



George Johnson

March 30, 1946 - September 10, 2021

George E. Johnson was born March 30, 1946 in Clarksville, Tennessee to Marion Hayes Glenn and Willie Beatrice Johnson.

He was baptized at a young age in Clarksville, Tennessee and was a member of Morning Star Missionary Baptist Church where he served as an usher, in the men's ministry and the grounds ministry. He graduated from Kankakee High School in 1964, where he played football, and attended Kankakee Community College.

George served in the United States Army during the Vietnam War. He was united in holy matrimony to the former Donella Mitchell on July 2, 1975. He worked for Ford Motor Company for 40 years.

George was a lot of fun and had an unforgettable, distinctive laugh. He was very generous, but you had to work to get it. He enjoyed yard work, fishing, word search puzzles, watching westerns and watching Wheel of Fortune.

He leaves to cherish his memory, his wife, Donella Johnson of Kankakee, IL; his sons, Byron Johnson of Channahon, IL, Barry Johnson of Bourbonnais, IL, Gary (Sherieda) McCrory of Los Angeles, CA, Qianas Wade of Milwaukee, WI and Torre (Kiara) White of Kankakee, IL; daughters, Bernetta (Jarvis) Harris and Shontell Mitchell, both of Kankakee, IL, Takema (Jermaine) Taylor of

Homewood Flossmoor, IL and Taira White of Belton, TX; brothers, Kenneth (Cynthia) Glenn of Louisville, KY, Carl Walker of Kankakee, IL and Gene (Marcis) Glenn of Michigan; sisters, Nancy Walker of Kankakee, IL, Janet McCue, Constance (Kenneth) Pryor and Betty (Michael) Gardiner, all of Louisville, KY; in-laws, L.C. Nutall and Arnella Nutall, both of Kankakee, IL and LeVon (Charlena) Nutall of Atlanta, GA; 21 grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren, and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

He was preceded in death by his father, Marion Hayes Glenn; his mother, Willie Beatrice Walker; a brother, Martini Walker and a sister, Essie Paden.

Cemetery Details

Mound Grove Cemetery

1000 N. Greenwood
Kankakee, IL

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 18. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

Morning Star
570 N. Harrison
Kankakee, IL

Service

SEP 18. 10:00 AM (CT)

Morning Star
570 N. Harrison
Kankakee, IL

Tribute Wall

DJ

“ I miss him so much. He was my biggest Fan & supporter. I do not feel life as I knew it will never be the same. I will love you forever my friend, lover & my husband. Not a perfect man but a kind, giving & caring human being. I love you baby.

Donella johnson - November 04, 2021 at 11:42 PM

DW

“ To the family my condolences



Debra Williams - September 20, 2021 at 07:41 AM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of George Johnson.



September 17, 2021 at 05:00 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of George Johnson.



September 17, 2021 at 03:42 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of George Johnson.*



September 17, 2021 at 11:48 AM



“ *Fred & Robin Gifford purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of George Johnson.*



Fred & Robin Gifford - September 17, 2021 at 10:51 AM



“ *Hey, GM Mrs. Donella & Barnetta I am so sorry for the loss of your Husband / Father so me and my family would like to send our condolences, sympathy, and prayers to you and your entire family. I know this is hard on you guys right now but George was a great person to be around he has always made me and my husband laugh at his jokes so we will miss him dearly R.I.P. my friend so family hang in there and God will make everything alright. Love you all .*



Jacqueline D. Harris-Shorter - September 17, 2021 at 08:45 AM

TR

To Barnetta & family, we offer our deepest condolences on losing your family patriarch. I know how special your Dad has been in all of your lives. May God give you strength during this time of sorrow, and I pray you take refuge in knowing that the love you share lives on.

Blessings to you,

Tashion Reeves & Family

Tashion Reeves - September 17, 2021 at 08:29 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of George Johnson.*



September 17, 2021 at 12:31 AM

LS

“ *Condolences to the family of George Johnson may God give you peace and comfort.*



LaJuene & Dwayne Sommerville - September 16, 2021 at 09:33 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of George Johnson.*



September 16, 2021 at 09:02 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of George Johnson.* ”



September 16, 2021 at 04:40 PM



“ *JOANN BOX lit a candle in memory of George Johnson* ”



JOANN BOX - September 16, 2021 at 12:47 PM



“ *Jackson Family lit a candle in memory of George Johnson* ”



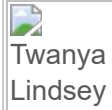
Jackson Family - September 16, 2021 at 12:28 PM



“ *Elayne Coffie lit a candle in memory of George Johnson* ”



Elayne Coffie - September 16, 2021 at 12:58 AM



“ Twanya Lindsey lit a candle in memory of George Johnson



Twanya Lindsey - September 16, 2021 at 12:21 AM



“ Shontell lit a candle in memory of George Johnson



Shontell - September 15, 2021 at 10:03 PM



“ America the Beautiful was purchased for the family of George Johnson.



September 15, 2021 at 09:38 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of George Johnson.



September 15, 2021 at 09:23 PM

JM

“ Janet McCue lit a candle in memory of George Johnson



Janet McCue - September 15, 2021 at 09:16 PM

EC

“ Our condolences from the SECURITY MINISTRY! Bro Johnson was a cool smooth man and had that laugh that would make u laugh! Rest easy soldier! Much love to the family

Enrico Calhoun - September 15, 2021 at 09:05 PM

EL

“ My condolences and prayers 🌸🙏🙏🙏



Ethel Lee - September 15, 2021 at 08:57 PM

MB

“ Minnie Brewer Brewster sent a virtual gift in memory of George Johnson



minnie brewer brewster - September 15, 2021 at 08:52 PM

CF

“ So sorry for your loss. Praying for the family
🙏🏻🕯️



Cherry Malone Marshall and family - September 15, 2021 at 08:50 PM

MM

“ Donella, Shontell, and Family,
Sorry for your loss, you and your family are in
our thoughts and prayers. Rest in Peace,
George.



Madonna Zasada and Sandra Mazzuchi - September 15, 2021 at 08:40 PM

CW

“ Cheryl Wilson lit a candle in memory of
George Johnson



Cheryl Wilson - September 15, 2021 at 02:25 PM



“ Prayers and Condolences to Family

Mattie Simon - September 15, 2021 at 12:54 PM

LS

“ *Sending prayers and blessings to his family
My friend Mrs Annie Johnson*



Lorraine Strickland - September 15, 2021 at 11:40 AM

PJ

“ *Patricia Jamison sent a virtual gift in memory of
George Johnson*



Patricia Jamison - September 15, 2021 at 10:58 AM

JB

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George Johnson*



JOANN BOX - September 15, 2021 at 10:23 AM



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the family of George Johnson.*



September 15, 2021 at 09:23 AM