



Family…That's Love











"I had rather be a doorkeeper in the house of my God, than to dwell in the tents of wickedness."

Psalm 84:10 KJV

Flower Bearers

Trinity Hairston
Jada Harris
Bilan White
Melissa Kinley

Pall Bearers

Terry M. Hairston, IV
Tyren M. Hairston
Larry J. Harris
Paul Jones, Jr.
Benjamin Kinley
Chester Ford

Acknowledgement

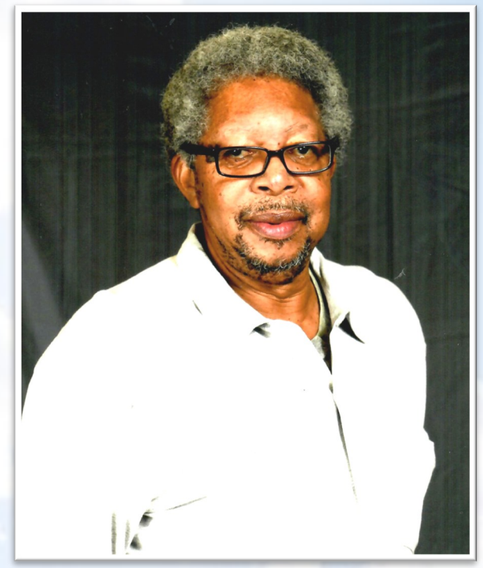
Our thanks to those who thoughtfully prayed for us or otherwise provided comfort for our grieving hearts. Our lives will be forever changed without our Larry Stanley Harris. With much gratitude, we embrace your efforts to help us on this new journey.

The Family

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Service In Loving Memory



Mr. Larry Stanley Harris

November 7, 1948 - September 24, 2026

Friday, October 2, 2026
1:00 PM
First Waughtown Baptist Church
838 Moravia Street
Winston-Salem, North Carolina 27107
Rev. Dr. Dennis W. Bishop, Officiating

The Obituary

Mr. Larry Stanley Harris, affectionately known as “Mr. Larry, Big L., Nemo, and Mush/Gush”, was born in Stanford, Kentucky on November 7, 1948 to the late Ed Harris and Lucille Helm. On September 24, 2026, after a brief illness, he passed away at Novant Medical Center.

Larry graduated from McKinney High School in 1967. He was later united in marriage to the love of his life, Geraldine Ford Harris. They were happily blessed with three beautiful children.

Known as a man who never met a stranger, he loved everyone he came in contact with. His career, for many years, consisted of employment with R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company as a forklift operator. He retired in 2014. He still remained in contact with some of his retired co-workers and would meet them quarterly for brunch.

He was a devoted member of Greater Faith Empowerment Church under the leadership of Pastor Tony Neal, Sr. There he served faithfully on the Usher Board until his battle with COVID began.

Larry was an avid collector of clocks. He loved treasure hunting for them at all the local Goodwill stores. He was a lover of sports and particularly liked watching UNC Basketball and Carolina Panthers Football.

His greatest joy was his family, his children, grandchildren, great-grandson and son-in-law, as well as many extended family and friends. He enjoyed family gatherings and listening to the “golden oldies”. He was always fun to be around and will be remembered as a kind, thoughtful and loving person.

Larry was preceded in death by his wife, Geraldine Ford Harris; his parents, Ed Harris and Lucille Helm; his brother, Ollie Simpson, Jr.; and grandson, Terry Hairston, III.

He leaves to cherish his memory, his children: Melinda Harris, Teresa Hairston (Terry II), Larry Harris, Jr. (Shana); grandchildren: Terry Hairston, IV, Tyren Hairston, Trinity Hairston, Larry Harris and Jada Harris; great-grandchildren: Kian Kelleher; his sister, Barbara Helm; his brothers, Bradley Helm (Bessie), Clifford Helm; bonus grandsons: Adrian Graham, III and Paul Jones, Jr.; and a host of nieces, nephews, extended family, church family, and countless friends whose lives he lovingly touched.

Order of Service

Processional

Clergy and Family

Family Visitation

12:00 PM ~ 1:00 PM

Opening Remarks
Rev. Dr. Dennis Bishop, Pastor

Opening Prayer
Rev. Arthur Wadelington

Selection
Ms. Kiera Whitaker

Old Testament
Pastor Renee Jefferson

New Testament
Minister Michael Jefferson

Prayer of Comfort
Pastor Tony Neal, Sr.

Selection
Mr. Eugene Norman

Special Tributes

Remarks
Family and Friends
(Limited to 2 minutes)

Selection
Ms. Kiera Whitaker

Eulogy
Rev. Dr. Dennis W. Bishop

Interment
New Evergreen Cemetery
2325 New Walkertown Road
Winston-Salem, North Carolina

Forever in Our Hearts





Time Is

Time is
Too slow for those who wait,
Too swift for those who fear,
Too long for those who grieve,
Too short for those who rejoice,
But for those who love, time is
Eternity.

~ Henry VanDyke

