

*John*  
**WALTER JUSTICE**

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JANUARY 18, 1934 - DECEMBER 24, 2024

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Monday, January 6, 2025

Viewing: 9:00 A.M.

Funeral: 10:00 A.M.

Unity Baptist Church

543 Marion Dr  
Las Vegas, NV 89110

# LIFE STORY OF

## *John* WALTER JUSTICE

John W Justice was born January 18, 1934 in Durham, North Carolina to Julian Justice and the late Catherine Latta. Julian Justice later married Ida Belle Laws who raised and loved John aka Jay and his siblings as their mother.

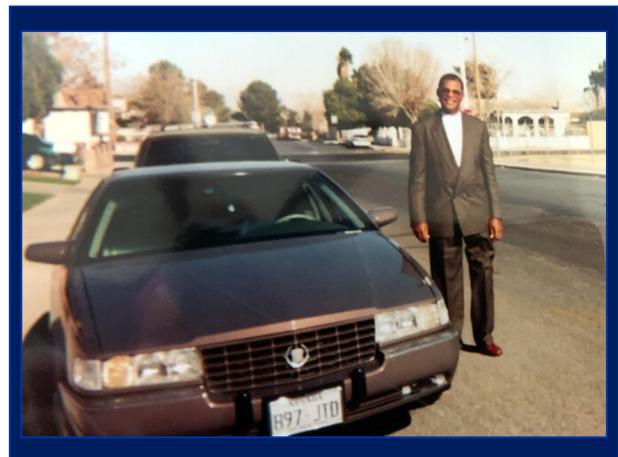
John grew up and was educated in New York. John joined the armed forces serving in both the Korean and Vietnam wars. While stationed in Fort Dix, New Jersey, he met the love of his life Celeste. They joined in holy matrimony on October 8, 1970.

He established a second career working at the United States Postal service. John and Celeste raised three children.

The sun that shined on the life of John W Justice set on December 24, 2024 as he was summoned by our Heavenly father to join him.

John was preceded in death by Julian Justice, Catherine Latta and Ida Belle Justice, parents, as well as his sisters, Margaretta Gillam, Evelyn Corry and Diane Glover and one brother James Justice.

He leaves to cherish his loving memories: his wife Celeste, three children: Bruce Bundy Jr, Cassandra Wabara and Gene Justice, five grandchildren: Chris Rivers, Dr. Alexandra Wabara, Jazmine Bundy, Ashley Wabara and Jinay Kline, one great grandchild: Kyler Kelly, brother Maurice Justice, twenty nine nieces and nephews, sister-in-laws: Marva Roseberry, Inez Wyche, and a host of friends too numerous to count.



# LIFE CELEBRATION OF

*John*  
WALTER JUSTICE

Musical Prelude.....

Processional & Final Viewing.....Clergy & Family

Scripture Reading

    Old Testament.....Psalms 23.....Min. Willie Lowery, Jr.

    New Testament.....1 Corinthians 13: 4-7.....Dec. Crayton Jones

Prayer.....Min. Thomas Nicholson

Musical Selection.....“What a Friend We Have in Jesus”.....Unity Baptist Church Choir

Resolutions/Cards & Acknowledgments.....Sis. Ayana Bourgeois

Memorial Video Tribute.....Giddens Memorial Chapel

Obituary Reading.....Read Silently

Tributes.....(2 minutes).....Patricia Justice, Luther “Jody”  
Byrd, Chris Rivers, Dr. Alexandra Wabara, Jazmine Bundy, Ashley Wabara & Jinay Kline

Remarks & Expressions.....(2 Minutes/3 People Only).....Family & Friends

Musical Selection.....“Just a Closer Walk with Thee”.....Bro. Michael Jackson

Eulogy.....Rev Raymond L. Giddens Sr.  
Pastor Emeritus

Recessional..... “Going Up Yonder”.....Clergy & Family



## INTERMENT

Immediately Following the Service  
12:00 p.m.  
Southern Nevada Veterans Memorial Cemetery  
1900 Veterans Memorial Dr.  
Boulder City, NV 89005

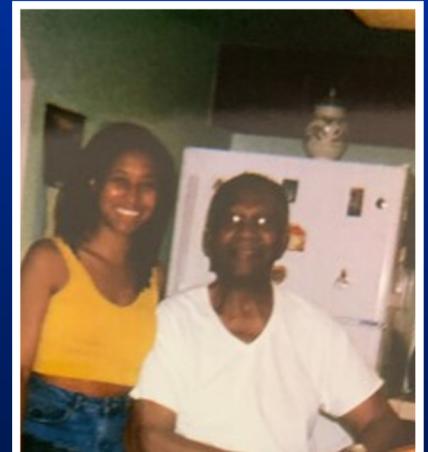
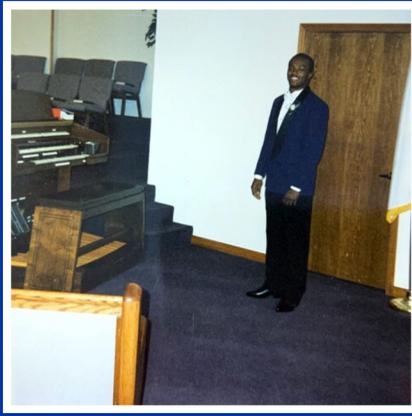


## RECEPTION

Immediately Following the Interment  
John H. Woodard Jr. Fellowship Hall  
Unity Baptist Church  
543 Marion Dr.  
Las Vegas, NV 89110







# LOVING TRIBUTE FROM

*John*  
WALTER JUSTICE

To my dearest family, some things I'd like to say. But first of all, to let you know, that I arrived okay.

I'm writing this from heaven. Here I dwell with God above.

Here, there's no more tears of sadness; Here is just eternal love.

Please do not be unhappy just because I am out of sight.

Remember that I am with you every morning, noon and night.

That day I had to leave you when my life on earth was through.

God picked me up and hugged me and He said, "I welcome you.

It's good to have you back again, You were missed while you were gone.

As for your dearest family, They'll be here later on.

I need you here so badly, you are part of my plan.

There is so much that we can do, to help our mortal man".

God gave me a list of things, that he wished for me to do.

And foremost on the list, was to watch and care for you.

And when you lie in bed at night the days chores put to flight.

God and I are closest to you....in the middle of the night.

When you think of my life on earth, and all those loving years.

Because you are only human, they are bound to bring you tears.

But do not be afraid to cry; it does relieve the pain.

Remember there would be no flowers, unless there was some rain.

I wish that I could tell you all that God has planned.

But if I were to tell you, you wouldn't understand.

But one thing is for certain, though my life on earth is over.

I'm closer to you now, than I ever was before.

There are rocky roads ahead of you and many hills to climb;

But together we can do it by taking one day at a time.

It was always my philosophy and I'd like it for you too;

That as you give unto the world, the world will give to you.

If you can help somebody who is in sorrow and pain;

Then you can say to God at night....My day was not in vain.

And now I am contented... that my life was worthwhile.

Knowing as I passed along the way I made somebody smile.

So if you meet somebody who is sad and feeling low;

Just lend a hand to pick them up, as on your way you go.

When you're walking down the street and you've got me on your mind;

I'm walking in your footsteps only half a step behind.

And when it's time for you to go...from that body to be free.

Remember you're not going...you're coming here to me.



### **ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

We the family of John W. Justice are in deep gratitude for all the love and prayers during this difficult time. From the bottom of our hearts, we thank each and every one of you! God bless you all!! - Justice Family

### **ACTIVE PALLBEARERS**

Chris Rivers  
Luther "Jody" Byrd  
Tommy Ford  
Warren Washington  
Michael Roseberry  
Marc Roseberry  
Ibrahim Al-Islam

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