
FINAL RESTING PLACE

Pine Hill Cemetery
524 NW 54th Ave., Des Moines, Iowa 50313

REPAST

Friday, July 3, 2026
Time: 5:00pm-12:00am
Alive Fellowship Hall
2725 Douglas Avenue
Des Moines IA 50310

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

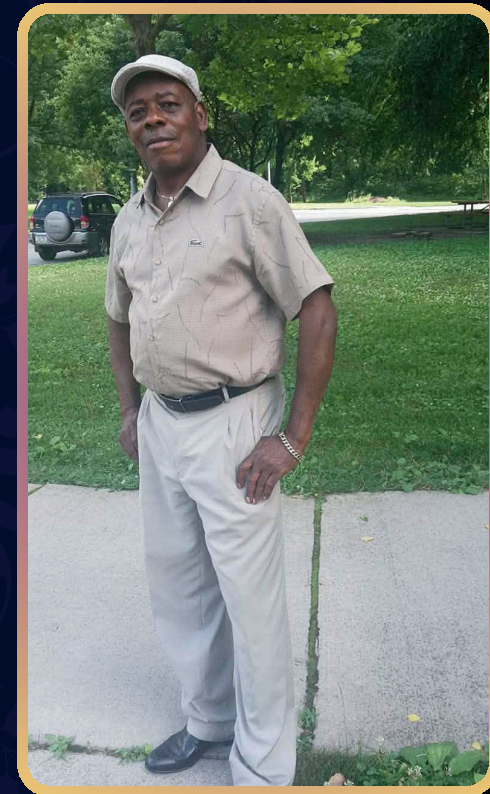
The family of the late Whaye Bleweay sincerely thanks everyone for their love, prayers, and support during this difficult time. Your presence, kind words, and gestures of sympathy have brought us comfort and strength.

With heartfelt gratitude,
The Family of Whaye Bleweay



Homegoing Celebration of

WHAYE BLEWEAY



JULY 23, 1961 - JUNE 1, 2026

FRIDAY, JULY 3, 2026, 1:00 P.M.

Hendersons Funeral & Cremation Care
3500 6th Ave., Des Moines, Iowa 50313

OBITUARY

Whaye was born on July 23, 1961, in Polar Town, Gbarzon District, Republic of Liberia, to Paris Joseph Karyee Bleweay and Annie Bleweay. From an early age, he embodied the values of perseverance, humility, and compassion that would define his life.

In 1980, Whaye met the love of his life, Betty Jelldah, while serving as an officer in the Liberian military. Together, they built a life centered on faith, love, and family. Their union was blessed with six children: Beatrice, Emmanuel, Prince, Faith, Stanley, and Winston. Through the years, they were also blessed with eighteen grandchildren, each of whom brought him immense joy and pride.

Following the hardships of the Liberian Civil War, Whaye courageously sought a brighter future for his family. In 2004, he and his loved ones settled in Burlington, North Carolina, where they began rebuilding their lives. Although North Carolina always held a special place in his heart, Whaye later moved to Iowa in pursuit of better employment opportunities, continuing to demonstrate the determination and selflessness that characterized his life.

Whaye will always be remembered as a loving and hardworking man who placed his family above all else. He was a dependable friend, a caring companion, and a father whose guidance, strength, and unconditional love shaped the lives of his children and grandchildren. His warm smile, generous spirit, and willingness to help others left a lasting impression on everyone fortunate enough to know him.

His legacy lives on not only through his family but also through the many lives he touched with his kindness, resilience, and quiet strength. Though his physical presence is no longer with us, his love, wisdom, and example will remain forever in the hearts of those who knew and loved him.

Whaye Julius Kar Bleweay was deeply loved and will be profoundly missed. May his memory continue to inspire us to live with compassion, work with integrity, and love our families wholeheartedly.

"Those we love never truly leave us. They live on in the kindness they shared, the lives they touched, and the memories we hold close forever."

ORDER OF SERVICE

Opening prayer- Pastor Moses Ward

Welcome Statement

Musical Selection

Obituary Reading- family member

Musical Selection

Reflection & Tributes

Musical Selection

Remarks- family member

Closing prayer

