

Revelations 21:4

And God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes;
and there shall be no more death, neither sorrow,
nor crying, neither shall there be any more pain;
for the former things have passed away.



Acknowledgements

The family of Stanley Battle gratefully acknowledges the many kind deeds and comforting expressions of sympathy and support extended during our time of bereavement. May God bless and keep you always.

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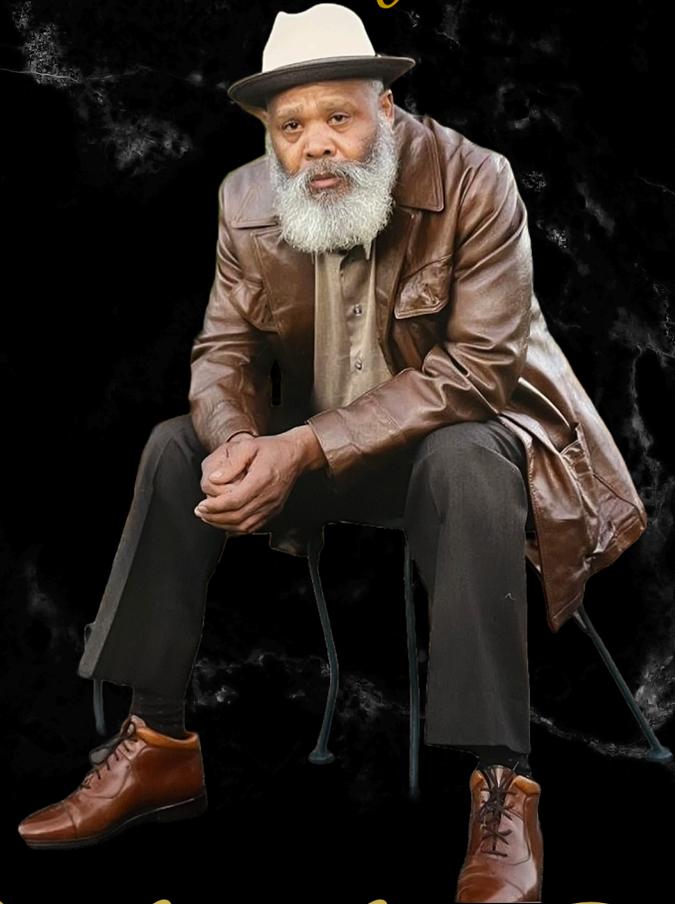
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Stanley Ishman Battle

August 24, 1954 - August 17, 2023

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Stanley is the Love of my Life...

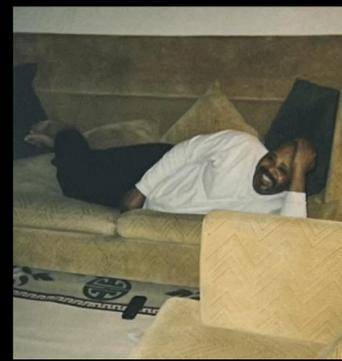
The minute I got on the back of Stanley's motorcycle,
I was in love.
He was a fun person, always making me laugh.
Stanley was a good guy.
He would do anything for anyone,
even a stranger.

I had the pleasure of being his wife since April 2, 1999
We married on his mom's birthday,
that way he couldn't forget our anniversary.

We had been through some ups and downs,
but we loved each other.
He always ended his phone calls,
"Stef, you know I love you."

I'll be missing you Stanley,
I will always love you!

*Your Loving Wife,
Stephanie Mackey-Battle*





Ecclesiastes 3:9-13

What do workers gain from their toil?
 I have seen the burden God has laid on the human race.
 He has made everything beautiful in its time.
 He has also set eternity in the human heart; yet no one
 can fathom what God has done from beginning to end.
 I know that there is nothing better for people than to
 be happy and to do good while they live.
 That each of them may eat and drink,
 and find satisfaction in all their toil -
 this is the gift of God.





HIS Journey



Stanley Ishman Battle, aged 68, passed away on August 17, 2023, leaving a legacy of love and cherished memories. Born on August 24, 1954, in Gadsden, Alabama, Stanley was the beloved son of the late Lawrence Battle Sr. and Ruth Lipscomb Battle. His journey through life took him from his southern roots to Cleveland, Ohio, where he would build a life rich in family, friendship, and adventure.

At an early age, Stanley's family relocated to Cleveland, and it was there that his vibrant spirit truly blossomed. Alongside his siblings, Stanley - along with his older sister Sherry, brothers Lawrence Jr. and Phillip - grew up in the heart of the city, shaping the foundation of a strong and tight-knit family bond.

During his youth, Stanley embraced the thrill of sports in his neighborhood, participating in little league baseball, football, and basketball. His athletic prowess was a testament to his determination and skill, especially on the basketball court where he shone as a star player. His commitment to excellence led him to graduate from John Marshall High School in 1972, a milestone that marked the beginning of a remarkable journey.

After high school, Stanley furthered his education at Tri-C Community College and embarked on a career path that would span over four decades. His achievements extended beyond the classroom as he joined United Auto Workers Local 1250, contributing to their Eastern States Championship victory in 1979. Throughout his life, Stanley took on diverse roles, including positions at the Post Office, Grubach Trucking Service, and USF Holland as a skilled Truck Driver.

Stanley's passions extended far beyond his professional pursuits. He had a special talent for restoring cars, trucks, and motorcycles, a hobby that brought him immense joy and satisfaction. His companionship with his faithful Pit Bulls and Mastiffs, particularly his beloved Sapphire and Napoleon, showcased his deep affection for dogs.

However, perhaps the most remarkable chapter in Stanley's life was the love story he shared with Stephanie Mackey. Childhood friends who had journeyed through life together, their love culminated in a union on April 2, 1999 - a date Stanley held close to his heart as it coincided with his mother's birthday.

Stanley's legacy lives on in the hearts of those he leaves behind. He is survived by his loving wife Stephanie, his mother Ruth Lipscomb-Battle, his sister Sherry Boykin, brother Lawrence Battle Jr., his children Tomra Howard, Juan Norman, and Juanita Norman, his stepson Melvin "Shawn" Dailey, his adoring grandchildren Elayne and Gregory, and his treasured great-grandchild Kaleia. He also leaves behind a host of nieces and nephews, including Eric Price, Erica Davis, Jennifer Tidwell, Phylisha Carter, Shawna Carter, Kaila Boykins, Victoria Anderson, Christopher Johnson, and LaTonia Campbell.

Though Stanley was preceded in death by his father Lawrence Battle Sr. and brother Phillip Battle, his vibrant spirit and unforgettable personality endure in the hearts of those who knew him. Stanley was a man who spoke his mind, often with a mixture of humor and frankness that could evoke laughter or surprise. He was known for saying, "What's up, Muthaf*cka!"

As we mourn the passing of Stanley, we extend our heartfelt gratitude to all who have shared kind words, compassion, and love during this difficult time. His absence will be deeply felt, but his memory will forever live on. Today, on what would have been his 69th birthday, we celebrate the life of a man who left an indelible mark on our lives. Happy birthday my love, we will all miss you.

The family would also love to commemorate our sincere love and appreciation to Stephanie Mackey-Battle, a beautiful display of dedication in human form. We thank you.

A beautiful soul is never forgotten, always
remembered, forever cherished.

