

A portrait of George "Duke" Baylor, a bald Black man with a grey goatee and glasses, wearing a dark suit, white shirt, and blue striped tie. He is smiling slightly. The background is a scenic view of a body of water at sunset or sunrise, with a wooden dock and rope in the foreground. The sky is blue with white clouds and a bright sun low on the horizon.

IN
Loving Memory
OF

**GEORGE "DUKE"
BAYLOR**

July 12, 1953 – September 16, 2026

**September 25, 2026
11:00 am**

**Mt. Olive Missionary Baptist Church
2951 Evans Ave,
Fort Worth, TX 76104**



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"Going Up Yonder"

George Lee Baylor Jr., 73 years old. The Lord has called him home after a long illness. George "Duke" Baylor passed away at home with his loving wife by his side. His family were there to support him after battling his health issues.

George was a long-time resident of Fort Worth, Texas. He was born to Lena Ray and George Baylor, Sr., who preceded him in death. Years ago, he accepted Christ at a young age and was baptized. He loved God and our Mount Olive Church family.

His hobbies were playing chess, working on computers, welding, fishing and cooking. George worked for Fort Worth ISD for 27 years before retiring in 2009. He continued to work in his small business. George was commended for the outstanding work on the handrail built at the Board Room in Fort Worth ISD. He has completed numerous projects. Some of which include fences, handrails, gates, soccer goals, playground equipment and as a welder of Fort Worth ISD his legacy can be seen all over Fort Worth and the surrounding areas.. His most proud possessions are the smoker grill and trailer he built in 2015 and 2016 from hand. Duke loved to barbecue for holidays and special occasions. George's pride and joy was his wife, Roslyn, of 51 years of marriage. They were best friends. His sons whom he supported in sports and academics. George, whom he supported in basketball and Bryan, whom he supported in golf. And over the course of each's studies, not missing a single basketball game or a single Golf tournament. He very much so enjoyed visits with daughter Lyndsay and grandson Kairo Baylor.

George attended Morningside Middle School and Dunbar High School under Mr. Jacquet. He was in 4 years of ROTC, Honor Guard, and the High School Senior Choir. Duke loved music and loved to sing.

In the mornings, he started our prayers with, "God is Good, God Is Great!" Roslyn would finish the prayer.

Duke was a quiet man, but very intelligent and a critical thinker in all situations. George was a very active and involved father, husband, brother and friend. He was always there to give a helping hand.

We will deeply miss him and appreciate all that he has done for our family and extended family.

Left to cherish his precious memories are wife, Roslyn Baylor; sons, George Baylor III (Lyndsay) and Bryan Baylor; brother, Curtis Baylor Sr.; grandson, Kairo Baylor; nephews Curtis Baylor III, Eric Rodriguez, Oscar Turner, Anthony Turner; sisters Leslie Payne, Alex Davis, April Moody (Addison, Adian), Christopher Valentine (Fran), Jada Valentine, Germaine Valentine, Jason Valentine, Delonda Dean, and Shaquanda & Jayla of Austin, Texas; and many other cousins and friends.

ORDER OF SERVICE

Processional Minister and Family

"HE KNOWS MY NAME "

By: Tasha Cobb
(viewing)

Musical Selection
"PRECIOUS LORD"
By: Aretha Franklin

The Holy Scriptures:
Old TestamentMinister
New TestamentMinister
PrayerMinister

Musical Selection
"GOD HAS SMILED ON ME"
By: James Cleveland

ResolutionMt. Olive Missionary Baptist
(All Others Please Pass In)

Special Remarks
Bryan Lee Baylor
George Lee Baylor III

Song of Comfort
"GOING UP YONDER"
By: Walter Hawkins

The Message
Reverend William T. Glynn, Pastor

Recessional
"GOING UP YONDER"
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A Loving Father, A Loving Grandfather

Psalms 23

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.

Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies:

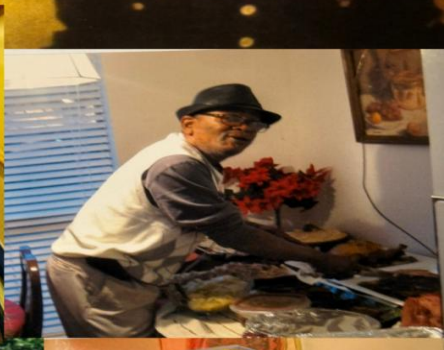
thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over.

Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life:

and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.

Forever In Our Hearts





Acknowledgements

We wish to express our sincerest thanks for all the prayers, flowers, cards, and other expressions of love during our time of bereavement. Whatever you did to console our hearts; we thank you so much. We all love you and may God bless and keep you all.

Pall Bearers

George Baylor III
Bryan Baylor
Anthony Turner
Curtis Baylor Sr.

Wallace Parker Sr.
Curtis Baylor II
Wallace Parker Jr.
Austen Parker

Interment

Cedar Hill Memorial Park Cemetery
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Arlington, TX 76001

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