

# Loving Expression

I thought of you 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 is memories and your pictures in a frame.  
Your memory is a keepsake from which I'll never part.  
God has you in His arm, I have you in my heart.

Love, Shannon

Farewell my beloved. May my tears cleanse the pain of  
your loss and bring in peace instead. You were a gem to  
this family, your memory could never fade.

Today is full of memories  
of a brother laid to rest  
and every single one of them  
is filled with happiness.  
For you were someone special  
always such a joy to know  
and there was so much pain  
when it was time to let you go  
That's why this special message  
is sent to heaven above  
for the angels to take care of you  
and give you all my love

Love,  
Jacqueline, Nina Kay & Terry

I wish I could spend more time with you while you were  
still alive. I wish I could prove to the whole world how  
much you meant to me. One thing is clear though; I will  
forever miss you daddy.

Love, Brandon & Laylin

## ACTIVE PALLBEARERS

Family and Friends

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Terry Jones	Jakobe Hall
Rodney Adams	Ira Mozee Jr.
Brandon Jones	Joel Shilo
Reginald Edwards Sr.	Jacob Thibodeaux

## OUR SINCEREST THANKS...

*"Blessed are they that mourn for they shall be comforted..."*

The family of Edgar Burton wish to express our most sincere appreciation for the many kind expressions of sympathy extended during our bereavement. Your caring efforts, thoughtfulness and your mere presence has not gone unnoticed and we appreciate and thank you for the time we shared celebrating the life loved ones. May the peace of God be with you forever.

- The Family of Edgar L. Burton -

## INTERMENT

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## CELEBRATING THE LIFE OF



Edgar Lavan  
Burton

*"The steps of a good man are ordered by the Lord..."*

Sunrise  
May 23, 1964

Sunset  
December 26, 2022



# His Journey

*"The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake. Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me."*

**(Psalm 23:1-6)**

**Edgar Lavan Burton** passionately known as "Apple Jack" was born May 23, 1964 to Carolyn Mays and biological father, Floyd McDonald and raised by his father Edward Lee Jones.

AppleJack was called home on Monday, December 26, 2022 with the love of his life Shannon Bess by his side.

He is preceded in death by his biological father, sister, brother, and niece.

Apple Jack was a member of Grace Missionary Baptist Church under the pastorate of R. Jamerson. He was also a member of the beloved group NU40 where he performed and promoted all of the Greater Houston area. He was well known. Apple Jack was known for his fashion and always dresses to impress. He was the life of the party and took family seriously. He was a "father figure" to many nieces and nephews. Calling often to check on family, his heart was BIG.

Apple Jack leaves loving memories to his biological children, Laylin and Brandon. His bonus children, Angelica, Drameisha, Shantrice, Adrianna. His mother, Carolyn Sue, Father Edward Lee. Sisters, Jacqueline, Nina Kay. Brother, Terry. Love of his life, Shannon and a host of family and friends to carry on memories of him.



# Celebration of Life

Tuesday, the 10th day of January, 2023  
Eleven O'clock in the Morning

**McCoy and Harrison Funeral Home Chapel**  
4918 Martin Luther King Blvd. • Houston, Texas 77021  
**Pastor Robert Jamerson, Officiant**

**Processional**  
Clergy and Family

**A Final Glimpse 'til Glory**

**Musical Selection**

**Scripture Reading**  
Old Testament - Jakobe Hall  
New Testament - Jessica Mozee

**Prayer of Comfort**  
Wesley LaFleur

**Expressions of Love**  
(Two Minutes Please)

**Musical Selection**

**Eulogy**  
Pastor Robert Jamerson  
Grace Missionary Baptist Church

**Funeral Directors in Charge**

**Recessional**  
Clergy and Family

*Please join the Memorial Repast after the Service at*  
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