

The Link

They say memories are golden,
Well maybe that is true.
I never wanted memories,
I only wanted you.
A million times I needed you,
A million times I cried.
If love alone could have
saved you,
You never would have died.
In life I loved you dearly,
In death I love you still.
In my heart you hold a place
No one could ever fill.
If tears could build a stairway
And heartache make a lane,
I'd walk the path to heaven
And bring you back again.
Our family chain is broken,
And nothing seems the same.
But as God calls us one by one,
The chain will link again.

Lovingly submitted,
Your Mother & Father



Remember Me

Don't remember me with sadness,
Don't remember me with tears,
Remember all good times,
Shared throughout the years.
Now I am contented
That my life it was worthwhile,
Because I know by loving you
That I made you smile.
When you are walking down the street
And you've got me on your mind,
I'm walking in your footsteps
Only half a step behind.
So please don't be unhappy
Just because I'm out of sight,
Remember that I'm with you
Every morning, noon and night.



Interment

Beulah Baptist Church Cemetery
1546 River Road
Allendale, South Carolina

Pallbearers & Floral Attendants

Allendale-Fairfax Class of 2025

Acknowledgments

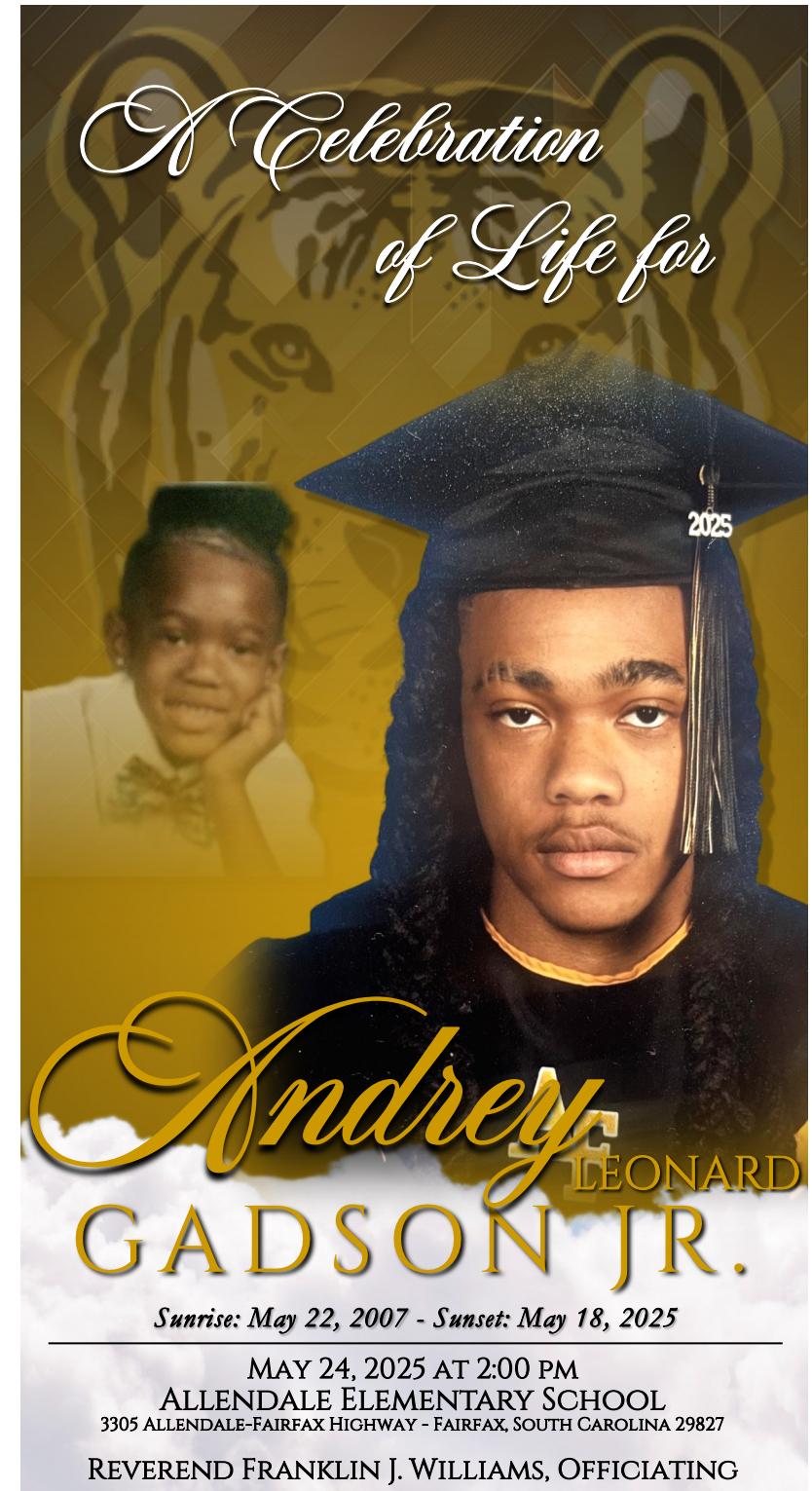
We the family of the late Andrey Leonard Gadson Jr.
would like to extend our sincere thanks and appreciation
to each of you for the kindness and love extended to us during
the time of our bereavement. May God bless each of you.
The Family

FINAL CARE AND ARRANGEMENTS ENTRUSTED TO:



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"Where Comfort Is Found In Memories"



Order of Service

MINISTER SHAVOTAY ELMORE, PRESIDING

Prelude Gospel Music

Processional/Final Viewing..... Clergy, Family & Friends

Opening Selection.....Mrs. Trevonna Elmore

Scripture Readings
 Old TestamentMinister Catina Aldrich
 New Testament.....Deacon George Aldrich

Prayer of Comfort..... Minister Shavontay Elmore

Selection..... Cleveland Gadson

Words of Remembrance
 Church..... Deacon Roy Walker
 Classmate.....Enaviah Williams
 Cousin.....Ari Aldrich

Acknowledgements Allendale Community Funeral Home

Special Selection..... Joshua Gadson

Words of Comfort Reverend Franklin J. Williams

Committal Service | Prayer | Benediction

Director’s RemarksDr. Betty D. Strudwick

Recessional



Reflection of Life

ANDREY LEONARD GADSON JR. was born on May 22, 2007 in Aiken, South Carolina to Andrey Gadson Sr. and Shakea Aldrich.

At an early age, he joined Beulah Baptist Church in Allendale, South Carolina and was later baptized. He was a graduate of Allendale-Fairfax High School class of 2025, but his parents will receive his diploma due to his tragic departure from this earthly world on Sunday, May 18, 2025. He also received his Welders Certification from Allendale-Fairfax Vocational School.

Andrey enjoyed hanging out with his friends and playing video games. His favorite pastime was teasing his sister Ryleigh and doing yard work with his grandfather Sam. He was friendly and he will be missed by his family and friends.

He was preceded in death by his great grandmother, Carrie Gadson; aunt, Yolanda Aldrich; uncle, Tyrell Aldrich; and cousins: Haley Adkins, Ja’Vondrey Gadson and Glenda Daughtry.

Andrey leaves to cherish his fond memories: his parents: Shakea Aldrich of Allendale, SC and Andrey Gadson Sr. of Estill, SC; two sisters: De’Andria Gadson of Columbia, SC and Ryleigh Gadson of Allendale, SC; three brothers: Deonta White of Estill, SC, Jamari Aldrich and Mason Gadson both of Allendale, SC; maternal grandparents: Sam (Linda) Aldrich of Allendale, SC; paternal grandparents: Alice Gadson of Estill, SC and Henry Eady of Ridgeland, SC; four aunts: Tiffany Aldrich of Allendale, SC, Seneinka (Thaddeus) Jones of Luray, SC, Aliceson Gadson and Detra Wilson both of Estill, SC; four uncles: Maurice Gadson of Greenville, SC, Jermaine Gadson of Hampton, SC, Keith Reed of N. Augusta, SC and Kelvin Reed of Estill, SC; and a host of other loving relatives and caring friends.

