

In Loving Memory of our Wonderful Uncle

Of all the special gifts in life
however great or small,
to have you as our Uncle
was the greatest gift of all.

May the winds of love blow softly
and whisper in your ear
“We love and miss you Uncle
and wish that you were here”

Deep in our hearts, your life is kept to
love and cherish, not to forget. No more
tomorrows we can share
but yesterday are always there.

A silent thought, a secret tear
keep your memory ever near
in our hearts forever.

The Chain

We knew little that morning
That God was going to call your name.
In life we loved you dearly.
In death we do the same.
It broke our hearts to lose you,
You did not go alone,
For part of us went with you,
That day God called you HOME.
You left us
peaceful memories,
Your love is still our guide:
And though 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

Flower Bearers

Friends & Family

Acknowledgements

The family wishes to acknowledge with deep
appreciation the many expressions of love,
concern, prayers, and kindness shown to them
during this hour of bereavement.
May God Bless and Keep You!
- The family of Thomas Alvin Powell



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In Loving
MEMORY



Thomas Alvin Powell

December 2, 1948 - August 1, 2025

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Monday, August 18, 2025

Visitation: 2:00 pm - Funeral Service: 3:00 pm

Walker - Walnut Hills

2625 Gilbert Avenue | Cincinnati, Ohio 45206

Fr. Rey Taylor, Officiating

Obituary

Thomas Alvin Powell, affectionately known as “AL” was born on December 2, 1948, to the late Thomas Powell Sr. and Lerline Powell (nee Brooks) in Cincinnati, Ohio. Alvin departed this life on Friday, August 1, 2025.

Alvin accepted Christ at an early age. He was baptized at St. Joseph's Catholic Church. He graduated from Taft High School in 1966. Alvin enjoyed working with his co-workers at the post office.

He was a hard-working man who enjoyed spending time with family & friends. He enjoyed watching the Cincinnati Reds and Cincinnati Bengals on TV. Alvin enjoyed watching General Hospital for over 50 years. Alvin loved music and was an excellent chess player.

Alvin was preceded in death by his mother and father, sisters Darnetta Powell, Gloria Jean Powell, and brother Robert Powell.

He leaves to cherish his memories son Thomas Alvin Wade, six grandchildren: Thomas A. Wade Jr., Dion T. Wade, Chris Marlow, Kenya Marlow, Shanteis Booker, Shanice K. Wade, and great-grandchildren. Brothers Gordon (Johnetta) Powell, Vernon (Doreatha) Powell. A host of nieces and nephews, cousins, family, and friends. Also, Special Niece Shante Powell and Special friend George Williams.



I'm Free

Don't grieve for me for now I'm free,
 I'm following the path God laid for me
 I took his hand when I heard him call,
 I turned my back and left it all
 I could not stay another day,
 To laugh, to love, to work or play
 Tasks left undone must stay that way,
 I've found that peace at the close of day
 If my parting has left a void,
 Then fill it with remembered joy
 A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,
 Ah yes, these things I too will miss
 Be not burdened with times of sorrow,
 I wish for you the sunshine of tomorrow
 My life's been full, I've savored much,
 Good friends, good times, my loved one's touch
 If my time seemed all too brief,
 Don't lengthen it now with undue grief
 Lift up your heart, rejoice with me,
 God wanted me now, He set me free.

Order of Service

Musical Prelude	Father Reynaldo Taylor
Parting View	Immediate Family
Prayer	Father Reynaldo Taylor
Scripture	Father Reynaldo Taylor
Selection	Pam Crumbley
Acknowledgements	Valerie Powell
Remarks	Student Minister Dyrle Muhammad Family & Friends
Obituary	Read Silently
Selection	Pam Crumbley
Eulogy	Father Reynaldo Taylor
Benediction	Father Reynaldo Taylor
Recessional	Clergy, Family & Friends