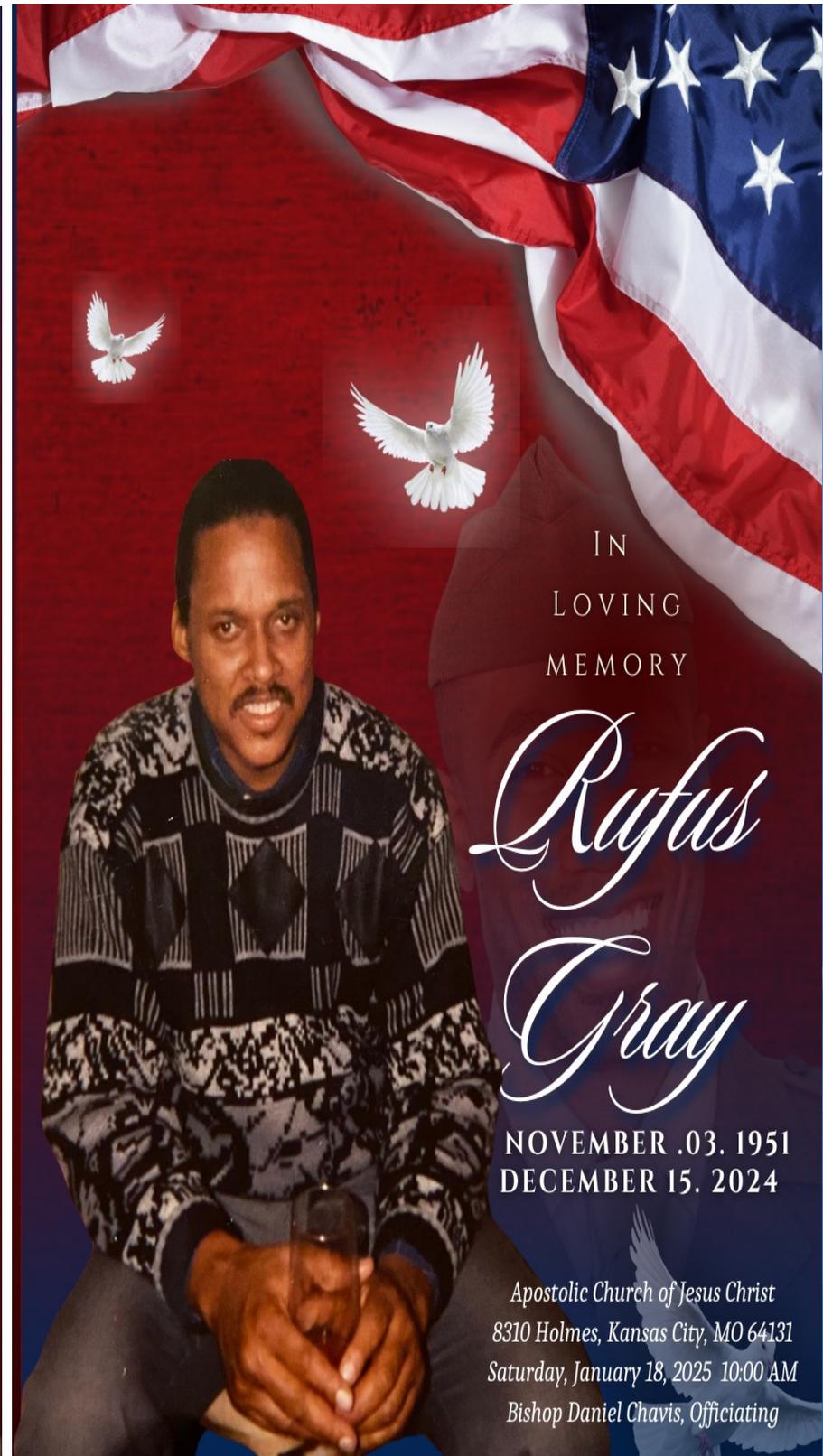


# Family Acknowledgements

We deeply appreciate your kind expression of sympathy in our time of great sorrow. There are really no words to express our heartfelt thanks for the love and support you have extended towards our family during this time of sadness.

The Family of Rufus Gray



IN  
LOVING  
MEMORY

Rufus  
Gray

NOVEMBER .03. 1951  
DECEMBER 15. 2024

Apostolic Church of Jesus Christ  
8310 Holmes, Kansas City, MO 64131  
Saturday, January 18, 2025 10:00 AM  
Bishop Daniel Chavis, Officiating



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## THE LIFE & LEGACY

Rufus Gray was born November 3, 1951, in North Little Rock, Arkansas, to O'Neal Gray and Sammie Garner. Both parents preceded him in death.

Rufus was educated in Flint, Michigan. Rufus was in the Army in 1974. When he left the Army, he moved to Kansas City and worked at an asphalt plant. Rufus accomplished giving his life to Christ in his later years.

Rufus was married to Mattie Walker until she died, and they had four children together.

Rufus's favorite pastime was hauling pallets and singing in the men's choir at church.

Rufus leaves to cherish his memories: children Kim Hall, Keila Gray, Rufus Gray, Rubin Gray, and John Handy. Brothers: Roosevelt Terry, Excell Gray, Alvin Garner, and, preceding him in death, Louis Gray, O'Neal Gray Jr., Frank Garner Sr., Lawrence Garner, and James Garner. Sisters: Lois White, Rose Gray, Teresa Nard, Wyona Massey, and Sarah Garner, and, preceding him in death, Estella Tate and Jo Ann Glin.

He leaves behind 12 grandchildren and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and other relatives and friends.

## ORDER OF SERVICE

*Prelude- Soft music*

*Crowning ceremony*

*Scripture- Psalm 23*

*Prayer- Bishop Chavis*

*Selection- "The Best in Me" Marvin Sapp*

*Life Reflections (read in silence)*

*Remarks- 2 ppl only (2min)*

*Words of Comfort: Bishop Chavis*

*Benediction*

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