

HIS SMILE

*Though his smile is gone forever
and his hand we cannot touch.
We have so many memories
of the one we loved so dearly.
His memory is now our keepsake.
Which we will never part.
God has him in his keeping
We hold him in our hearts.
Sadly missed but never forgotten.*

INTERMENT

*Glen Rest Memorial Estate
8029 E. Main St., Reynoldsburg, Ohio 43068*

PALLBEARERS

Timmy Boykins, Nephew Tayvian Boykins, Great Nephew Michael Cherry, Brother-in-law Warren Barnett, Brother-in-law George Barnette, Brother-in-law Quinzell King, Nephew

A WORD OF THANKS

*We, the family of **Algonto Grant Jackson**, wish to extend our sincere thanks and appreciation to everyone for your love, support, prayers, thoughts and kindness during this difficult time. In addition to phone calls, text messages, cards, and gift of wind chimes, It is deeply appreciated and will always be remembered.*

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HONORING THE LIFE
AND LEGACY OF

**ALGONTO GRANT
JACKSON**

AFFECTIONATELY KNOWN AS
"TONY" & TONIO"

JULY 3, 1973 — APRIL 25, 2026

Friday, May 15, 2026 | 11:00 am

*Marlan Gary Funeral Home, The Chapel of Peace, East
5456 E. Livingston Ave., Columbus, OH 43232*

ORDER OF SERVICE

Organ Prelude

Chapel Of Peace Music Ministry

Scriptures

Old Testament: Psalm 29:11

Old Testament: Proverbs 3:5-6

New Testament: John 14:27

Minister Anthony D. McSwain

Prayer of Comfort

Minister Anthony D. McSwain

Obituary (Silent Reading)

Words of Remembrance from Family and Friends

(Please keep under 2 minutes)

Words Of Comfort

Minister Anthony D. McSwain

Final Viewing

"See You Again"

by Wiz Khalifa and Charlie Puth

Recessional

"Precious Lord, Take My Hand"

by Mahalia Jackson

LOVING TRIBUTES

Dear Algonto,

In the spring of 1995, we met the old-fashioned way - at a club through mutual friends. You told me your name was Algonto, but I didn't believe you until you showed me your driver's license as proof. I said, "Oh, okay, now that's different, okay." You always "got and understood" my sense of humor and never once judged me or I had to explain myself. We decided to do this together and in the summer of 1999 we said, "I do." In the summer of 2002, we welcomed our baby boy. Over the many years of parenthood, our son experienced job opportunities, an engagement, college graduation and the purchase of a home. We eventually became empty nesters and prepared to celebrate our son's wedding in the spring of 2026. Unfortunately, you were called home, you told me, "I'm going home, I'm going home, going home." I was really praying and hoping that "I'm going home" wasn't what it turned out to be.

The second half of our lives was meant to include trips to places like Niagara Falls on the Canadian side, a visit to New York City to be true tourists, travel to Florida, Puerto Rico and get our passports to travel to the Caribbean. Since you have gone home, the second half of my life will be completely different—something I had not planned for. I will do my very best to take those trips, though not alone, of course. When the time comes for our son to start his own family, you will always be "Paw-Paw," and our future grandchildren will know who you were through pictures and many stories. Until we meet again, yours always, CharBear.

Dear Dad,

I can't believe I'm writing this right now... Everything happened so quickly... Selfishly I wish you was still here but at the same time I didn't want to watch you suffer, just not with this kind of outcome. The weekend before you had passed will be forever my favorite moments with you. Us, family and friends all bonding watching WWE, laughing, hooting and hollering, and even doing all the entrances of the wrestlers... Who knew mom can hit a pitch perfect Randy Orton pose... What a beautiful last memory. Don't worry, I will continue to be there for Mom and continue to make you proud. More importantly I will continue to be the superhero that you were for me. Have fun in paradise with your mother and siblings.

Love you and see you later,

Your Little Big Man,

Eli



As you step out today,
May angels watch over you
May angels lead you
May peace accompany you
May grace go before you
May love and light surround you.
May kindness spread from you
May goodness and love follow you.
May lessons teach you
May family support you
May friends encourage you.
May God protect and bless you
May your day be filled with love, peace and joy.

Romans 15:13

*May the God of hope fill you with all joy
and peace as you trust in him, so that you may
overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.*

OBITUARY

Algonto Grant Jackson was born in Man, WV to the late Fannie Ann Jackson on July 3, 1973. "The last of the Mohicans" his beloved mother affectionately called him.

Algonto was educated in the Man, WV school district. Upon completion he moved to Columbus, OH and later to Reynoldsburg, OH where he made his home since May 18, 2000. Algonto was a long time and dedicated employee at Tomasco Mulciber, Amazon and Road Safety Traffic Systems as a Traffic Control Flagger. He was known for his strong work ethic and commitment on the job. He was a passionate sports fan who faithfully cheered for his teams: the Chicago Bears, the LA Lakers, professional wrestling, and the Ohio State college football. Algonto enjoyed watching old Western movies and shows. He also cherished spending time with his family.

Algonto found joy in the simple things like driving around Columbus to relax, to discover new places to eat, unwinding with his favorite video games and having conversations about all things sports. He treasured the many family vacations, family gatherings and looked forward to many more. Algonto was the "Uncle Tony" that the kids gravitated towards. He loved tossing the ball, playing street ball, shooting hoops, carrying the kids on his back and shoulders, playing on the grass with them and making them laugh. Whenever he had time, he enjoyed traveling to Man High School, home of the Hillbillies, to watch his high school's first football game of the season. His infectious laugh, long eyelashes, smiling eyes, dancing and cracking jokes. Algonto will be deeply missed and he will forever be in our hearts.

He was preceded in death by his beloved mother Fannie Ann Jackson, an unborn daughter, Anessa J. Jackson, his brothers, Tommy Lee Jackson, James R. Jackson and Anthony "Rock" Jackson.

He is survived by his wife Charlene B. Jackson, of 26 years. His son Algonto Elijah Grant Jackson (Dymond M. Santiago) of Canal Winchester, OH. His brother Robert (Sharon) Jackson of Newport News, VA; and his sisters, Vivian A. Jackson of Queens, NY. Lisa M. Boykins of Amherstdale, WV. Margaret "Michelle" Mitchell of Logan, WV and Donna S. (Michael) Cherry. He's also survived by his mother-in-law, Laurine Barnett, four sisters-in-law, four brothers-in-law, a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

