

THE BROKEN 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,
 The 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 to be the same,
 But as God calls us one by one,
 The chain will link again.*

PALLBEARERS
 Nephews and Cousins

FLOWER LADIES
 Nieces and Cousins

A CELEBRATION OF LIFE FOR

Andre Demetrice Johnson



REPAST:

Macedonia Missionary Baptist Church Fellowship Hall

INTERMENT:

Woods Family Cemetery
 280 Blue Woods Road, Covington, GA

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

We are profoundly thankful for the outpouring of love, prayers and heartfelt support from our family and friends. Your acts of compassion and encouragement have been a divine reminder of God's presence and grace in our lives. No words can truly express the gratitude in our hearts. We have been richly blessed by your kindness. Please continue to lift our family in prayer as we walk by faith and trust in His perfect will.

The Johnson Family

A special Thank You to Macedonia Missionary Baptist Church for the use of their sanctuary and fellowship hall.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES ENTRUSTED TO:



Lester Lackey & Sons Funeral Home, Inc.
 1163 Reynolds Street SW
 Covington, GA 30014, Phone: 770-786-6177



*"I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race,
 I have kept the faith"*

Timothy 4:7

January 21, 1972 - October 4, 2025

Saturday, October 11, 2025

11:00 AM

Macedonia Missionary Baptist Church
 2051 Henderson Mill Road, Covington, GA 30014

Pastor Charles Prescott II, Pastor
 Pastor Kenneth Norrington, Eulogist



Life Reflections

Andre, affectionately known as “Dre”, was born in Clinton, North Carolina, to Mrs. Georgia Johnson and Mr. Rodney Johnson. He was preceded in death by his father, Rodney Johnson; his brother, Jarvis “Nat” Carr; his beloved grandmother, “Mama Dancy”, and his uncle Charles (Chick) Dixon Johnson.

Andre graduated from Union High School, Class of 1990, in Clinton, NC. He attended North Carolina Central University and earned a degree in Criminal Justice from Strayer University in Georgia.

On June 26, 2010, Andre married the love of his life, Ashley Bailey. In his own heartfelt words: *“We both entered into an agreement before God, friends, and family to love, honor, and take care of one another. That day she became Mrs. Johnson, and it was undoubtedly one of the greatest days of my life. I’ve been blessed with everything magnificent in a spouse. From that union we welcomed two beautiful girls along with my son and created countless memories. These years have been priceless. I truly look forward to spending the rest of my life with you and our children. I love you through this lifetime and the next one.”*

He was an avid fan of the Philadelphia Eagles, loved grilling, traveling, and spending quality time with family creating moments that will live on forever.

On October 4, 2025, Andre gained his wings and joined his heavenly Father. His radiant smile, sharp wit, and sense of humor will live on in our hearts and memories.

Cherished and Loved by: His devoted wife, Ashley Johnson; children, Amari Johnson, Adryan Johnson and Addyson Johnson; honorary son, Ashanti Walker; mother, Georgia Beatty (James); sister, Lashana Gray Minns (Andre); Mother-in-law, Sandra Woods-Bailey; Father-in-law, Thaddeus Bailey Brother-in-law, Jarvis Woods (Pachon); Sister-in-law, Teja Ray (Morris); Nieces, Jasmine Gray (Tremaine), Kiera Woods and Deja Ray; nephews, Antonio “A.J.” Gray, Devyn Ray, Deon Ray and Dylan Ray; great-nephews, Kingston Gray, Kairo Gray, Kapri Gray and Major Ray; uncles, Gerald Johnson (Ina), Henry Tatum, Luther Tatum, Maurice Tatum and Andrew “Joe” Woods (Elaine); aunts, Janet Jones, Thelma Smith, Barbara Gaskin (Jerry), Ether Woods-Benton (Tommie), Lucille Woods-McKay (Van), Elnora Clements (Johnny), Jacquelyn Gaither (Mark), Josephine Woods-Orr (Rodney), Yvette Bailey (Greg) and Shamette Humes (Thay). He is also survived by his cousins, other relatives, friends and his Golden State Foods family.

Forever in our hearts, never forgotten.



Processional

Selection

Congregation

“Lily In The Valley”

Prayer

Rev. Kenneth Norrington

Scripture Readings

Old & New Testament

Jarvis Woods

Remarks

Kemothy (Moon) Lumpkin | Cousin

Auntie Ether

Obituary

Read Silently

Selection

Congregation

Eulogy

Rev. Kenneth Norrington

Acknowledgements

Andrea Woods

Recessional

Closing Prayer

Rev. Kenneth Norrington

Order Of Service