

UNTIL WE MEET AGAIN

We think about you always,
We talk about you still,
You have never been forgotten,
and you never will.

We hold you close within our hearts,
and there you will remain,
to walk and guide us through our lives, until we meet again.

INTERMENT

Glen Rest Memorial Estate
8029 East Main Street – Reynoldsburg, OH 43068

PALLBEARERS

Elder James H. Kendrick, Jr. - Anthony M. Kendrick - Derrick L. Kendrick
Anthony (Little Ant) Kendrick - Bruce Gibbs – El-Ryck Kendrick

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

The family of James H. Kendrick, Sr. would like to thank everyone for your prayers, calls, texts, and any acts of love, kindness and support shown to them during this time.

A very special thanks to Keith Brown (although he is family) for EVERYTHING that he did during the illness and care-giving of James, as well as the Gibbs, Cammon and Pace Families.

We also thank Zusman Hospice for the guidance and assistance given to us to make this journey and transition a very smooth one.



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A CELEBRATION OF THE LIFE OF



JAMES H. KENDRICK, SR.

SUNRISE SUNSET
MARCH 16, 1933 | AUGUST 29, 2026

THURSDAY – SEPTEMBER 10, 2026

VISITATION: 10:00 AM
SERVICE: 11:00 AM

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TRIEDSTONE MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
858 EAST THIRD AVENUE
COLUMBUS, OH 43201
OVERSEER DALE D. TUCKER, SR. – SENIOR PASTOR
BISHOP JEROME H. ROSS, SR. – PASTOR EMERITUS

Obituary

James H. Kendrick, Sr. was born March 16, 1933 in Hopkinsville, Kentucky to George and Lucille Kendrick. He peacefully transitioned this life on August 29, 2026 in the comfort of his home. James relocated to Columbus, Ohio with his mother as a teenager. He completed his education at Central High School in Columbus, Ohio taking night courses to receive his diploma. James was married to T. Gertrude Horsley and to this union three sons were born. He loved family functions and would often participate in sport activities with his sons. Often you could hear him brag about his grandsons and their accomplishments Anthony on the football field, Derrick in the band and his granddaughter Tannisha at piano recitals.

James served in the U.S. Army at the rank of Private 1st class. Upon his discharge, he was employed at the South Texas Drywall company supplying dry wall for new built structures. Later he worked on the line pouring hot steel at the Ohio Malibu Steel Casting Company until it closed. He then was employed at Port Columbus Airport operating heavy equipment where he served for 28 years before retiring. James was a member of Hebrew Baptist Church under the leadership of his Father-in-law, Rev. William Horsley. While there, he served in the Male Chorus, Seasonal Chorus, Church bus driver, and any other duties he was asked to perform. Later he united with Triedstone Missionary Baptist Church under the leadership of Bishop Jerome H. Ross, Sr. where he worshiped until his health began to fail. Although he was not a member of any ministries, he was supportive and in attendance at most of the functions of the church. Dad “K” was very supportive of his son Elder James H. Kendrick, Jr., a faithful attendee at the Hour of Power Wednesday noon-day Bible study; and would support him and the Male Chorus when and where ever they would go to minister; in and out of the city.

He was preceded in death by his wife: T. Gertrude Kendrick; parents: George and Lucille Kendrick and sons: Robert and Andre Kendrick.

In 2016, James Started a new chapter in his life. He was united in holy matrimony to Sue G. Brown. They enjoyed traveling, cruising and any activities with family and friends. They also loved to watch the game shows on T.V. and liked to see who could answer the most questions on Family Feud. Brother “K” as he was called by the Gibbs family, enjoyed the gatherings with the Gibbs family, laughing, talking, and eating. Especially, watching the domino games that they would play every Tuesday. Everyone who knew “Dad K” loved him. He will be greatly missed by all.

Left to cherish his memory is his Loving and Devoted Wife and Care-Giver: Sue Brown-Kendrick; Sons: Elder James (Shirley) Kendrick, and Keith Brown; Brothers: Edward (Pat) Kendrick, Nate Gibbs, and Bruce Gibbs; Sisters: Natye Cammon, and Belle (Larry) Hillman; Grandchildren: Anthony (Lori) Kendrick, Derrick (Tara) Kendrick, Tannisha (John) Ray, Robert Featherstone, and Kejuan Brown; Great-Grandchildren: Anthony, Ayzha, El-Ryck (Kiara), Dionna, Michael Kendrick, Tristen, Linda, and Olivia Ray and a host of other relatives and friends.

“Jesus said unto her, I am the resurrection, and the life: he that believeth in me, though he were dead, yet shall he live: And whosoever liveth and believeth in me shall never die.”

John 11:25

Order of Service

Organ Prelude.....Triedstone Musicians

Parting View.....Immediate Family

Scripture Reading

Old Testament: Psalm 23.....Elder Robyn Darden

New Testament: John 14: 1-6.....Elder Janet Kimble Smith

Prayer.....Dr. Bennie T. Henson, Sr.
Pastor - Hebrew Missionary Baptist Church

Selection.....Richard Whiteside - Nephew
Truth Church

Acknowledgements/Condolences.....Deaconess Denise Reid

Remarks.....Two Minutes Please.....Clergy

Deacon Joseph Mickey
Triedstone Missionary Baptist Church

Reading of Obituary.....Read Silently

Selection.....Deacon Joseph Mickey

The Eulogy
Bishop Jerome H. Ross, Sr.
Triedstone Missionary Baptist Church – Pastor Emeritus

Benediction

Recessional.....Clergy, Family and Friends

