



JEROME

A N T H O N Y

Hawkins Jr.

PALLBEARERS

Daniel Wells Nicholas Malan Darius Robinson
Malcolm Adair Treymon Allen Austin Evans
Matthew Johnson Isiah Jackson

HONORARY PALLBEARERS

Roy Tucker IV Roy Tucker V Jose Moreno
Travis Malan Gerard Clemons Christian Jordan

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

DURING THESE MOST DIFFICULT HOURS
FAMILY AND GOOD FRIENDS ARE TRULY A BLESSING.

WE THANK GOD FOR THE PRECIOUS GIFTS
OF LOVE, FAMILY AND FRIENDSHIP. WE THANK
EACH OF YOU FOR REMINDING US THAT THE
UNCHANGABLE LOVE OF GOD IS A FOUNTAIN
OF STRENGTH AND SERENITY.

MAY GOD RICHLY BLESS EACH OF YOU AS
HE CONTINUES TO SUSTAIN US IS OUR

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HOMEGOING CELEBRATION

JEROME

A N T H O N Y
Hawkins Jr.

NOVEMBER 18, 1998 | DECEMBER 3, 2025

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 19, 2025
FELLOWSHIP RIGHT BAPTIST CHURCH
4700 PITTMAN RD. | KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI 64133

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REMEMBERING

JEROME ANTHONY *Hawkins Jr.*

JEROME ANTHONY HAWKINS JR., lovingly known as "Bullet," of Kansas City, Missouri, passed away on Wednesday, December 3, 2025, at the age of 27. Jerome was born on November 18, 1998, to Jerome Hawkins Sr. and Lori Wells. Like his only son, Jerome Sr.'s life was also taken at an early age when Jerome Jr. was just two years old.

Jerome understood salvation at a young age and knew the importance of having a relationship with God. While in middle school, he was baptized, committing his life to Christ.

As a child, Jerome was exceptionally athletic and developed a lifelong love for sports, including football, track, skiing, and basketball. His phenomenal speed earned him the nickname "Bullet," a name that followed him with pride. Jerome graduated in 2017 from Blue Springs South High School as an honors student and later attended Missouri Western State University.

Shortly after beginning college, Jerome's life took an unexpected turn when he began to experience depression and unmanageable behavioral challenges. He was later diagnosed with schizophrenia. For a few years, Jerome struggled to understand these changes and at times turned to street drugs in an attempt to cope with his fear and confusion.

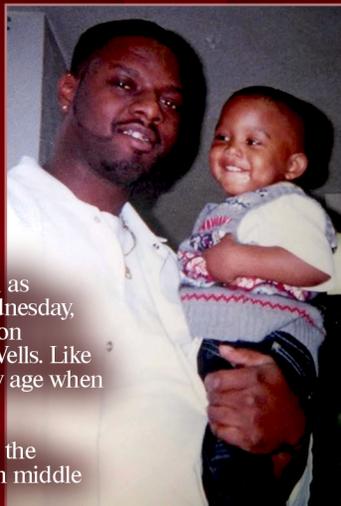
Despite these challenges, Jerome demonstrated tremendous courage and resilience. He reclaimed control of his life and accepted the help he needed. Through the support of numerous community organizations, family, and ongoing treatment, Jerome made remarkable strides and experienced a renewed sense of hope and stability.

Recently, Jerome proudly earned a Manufacturing Certification and celebrated this achievement with joy and confidence. He was also faithfully attending First Regular Baptist Church under the leadership of his uncle, Pastor Paul Hawkins, where he served the Lord with devotion.

Jerome was preceded in death by his father, Jerome Hawkins Sr., and his grandfathers, John Sanders, Roy Tucker III, and James Davis.

He leaves to cherish his memory his parents, Daniel and Lori Wells; his sister, Taylor Wells, his brother, Damarion Bennett; and his grandmothers, Brenda Davis, Linda Sanders, and Michelle Bridges. He is also survived by a host of uncles, aunts, cousins, and friends who loved him deeply.

Jerome's life, though brief, was filled with faith, love, resilience, and purpose. His memory will forever remain in the hearts of all who knew and cherished him.



ORDER *of Service*

Prayer

Rev. Paul Hawkins

Scripture

Rebecca Smith

Musical Selection

Ryan Strickland Sr.

Words Of Reflection

Nicholas Malan

Blue Springs South Tribute

Rasheedah Myers

Nancy Allen

Falcons Tribute

Acknowledgments

Rayshonda Johnson

Musical Selection

Ryan Strickland Sr.

Video

Danielle Malan

Words of Comfort

Pastor Mike Jones

Benediction

Recessional

