

Reflections of His Life

With deep sorrow and loving remembrance, we announce the passing of Douglas Delany Goodwin Jr., who departed this life on Wednesday, April 8, 2026, at the age of 36.

Douglas was born on October 14, 1989, in Washington, D.C., to his loving parents, Sheri Willis Goodwin and Douglas Goodwin Sr. He was affectionately known as “DJ” by all who knew and loved him a name that reflected the closeness and warmth he shared with family and friends.

DJ was educated in the Richland County Public School system and was a proud graduate of Irmo High School. During his time there, he served as a Junior Air Force ROTC Cadet, demonstrating discipline, commitment, and a strong sense of pride.

Known for his warm spirit and outgoing, cheerful personality, DJ had a way of leaving a lasting impression on everyone he met. He enjoyed working on computers and had a natural talent for repairing cars—skills that not only reflected his intelligence but also his hands-on approach to life. Whether fixing something or simply spending time with others, DJ brought energy, kindness, and authenticity into every space he entered.

He leaves to cherish his memory, his loving and devoted parents, Sheri Willis Goodwin and Douglas Goodwin Sr.; one brother, Treneze Goodwin; one cherished niece, Little Miss Logan Goodwin; and a host of relatives and friends who will forever hold him close in their hearts.

DJ’s presence will be deeply missed, but the memories he created and the love he shared will remain with all who knew him.

Order of Service

Music Interlude
Musician

Processional and Final Farewell
Clergy and Family

Musical Selection
Musician

Old Testament
Psalm 23
Reverend Patrick Goodwin

New Testament
1 Corinthians 13:1-2
Reverend Patrick Goodwin

Prayer of Comfort
Reverend Patrick Goodwin

Musical Selection
Deaconess Ivy Randolph

Reflections
Treneze M. Goodwin

Acknowledgements and Reading of Poem
Sister Cornelia Greene

Hymn of Praise
Deaconess Ivy Randolph

Words of Comfort
Reverend Jennifer V. Weston, Zion Benevolent Baptist Church

Recessional

Postlude

Committal, Prayer, Benediction

Interment
Gates of Heaven Cemetary
1178 Heyward Brockington Rd, Columbia, South Carolina 29203

Floral Bearers

Family and Friends

Pallbearers

Family and Friends

To My Son

There are truly no words that I can say
That will explain how I feel today.
I miss your presence, I miss your face
For you've got me crying all over this place.
Storms will come and storms will go

You are my life's blessings
I just want you to know
You are gone but never to be forgotten
Forever in my heart you will always be
Because, my son, you mean the world to me.
Your season on earth was way too short.
Dance with the angels jump, scream and shout
That's what life eternal is all about.
No more stressing, no more pain
Your joy is in Heaven where Jesus reign.
My dear sweet DJ take your rest

At Heaven's Gate.
Love Mother

Expression of Gratitude

The family of Douglas D. Goodwin Jr. extends our heartfelt gratitude to all extended family and friends for the love, kindness, and support during our time of bereavement. We are humbled by your show of support and concern and pray that God bless you and keep a hedge of protection around you.



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CELEBRATION OF LIFE FOR

Douglas D.
GOODWIN JR.

October 14, 1989 - April 8, 2026

THURSDAY, APRIL 30, 2026
11:00 AM

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