

## Pallbearers

Deacons of New Ebenezer Baptist Church

## Floral Bearers

C.A. Johnson Class of 1964

## *I'm Free*

Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free  
I'm following the path God has laid you see.

I took His hand when I heard His call  
I turned my back and left it all.

I could not stay another day  
To laugh, to love, to work, or play.  
Tasks left undone must stay that way  
I found the peace at the close of the day.

If my parting has left a void  
'Then fill it with remembered joys  
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss  
Oh yes, these things I too will miss.  
Be not burdened with times of sorrow,  
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.  
My life's been full, I savored much,  
Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.

Perhaps my time seemed all too brief,  
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.

Lift up your heart, and peace to thee-  
God wanted me now; He has set me free.

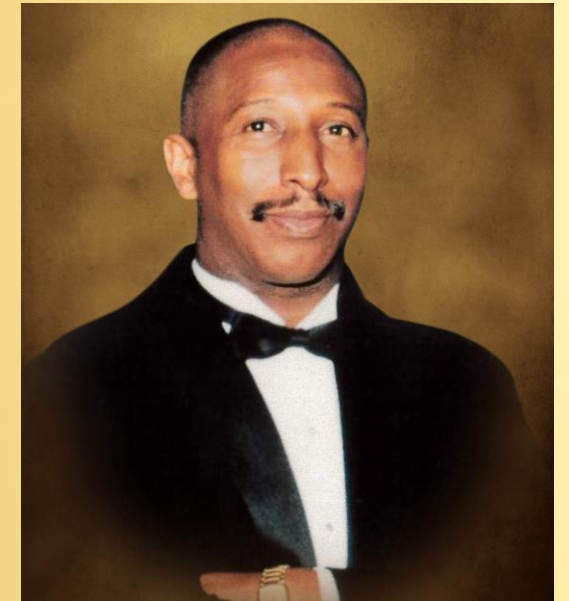
## Acknowledgements

We, the family of Mr. Norman Moore, would like to thank each of you for prayers and support during the passing of our loved one. We are indebted to family and friends who poured into us through visits, calls, and care giving. A special "thank you" to Heart of Hospice and to the administrators and staff at Springdale Health Care especially Hall 200. The special care and time given to Norman by nurses (day and night), aides, environmental specialists, launderers, and various staff during his close to six-year residency can't be matched. The Moore Family loves and appreciates each of you.

## Services Entrusted To:

<b>Taylor Street Chapel</b> 1831 Taylor Street Columbia, SC 29201 (803)771-7799 I. S. Leevy Johnson -Owner & Director-	<b>Leevy's</b> FUNERAL HOME Chris Leevy Johnson -President & Managing Director-	<b>Lower Richland Chapel</b> 9120 Garners Ferry Road Hopkins, SC 29061 (803) 776-6922 Leverette A. Williams, II -General Manager-
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# *Celebration of Life In Loving Memory of Mr. Norman Tyrone Moore*



*Sunday, September 29, 2024  
1:00 p.m.*

*New Ebenezer Baptist Church  
1236 Gregg Street  
Columbia, South Carolina*

*Reverend Dr. Michael Ross  
-Pastor-*



*Obituary  
of  
Mr. Norman Tyrone Moore*

Mr. Norman Tyrone Moore was the second of four children born to the late Wallace and late Ethel Gordon Moore on December 21, 1946. He peacefully departed this earthly life on Monday, September 23, 2024, at Springdale Health Center.

He attended Richland County, South Carolina public schools and was a proud 1964 graduate of C. A. Johnson High School. Norman also attended classes at Allen University. He was baptized at an early age at New Ebenezer Baptist Church.

In the mid to late 60s, he participated in the civil rights movement as a member of the NAACP's Youth Division. He marched, alongside his brother, Bernard, in many protests and sit-ins in the city of Columbia. He took pride in traveling to Washington, DC, where he witnessed Martin Luther King give the historic speech at the March on Washington.

Norman owned and operated Moore's Cleaners for more than 30 years. He worked alongside his parents and brothers for many years, before managing his own plant in the Haskell Heights Community and satellite locations on Fairfield Road and Taylor Street.

He was an avid lover of cars, particularly classic and hot rods. This love allowed him to work as a sales representative at Jim Moore Cars in the 1980s. He also sold cars as an independent contractor and was a collector of various car makes and models.

He thoroughly loved drag racing. As a young man, he took pride in having the "fastest car" around the city of Columbia. He won numerous awards for his prowess on the racetrack. As a young man and into adulthood, he could be found at racetracks in Orangeburg and Florence, South Carolina as well as North Carolina. His love of the sport, before his illness, took him on many Sundays to professional drag and Nascar races.

With a gregarious spirit, he was always the life of the party. Norman enjoyed laughing, telling jokes, and simply having a good a time. You could always find him in his "man cave" entertaining friends and family.

In addition to his parents, Norman was preceded in death by his wife, Barbara Moore, and his brothers, Arthur Bernard, Wallace Alonzo, and Petro Arnold.

Norman leaves to cherish his memory: his devoted daughter, Dr. Walletha Moore (Julian) Johnson of Columbia, SC; two grandchildren, Julian II and Jillian Johnson both of Columbia, SC; a bonus granddaughter, Alexis Johnson of Columbia, SC; three sisters-in-law, Alma Birchett, Shirley (David) Jacobs, and Evelyn Moore all of Columbia, SC; four nieces; three nephews; two aunts; two godchildren; many cousins and friends, all who will miss him dearly.

*Memories*



*A Service of Remembrance*

- Musical Prelude
- Processional
- Opening Song.....New Ebenezer Baptist Church Praise Team  
"I Will Trust In The Lord"
- Old Testament.....Lamentations 3:22-26.....Deacon William Gordon
- New Testament.....John 14:1-4.....Deacon Tony Vaughn
- Prayer.....Reverend Faye Daniels
- Musical Selection.....New Ebenezer Baptist Church Praise Team  
"God Has Smiled On Me"
- Remarks.....Master Julian Johnson II, Grandson  
Little Miss Jillian Johnson, Granddaughter  
Mrs. Monica Moore Thompson, Niece  
Mr. Edward Dykes, Friend
- Musical Selection.....New Ebenezer Baptist Church Praise Team  
"May The Work I've Done, Speak For Me"
- Words of Comfort.....Reverend Dr. Michael Ross
- Recessional....."I'll Fly Away"
- Postlude



*Committal, Benediction, and Interment*

**Robinson Memorial Gardens  
10234 Farrow Road  
Blythewood, South Carolina**