

PALLBEARERS

Dominique Dade
MaCario Dade
Gregory Brown

Daniel R. Dade
Corey Tavernier
Andrew Dade

David Cole
Charles Dade Jr.
Dennis B. Dade

Christopher Dade
Edward Dade Jr.
JaQuan Davis

HONARARY PALLBEARERS

James Dade
Charles Dade
Edward Dade
Dennis Dade
David Dade
William Dade Jr.

Warren Dade
Keith Lovely
Joel Edwards
Shaylen Moore
Michael Dade
Deqontae Dade

Rodney Dade
Aaron Morrison Jr.
Sylon Washington

James Dade
Charles Dade
Edward Dade
Dennis Dade
David Dade

Christopher Jenkins
Christopher Jenkins Jr.
Anthony Hardy Jr.
Me'Kaillien Starr
Keyon Ross

THANK YOU

The family of William Earl Dade, Sr and Gladys Marie Jenkins wishes to express our sincere gratitude for your prayers, cards, visits, flowers and numerous expressions of love during the loss of our loved ones. Mere words cannot express the gratitude during the time of our grief and sorrow. We request your continued prayers in the days to come.

INTERMENT

Macedonia Baptist Church No. 2
489 E. Sibley Road Choudrant, La

REPAST

Liberty Christian Life Center
3220 Highway 165 S Monroe, LA 71202

ARRANGEMENTS INTRUSTED TO

Smith Funeral Home
907 Winnsboro Rd, Monroe, LA,
United States, Louisiana

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT / SPECIAL THANKS

We extend a special thanks to our Community, Supt. Dr. Odell Riley, Liberty Christian, and the members of Power House Church of God In Christ for opening their doors and hearts to accomodate our needs.

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a Celebration of LIFE



**WILLIAM
EARL DADE SR.**

APRIL 9, 1947

ALPHA

JUNE 10, 2024

OMEGA



**GLADYS
MARIE JENKINS**

JUNE 18, 1950

ALPHA

JUNE 9, 2024

OMEGA

SERVICES

SATURDAY, JUNE 15, 2024 • 11:00 A.M.

POWER HOUSE CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST

SUPERINTENDENT ODELL RILEY, PASTOR
2002 POWELL AVE • MONROE, LA 71203 318 • 324 • 8133

The Life and Legacy of

Gladys Marie Jenkins,

Gladys Marie Dade-Jenkins was born in Monroe, LA on June 18, 1950, the fourth child to the union of John and Annie Dade Sr. Gladys attended Booker T. Elementary School in Monroe and is a 1968 Graduate of Richwood High School. After graduating she went on to further her education at Southern A&M University in Baton Rouge Louisiana, majoring in interior designing. She united in holy matrimony with the late Leon Jenkins and to this union two children were born.

Gladys was employed at Bell South (formerly known as South Western Bell) for 32 years. In February 2004 she chose to retire from her role as a Switch Board Operator at Bell South in Montgomery, Alabama.

During her time in Alabama, Gladys was a member of the Zion Travelers Primitive Missionary Baptist church under the leadership of Rev. Weatherspoon. She was a faithful and active member of the choir, a VBS teacher, and she also served as a youth mentor.

After many years in Alabama, in 2018, Gladys made the decision to move back to her hometown Monroe, Louisiana. Following her relocation she joined the Power House Church of God In Christ under the leadership of Superintendent Dr. Odell Riley and was as a faithful member, holding fast to the saying, “Whatever your hands find to do”.

Gladys will be remembered for her love of people, her natural ability to teach, and love of games. She enjoyed spending time with her family.

Gladys was preceded in death by her Husband: Leon Jenkins; Parents: John and Annie Dade Sr.; Granddaughter: Gladys Delores Ross, Great Granddaughter: Kamaiya Wooten, Brother: John E. Dade Jr., and elder brother William Earl Dade Sr. who passed away just a day following her untimely passing, and Sister-in-law: Carolyn Dade. She leaves to cherish her memories two Children: Winifred Jenkins of Mesquite, Tx, Christopher Jenkins of Monroe, LA., two Stepsons: Landrance Berry and DeEdrick Ellis, Grandchildren: Christopher Jenkins Jr, Rina Neorah Israel (Tahan), Kyesha Starr, Anthony Handy Jr., Natajah Herbert, Shelia Elliss, Me'Kailien Starr, Keyon Ross, a God son, Jerry-Glen Gray of Texas.

Great-Grands: Zayne Starr, Zahari Starr, Majesty Starr, Dillon Starr, Tekoa Israel, Yahaira Israel, Markameron Wooten Jr, Me'Kailien Starr Jr, Xhyaan Starr, and Kinsley Ross.

Siblings: Edward Dade, William Dade, Dorothy Cole, James (Jennifer) Dade, Bertha (Daniel) Brown, Debra Dade, Janice Dade, Charles Dade, Dennis Dade, David Dade, Shelia (Charles) Price, Angela Dade, Michelle Wright, John Leonard, Ronald Thompson, Kimberly Price, Annie Jones (lifelong friend), a host of nieces, nephews, friends and relatives.



Our Family Chain

We little knew that day.
God was going to call your name.
In life we loved you dearly,
In death, do the same.

It broke our hearts to lose you.
You did not go alone.
For part of us went with you,
The day God called you home.

You left us beautiful memories,
Your love is still our guide.
And although we cannot see you,
You are always at our side.

Our family chain is broken,
And nothing seems the same,
But as God calls us one by one,
The chain will link again,

- Ron Tranmer

ORDER OF SERVICE

Musical Prelude		
Processional	.....	Clergy and Family
Old Testament Scripture	.....	Pastor Richard Long Sr.
New Testament Scripture	.....	Pastor Luther Black
Prayer	.....	Pastor Dewight Gatlin
Solo	.....	Sis. Felicia Barnes
Words of Comfort	.....	Pastor Elijah Weatherspoon
Acknowledgements and Resolutions		
Life Reflections	.....	Read Silently
Song	.....	Choir
Eulogy	.....	Supt Dr. Odell Riley
Parting View		
Recessional		

Mistress of Ceremony - First Lady Dr. LaFreada Riley



The Life and Legacy of *William Earl Dade Sr.,*

William Earl Dade Sr was born on April 9, 1947 the second child to the union of John and Annie Dade Sr. In 1969 he united in holy matrimony with Rose Maire and to the union 4 children were born. In his early life, he enjoyed basketball, reading and all types of research. He attended Booker T Elementary school and Richwood High school. He was affectionately known as “Dade”

Dade retired from Selicks Manufacturing in Monroe, LA. He later move to Springfield, MA. where he was employed at Milton Bradley as a forklift driver for over 20 years prior to his second retirement. In the latter part of his life, Dade moved back to his hometown of Monroe to be close to his family. His family was very special to him and he loved them dearly.

His family and friends will remember him for his love of reading all sorts of materials and books with a special interest in current events, history, and technology. He loved spirit filled discussions and debates on topics associated with his reading and research.

William is preceded in death by: Parents John and Annie Dade Sr, Grandson: Landon McCoy Lovely, Brother: John E. Dade Jr., Sister: ***Gladys M. Jenkins***; and Sister-in-law: Carolyn Dade.

He leaves to cherish his memories: Children: William Earl Dade Jr., Wanda Elizabeth Dade, Warren Eugene Dade, Xaviera Dade Lemons, Keith Lovely; Stepchildren: Artavia Gater, Demecca Gater-Harris, Trinity Torres, Yelena Torres, Rafael Torres, Leslie Barrett, Ronni Barrett, DeeAnn Barrett; Special Companion of over 20 years: Aurita Barrett (Springfield, MA.); Grandchildren (25), and Great Grandchildren (23).

Siblings: Edward Dade, Dorothy Cole, James (Jennifer) Dade, Bertha (Daniel) Brown, Debra Dade, Janice Dade, Charles Dade, Dennis Dade, David Dade, Shelia (Charles) Price, Angela Dade, Michelle Wright, John Leonard, Ronald Thompson and Kimberly Price.

And a host of nieces, nephews, friends and relatives.



Gladys'
FAMILY MEMORIES
FAITH • HOPE • LOVE
THE GREATEST OF THESE IS LOVE.



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FAMILY MEMORIES

