

I Thought of You Today I thought of you with love today, but that is nothing new. I thought about you yesterday, and days before that too. I think of you in silence, I often speak your name. All I have are memories and a picture in a frame. Your memory is a keepsake, with which I'll never part. God has you in His keeping, I have you in my heart.

~Author Unknown

## Acknowledgments

We are grateful to everyone for the kindness and support we received since the passing of our loved one.

The Family



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## Mr. Delano Chavez Walker, Sr.

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Friday, January 12, 2024

12:00 PM

Clark S. Brown & Sons Funeral Chapel 727 North Patterson Avenue Winston-Salem, North Carolina Bishop Kenneth D. Teal, Officiating Bishop Donald Keating, Eulogist

## Obituary

Mr. Delano Chavez Walker, Sr., affectionately known as "Lano", was born April 21, 1970 in Forsyth County, NC, the son of the late Leander Walker and Louise Davis (David) Heilig. His grandparents, Annie and Walter Davis, both preceded him in death. On December 15, 2023, much too soon, he passed away.

He attended area schools and chose a career in the construction industry where he honed his skills as a carpenter. Additionally he was formerly employed by the City of Winston-Salem.

Delano loved his children and they never missed receiving a call from him on their birthday. With attention to details, he loved being dressed in his lightly starched, neatly pressed pants and coordinating Polo shirts.

He leaves to cherish and honor his memory, his son, Delano Chavez Walker, Jr.; daughters, Kiana Walker, and April Boone; two grandchildren, Que'Yon Hunter and Raynard Miller; mother, Louise (David) Heilig; three brothers, Leander "Tyrone" (Cindy) Walker, Kennel Walker, and Keith Walker; three sisters, Valerie Walker (Cleveland Beasley), Tonda (Walter) Penn and Vettie Walker; a host of nieces, nephews, great -nieces and great-nephews, who loved him dearly; in addition to many other relatives and friends.

> Without Warning You left us without warning, Not even a goodbye. And we can't seem to stop Asking the question why? We did not see this coming It hit us by surprise. And when you left for heaven, A small part of us died. Your smile could brighten anyone's day No matter what they were going through, And every day, for the rest of our lives We will be missing you. ~Author Unknown

## **Order of Service**

Processional

Clergy and Family

**Family Visita**tion 11:30 AM ~ 12:00 PM

**Opening Remarks** Bishop Kenneth D. Teal **Scripture Readings Old Testament** Minister Robert Pollard New Testament Pastor Sharon Pollard **Prayer of Comfort** Minister Selection Apostle Cherry Teal **Reflections** (2 minutes per person) Friends Family Michelle White Poem Acknowledgements **Silent Reading of Obituary** Apostle Cherry Teal Selection Eulogy **Bishop Donald Keating** Recessional Parklawn Memorial Park Interment