

My Father, My Hero

As I ponder the love that I saw in his eyes,
A Godly love, given without compromise....
I recall many times that he stood by my side,
And prodded me on with great vigor and pride.

His voice ever confident, firm and yet fair,
Always speaking with patience, tenderness and care.
The power and might of his hands was so sure,
I knew there was nothing we couldn't endure.

It's true, a few others provided insight,
Yet, he laid the foundation that kept me upright.
He's the grandest of men to have lived on this earth,
Although he's not royal by stature or birth.

He's a man of great dignity, honor and strength.
His merits are noble, and of admirable length.
He's far greater than all other men that I know,
He's my Dad, he's my mentor, my friend and hero.

-Your Loving Daughter, Tiera LaShay Sharrow



Pallbearers

O-W Class of 1976 & Alex Govan

Flower Bearers

O-W Class of 1976



Acknowledgement

The family of the late Mr. Jonathan Sharrow would like to express their sincere gratitude to everyone for their kindness, comfort, support, and donations extended during this time of bereavement.

-The Sharrow Family

Arrangements Entrusted to:

Simmons Funeral Home and Crematory of Orangeburg
Simmons Funeral Home of Santee
Paul A. Simmons, Founder and President
2868 Columbia Road, Orangeburg, SC 29118
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Celebration of Life for

MR. JONATHAN SHARROW

ALPHA: **MARCH 2, 1958**

OMEGA: **JUNE 16, 2020**



SUNDAY, JUNE 21, 2020 AT 12:00 P.M.

Simmons Funeral Home Chapel
2868 Columbia Road
Orangeburg, SC 29118

REV. AUBREY BROWN, OFFICIATING

Order of Service

Prelude

Processional Clergy & Family

Hymn

Prayer of Comfort..... Minister Johnnie Jamison

Scripture

Old Testament Evangelist Eartha Glover

New Testament..... Minister Jerry Govan

Solo..... Brother Damien Washington

Remarks (2 minutes)..... Mr. Mark Schurman

Production Manager, Bimbo Bakeries

Mr. Erskine Reed

O-W Class of 1976

SelectionSister Madalyn Long

Words of Comfort..... Pastor Aubrey Brown

Committal & Benediction

Recessional

Interment

Belleville Memorial Gardens

2900 Belleville Road

Orangeburg, SC 29115



Reflection of Life

Mr. Jonathan Sharrow, the son of the late Mary L. Sharrow and the late George Jackson, was born March 2, 1958 in Orangeburg, South Carolina. He entered eternal rest on Tuesday, June 16, 2020 at the Regional Medical Center.

Jonathan was educated in the public schools of Orangeburg County and was a 1976 graduate of Orangebrug-Wilkinson High School.

He was employed by Utica Tool Company for five years and Bimbo Bakeries for 37 years, where he was a mixer.

Jonathan accepted Christ at an early age and was a member of St. Paul Baptist Church. He later joined Exodus Baptist Church, where he was a member of the usher board and Pastor's Aide Ministry.

Jonathan was a life-long Dallas Cowboy Fan!

Three sisters preceded him in death: Lessie Sharrow, Daisy Simmons and Queen Elizabeth Jackson.

Jonathan leaves to cherish fond memories, his loving wife of 36 years, Geneva Haigler Sharrow of the home; one daughter, his heart mind and soul, Tiera LaShay Sharrow (His little Drama Queen); two godsons: Carl (Shanda) Williams, Jr. and Maurice (Cortnea) Williams of Orangeburg, SC; six sisters: Vanessa (Roger) Polite, Patricia (Jimmie) Harrison, Deborah (Gary) Howell, Thomasina (Lucious) Shuler and Rose Marie (Lennie) Felix all of Orangeburg, SC and Addie (David) Jackson of New York, NY; three brothers: Timothy (Janelle) Richardson of Norristown, PA, Ronald (Teresa) Sharrow and George (Paulette) Jackson of Orangeburg, SC; four sisters-in-law: Betty Simmons of Jacksonville, FL, Mary Johnson of Columbia, SC, Annette (Rev. Carl) Williams of Cope, SC and Carla Haigler of Orangeburg, SC; two adopted sisters-in-law: Stella Amaker of Orangeburg, SC and Janice R. Carmichael of Titusville, FL; four brothers-in-law: Isaac (Patricia) Haigler, Thomas Haigler and Ernest (Angela) Haigler of Orangeburg, SC and John (Deidre) Haigler of Cope, SC; one uncle; two aunts; and a host of nieces, nephews, other loving relatives and dear friends.