



# ORDER OF SERVICE

Saturday, September 20, 2025, 11:00AM  
Mt. Sinai Missionary Baptist Church  
2036 Silver Street | Jacksonville, Florida 32206  
Pastor Dr. R. L. Gundy, Presiding and Officiating

Selection Mt. Sinai MBC Choir

Scriptures:  
Old Testament: Exodus 20:8-17  
New Testament: 1 Corinthians 15:50-58  
Clergy  
Clergy

Invocation Reverend Carlos Presley

Solo Tracy Morris

Reflections- (As a courtesy to the family, please remember the two-minute rule)  
As a Family Member Roslyn Brown-Holsey  
As a Friend Louis Pierce  
As a Classmate Erick Biggins

Acknowledgements Q. L. Douglas Funeral Home Staff

Selection Mt. Sinai MBC Choir

Words of Comfort Pastor Dr. R. L. Gundy

Recessional

## REPAST

Mt. Sinai MBC Fellowship Hall  
2036 Silver Street | Jacksonville, Florida 32206

YOUR SPIRIT LIVES ON  
*A radiant spirit, a light so bright,  
Whose laughter echoed, clear and true.  
Of pride and hope he carried always,  
He's loved in the coming, and the passing days.  
So let us not just mourn with tears,  
But celebrate Earl's most vibrant years.  
The father, son, the friend so dear,  
Whose spirit will forever be near.*

## PALLBEARERS

Erick Biggins  
Khai Ferguson  
Shane Gardner  
Jarrett Morene  
Tracy Morris  
Louis Pierce

## FLOWER ATTENDANTS

Family and Friends

## ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

We are so thankful for the outpouring of love and kindness we have received. Your prayers, visits, personal messages and beautiful flowers have meant so much to us. Thank you for thinking of our family during our time of bereavement, your support has been a true blessing.

*With heartfelt gratitude,  
The Brooks Family*

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CELEBRATION OF LIFE FOR

# EARL BROOKS, II

"DEUCE"

SUNRISE  
August 20, 1978

SUNSET  
September 5, 2025



# LIFE STORY

Earl Brooks, II, affectionately known as Deuce, was born on August 20, 1978, to Earl Brooks and Rovenia Brooks. He brought great joy, laughter, and love to all who knew him. Earl was blessed with a radiant spirit, always quick with a laugh and ready for good company.

He found joy in watching science fiction and Las Vegas Raiders Football and listening to soulful R&B, the simple pleasures in life. A true friend to many, he cherished time spent socializing and never missed a chance to talk about Jean Ribault Senior High, FAMU and his love for motorcycles, the passions that defined much of his life. In quieter moments, he could be found engrossed in his favorite science fiction books, ever so curious and imaginative.

He was a true athlete at heart who enjoyed playing baseball and practicing karate.

Earl was a devoted father to his two sons and an uncle to his niece and nephew. Their happiness and success were sources of immense pride to him, and he poured his heart into nurturing and supporting them.

His life was rich with accomplishments earning his Motorcycle Mechanics Certification from WyoTech, achieving the rank of First-Degree Black Belt in Tae Kwon Do and becoming a proud member of the FAMU Marching 100 Band, where he joyfully played the trombone and forged memories that lasted a lifetime. Earl's discipline and courage are a true testament to his determination and skill.

An entrepreneur by nature, Earl owned and operated Grizzle B's Ice Cream Shop and Southern 'Nalia Screen Printing and Embroidery. Through these ventures, he touched the lives of many in his community, serving up treats and creativity with genuine care and enthusiasm.

Earl Brooks, II, a beloved son, father, brother, uncle and friend passed away on September 5, 2025, in Jacksonville, Florida at the age of forty-seven. He was preceded in death by his grandparents: Buliah and Isaac Brooks, John and Isabelle Hardwick and brother: Anthony Earl Brooks.

Earl is survived by his beloved sons: Earl, III and Anthony Glen Brooks; father: Earl Brooks; mother: Rovenia Brooks; sisters: Shawndra Brooks and Lisa Harris; niece: Asia Irving; nephew: Kirred Harris and a host of aunts, uncles, other relatives and friends.

Earl's warmth, kindness, and zest for life will be dearly missed by his family, friends, and all who had the privilege of knowing him. While his journey on earth has ended, his legacy of laughter, love, and passion will remain in the hearts of all who knew him.

May he rest in peace.



# M E M O R I E S



# ORDER OF SERVICE

Thursday, September 18, 2025, 3:00PM  
Q. L. Douglas Funeral Home  
MIXON TOWN CHAPEL  
2403 Edison Avenue | Jacksonville, Florida 32204

Welcome and Opening Remarks	Mrs. Teva Presley
Scripture Reading	Roslyn Brown-Holsey
Reflections on Life, Love, and Remembrance	Louis Pierce
Spoken Memories	Monique Ross
Reflection of Earl's Impact and Legacy	Jarrett Morene
Instrumental Selection	
Final Words of Comfort and Gratitude	Mrs. Teva Presley
Closing Remarks and Benediction	Mrs. Teva Presley
Recessional	

