

Obituary

"I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith: Henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness." II Timothy 4:7-8

Mr. Wesley Marshall Fair, Jr. was born March 6, 1950, in Gadsden, SC. He was the son of the late Marshall and Mary Randolph Fair. God saw Wesley getting tired, so on Friday, December 12, 2025, He put His arms around him and whispered, "Come with me," and Wesley took God's hand.

Raised in a loving Christian home, at an early age Wesley accepted Christ and began his Christian education and nurturing of his faith.

A loving brother, uncle and friend, he enjoyed serving the Lord attending Good Shepherd under Mother Willie Mae Hayes, Ladson's Chapel Missionary Baptist Church under Pastor Stanley R. Ladson Sr., Zion Damascus # 2 under Pastor Louise Goodwin, Mother Sue Jenkins, Mother Sarah LeeWebber and other community churches.

He enjoyed family and the great outdoors. Farming, raising all kinds of animals, geese, ducks, rabbits, chicken, always finding enjoyment with God's creatures.

Wesley was educated in the public schools of Richland County. He retired as a Carpenter from the University of South Carolina, after many years of faithful and dedicated service.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his siblings, Annie Bell Fair Moore, Janie Fair Dinkins, Ted Fair, Johnnie Fair, James D. Fair, James Williams, Robert Fair, Reverend Betty Fair Harris, Gladys Fair, and Mary Ruth Fair Anderson,

Mr. Wesley Marshall Fair, Jr. leaves to cherish his precious memory, sisters: Mary L. Fair Garrick of Gadsden, SC, Reverend Willie Mae Taylor of Columbia SC, Gloria F. Smalls of Eastover, SC, and Virginia F. Gibson of Columbia SC; brother, Elder Alexander Randolph (Cynthia) of Columbia, SC; brother-in-law, Ronald Gibson; a host of nieces, nephews and other loving relatives and caring friends, all of whom will miss him dearly.

Memories



Sunday, December 21, 2025 – 1:00 p.m.

**Leevy's Funeral Home Chapel
1831 Taylor Street
Columbia, South Carolina**

**Reverend Dr. Stanley R. Ladson, Sr.
-Officiating-**

Prelude

Processional

Musical Selection.....Elder Alexander Randolph

Old and New Testaments.....Elder Alexander Randolph

Prayer.....Reverend Stanely R. Ladson, Sr.

Musical Selection.....Ms. Kimberly T. Brown

Reflections.....Reverend Willie Mae Taylor
Mr. Mario L. Garrick, Nephew

Musical Selection.....Reverend Dr. Stanley R. Ladson, Sr.

Words of Comfort.....Reverend Dr. Stanley R. Ladson, Sr.

Committal

Closing Prayer

Benediction

Recessional

Postlude



“Dear Brother Wesley, Your Memory Will Never Fade”

My dear Brother now that you are gone
You're no longer here to share
The bond we had together –
A bond of love and care.
Yet, somehow something tells me
You are watching over me –
Now that from Worldly cares
You finally are free.
I miss you so very much,
And my tears I cannot hide
Yet, within my heart, I feel
You are always by my side.
Ever since you went away
Life has never been the same
Yet, it comforts me to know
That one day we'll meet again.

- Unknown Author

Submitted by:
Your loving and devoted sister,
Mary. L Garrick

Acknowledgement

We, the family of Mr. Wesley Marshall Fair, Jr., would like to express our sincere gratitude for the many expressions of love, acts of kindness, and support extended to us. Your fervent prayers, visits, cards, and acts of sympathy were greatly appreciated. We pray God will bless you as you have truly blessed us and the love and grace that has been given to us be shown to each of you. Special thanks to Highland Senior Living Care of Gaston, SC, staff and Hospice Care Team for their loving kindness shown to our beloved Wesley.

Services Entrusted To:

Taylor Street Chapel 1831 Taylor Street Columbia, SC 29201 (803)771-7799 I. S. Leevy Johnson -Owner & Director-	Leevy's FUNERAL HOME Chris Leevy Johnson -President & Managing Director-	Lower Richland Chapel 9120 Garners Ferry Road Hopkins, SC 29061 (803) 776-6922 Leverette A. Williams, II -General Manager-
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Honoring HIS LIFE

Beyond Life's Gates

*There's an open gate at the end of the road
Through which each must go alone.
And there is a light, we cannot see
Our Father claims His own.
Beyond the gate, your loved one finds
Happiness and rest.
And there is comfort in the thought
That a loving God knows best.*



Mr. Wesley Marshall Fair, Jr.
March 6, 1950 – December 12, 2025