23rd Psalm

The Lord is my Shepherd; I shall not want.
He maketh me to lie down in green pastures,
He leadeth me beside the still waters.
He restoreth my soul.
He leadeth me in the paths of
righteousness for His name's sake.
Yea, though I walk through the
valley of the shadow of death,
I will fear no evil; for thou art with me;
Thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.
Thou preparest a table before me
in the presence of mine enemies;
Thou anointest my head with oil;
my cup runneth over.
Surely goodness and mercy shall
follow me all the days of my life;
And I will dwell in the house
of the LORD forever.

Acknowledgements

The family wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation the many expressions of love, concern, prayers, and kindness shown to them during this hour of bereavement.
May God Bless and Keep You!
- The family of Daryll Lewis Cummings

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In Loving Memory of



Daryll Lewis Cummings

March 4, 1960 - October 18, 2026

Friday, November 6, 2026
Visitation: 1:00 PM
Funeral Service: 2:00 PM
The Spirit of Christ Church
9784 Wayne Ave.
Senior Pastor Marsene Glenn, Officiating

Obituary

Daryll Lewis Cummings was born on March 4, 1960, in Cincinnati, Ohio, to the late Mary Charlotte Gray and Sonny Cummings, who survives him. He departed this life on October 18, 2026, leaving behind a family who loved him deeply and a legacy of creativity, intelligence, and unforgettable memories.

Daryll accepted Christ and was baptized at First Baptist Church of Cumminsville.

From a very young age, it was evident that Daryll possessed an extraordinary creative gift. At approximately seven years old, he began teaching himself how to draw. What began as a childhood talent developed into an exceptional ability that remained a meaningful part of his life.

Daryll was a gifted self-taught artist with an impressive knowledge of architectural design. Although he was not a licensed architect, his understanding, creativity, and ability were recognized and respected by individuals within the architectural profession. Daryll developed designs and drawings of such quality that major corporations, friends, and professional associates within the architectural field sought out his work, with licensed professionals reviewing and signing off on his designs when required. His ability to understand buildings, structure, design, and detail reflected both his natural talent and the extensive knowledge he acquired throughout his life.

Daryll was brilliant, inquisitive, and always interested in learning. He had a mind that went far beyond what could be measured by traditional education. He enjoyed studying subjects that interested him and could develop an impressive level of knowledge simply through his own determination, curiosity, and desire to understand.

Daryll could also be described as a philosopher at heart. He loved to talk, exchange ideas, and share his thoughts and perspectives on life. A conversation with Daryll could easily become a discussion about almost anything because he always had something to say and a unique way of looking at the world.

His talents extended into music as well, as Daryll played the piano. He also enjoyed video games, collecting comic books, fish tanks, and, most importantly, creating art. Whether through a drawing, a design, music, or conversation, Daryll had his own distinctive way of expressing himself.

In the later years of his life, Daryll faced the challenges of Wernicke syndrome, which affected his memory and daily life. Even during those difficult years, there were meaningful moments when pieces of the Daryll his family knew so well would shine through. He would share stories from the past, ask questions about family, and especially inquire about his brothers and sisters. Those moments were precious reminders that the love and connection he carried for his family remained an important part of him.

Daryll was preceded in death by his beloved mother, Mary Charlotte Gray.

He leaves to cherish his memory his father, Sonny Cummings; his beloved siblings, Michael Carter; Glendora Phillips (Thomas); Theresa Weaver (Gus); Carol Clark; Alcavious Cummings (fiancée Taqwanda Reeves); and Shandra Collier (Onyango); along with nieces, nephews, extended family members, loved ones, friends, and all whose lives were touched by his presence.

While our hearts are saddened by his passing, we are grateful for the years God allowed us to share with Daryll. We will remember his intelligence, his artistic gifts, his conversations, his creativity, his love for his family, and the unique spirit that made him who he was. The drawings, designs, stories, memories, and pieces of himself that Daryll left behind will continue to tell his story and remind us that his gifts were truly his own.

Order of Service

Musical Prelude ..... MIT Gemariah Washington

Parting View ..... Family & Friends

Prayer ..... Bishop Paul K. Glenn

Scripture - Old & New ..... Senior Pastor Marsene Glenn

Selection ..... MIT Gemariah Washington

Acknowledgements ..... Theresa Weaver

Remarks ..... Family & Friends

(Please Limit Remarks to Two Minutes)

Obituary ..... Read Silently

Selection ..... Phillita Kahr Beets

Eulogy ..... Bishop Paul K. Glenn

Benediction .....

Recessional .....Family

Pallbearers

Micheal Carter
Johnas Larkin
Alcavious Cummings

Marquise Fisher
Onyango Collier
John Larkin

Honorary Pallbearers

Otis Gray

Sonny Cummings

Gary Gray

Flower Bearers

Shandra Gray- Collier

Theresa Weaver

Carol Clark