## **Order Of Service**

#### Prelude

#### **Processional**

Receiving of family and friends from 2:00 until 2:30 p.m.

## **Scripture Readings**

Old Testament Psalms 23
Missionary Peggy Robinson

New Testament John 14:1-3 Reverend Cynthia Scott

# **Prayer of Comfort**

Rev. Cynthia Scott

## **Reading of Obituary**

Missionary Peggy Robinson

**Remarks/Reflections** 

### Song

"I'll Fly Away"





Antonio Algrier Rainey, of Gastonia, NC, was born November 28, 1975 in Gaston County. He departed this life on Saturday; March 5, 2022 at Caromont Regional Medical Center, Gastonia, North Carolina.

He attended Hunter Huss High School, Gastonia, NC and he received his GED from Gaston College, Dallas, NC. He spent many years as a cook at Market Street Buffet & Bakery, Gastonia, NC, as well as at Captain's D's, Gastonia, NC and McDonalds, Dallas, NC until his health failed.

He was man of few words but always caring and dependable.

He was preceded in death by his grandparents: David and Pearlene Rainey, his uncle: Michael Rainey and his brother: Adrian Reid.

Those left to cherish his memories are his parents: Bobby Reid, Sr. and Angela Rainey Reid of Gastonia, NC; his wife of fifteen years: Shasta Rainey; his three daughters: Maleeyah (17), Kimberly (14) and J'Monigue' (12) all of the home; his aunts: Ruby Boyce (QJ) and Cynthia Scott; his sisters: Tonya Springs, Rashica Reid and Anissa Reid, his brothers: Tobias Reid and Bobby Reid, Jr., and other relatives and friends.





#### **Tribute**

When I am gone, release me, let me go.
I have so many things to see and do.
You mustn't tie yourself to me with tears,
Be happy that we had so many years.
I gave you my love, you can only guess how much you gave me in happiness.

I thank you for the love you each have shown.

But not it's time I traveled on alone.

So grieve a while for me, if grieve you must,

Then let your grief be comforted by trust.

It's only for a whole that we must part.

So bless the memories within your heart.

I won't be far away, for life goes on.

So if you need me, call and I will com.

Though you can't see me or touch me, I'll be near.

And if you listen with your heart, you'll hear all my love around you, soft and clear.

And then, when you must come this way alone, I'll greet and say, "Welcome Home!"

#### **Note of Thanks**

With deep gratitude, we express our sincere thanks and appreciation to the many family and friends for the cards, flowers, and other expressions of kindness and sympathy shown during our bereavement.

#### **Services Entrusted to:**

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# In Loving Remembrance Of Mr. Antonio A. Rainey



Sunrise November 28, 1975 Sunset March 5, 2022

Gregory Funeral Service Chapel 601 N. York Street Gastonia, North Carolina

Wednesday; March 9, 2022 2:00 p.m.