
Yes that's true,
But it never stopped your love for me
Nor did it stop my love for you

Yes you're gone
And this is not goodbye
Because I'll see you again
In the sweet by and by

Now all I can do
Is to call your name
You've transitioned from earth to glory
d my life down here won't ever be the same.

I miss you my brother
This is definitely true
But we'll be together again one day
Because I've got Heaven in my view.

G. Lewis Tillman





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Entrusted To:*

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604 Salisbury Street
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IN LOVING

Memory



Stevie Allen Tillman

February 16, 1962 - December 13, 2025

Saturday, December 27, 2025 - 11:00 AM
Reeder Memorial Baptist Church
3725 Beatties Ford Road
Charlotte, North Carolina
OFFICIATING
REV. DR. THOMAS R. FARROW, JR.,
PASTOR



Obituary

Stevie Allen Tillman



On Saturday, December 13, 2025 God graciously called one of his angels, Stevie Allen Tillman, home. Stevie was born on February 16, 1962, to the late Lee Harrison and Armender Sinclair Tillman.

Stevie attended the public schools of Anson County and was a 1980 graduate of Bowman Senior High School. Stevie furthered his education at Livingstone College in Salisbury, NC. Later, he joined the United States Army and became a Multichannel Communications Equipment Operator, in which, he had to undergo 10 weeks of rigorous training and resulted in a successful outcome. Stevie was also an expert shooter; therefore, he received a medal for marksmanship. Stevie served 6 years of dedicated service to the military.

After the military, Stevie returned to Charlotte, NC and started working in the civilian sector as a banker which led to other opportunities of interest and he continued to work throughout his lifetime.

Stevie accepted Christ Lord at a young age and was a strong believer of his faith. He loved to read, study and discuss the Bible. Stevie attended Reeder Memorial Baptist Church in Charlotte, NC and was a Trustee, Choir Member and on the Audio/Video Team.

Stevie met and later married the love of his life, Brenita Bennett. They have a total of 5 children and 11 grandchildren.

Stevie had a caring spirit, loved to laugh and have a good time. He enjoyed spending time with his family, friends and especially his grandchildren. He was an avid Carolina Panthers, Duke Blue Devils and Charlotte Hornets fan. Stevie spent hours watching sports. He enjoyed life and tried to live it to the fullest.

Stevie was preceded in death by his parents, Lee and Armender Tillman; sister, Deborah J. Tillman; brother, Lee J. Tillman; nephews, Dimetricks Tillman and Victor Tillman; niece, Kennedi Tillman; mother-in-law, Carnetha Bennett; father-in-law, Elijah Gaddy; and brother-in-law, Elijah Bennett.

Stevie leaves to cherish his memories to his wife, Brenita of the home; his children, Lakia Hollis (Jeremy) of Crestview, Florida, Lei-San Tillman of Colorado Springs, Colorado, Stephaine Tillman of Charlotte, NC, Renesha Davis (Timothy) of Locust, NC and Jabreela Lisenby (Marcus) of Albemarle, NC. Eleven Grandchildren. His siblings, Shirley Tillman of Monroe, NC, Kenneth Tillman (Kathrene) of Oklahoma, Larry Tillman (Sylvette) of Virginia, Gregory Tillman of Wadesboro, NC, Wayne Tillman (Toni) of Florida, Michael Tillman (Stephanie) of Virginia and Angela Tillman of Virginia. A host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Stevie we love you and may you rest in peace.

Order of Service

Musical Prelude

Family Processional and Viewing

Selection

Reading Of The Holy Scriptures

The Old Testament.....Minister Madria D. Spivey

The New Testament.....Bishop Jeremy Hollis

Prayer Of Comfort.....Rev. Rudy Burris

Selection

Remarks (2 Minutes Please).....Family and Friends

Acknowledgments.....Smith Funeral Home

Special Poem.....Rev. G. Lewis Tillman, Brother

Selection

Words Of Comfort.....Rev. Dr. Thomas R. Farrow Jr.

Committal

Military Honors

Benediction

Recessional

Interment

Gatewood Station AME Zion Church Cemetery

Morven, North Carolina

