

When Tomorrow Starts Without Me

When tomorrow starts without me, and I'm not here to
see,
If the sun should rise and find your eyes, filled with
tears for me.

I wish so much you wouldn't cry the way you did today,
while thinking of the many things we didn't get to say.

I know how much you love me, as much as I love you,
and each time you think of me, I know you'll miss me
too.

When tomorrow starts without me, please try to
understand
That an angel came and called my name and took me by
the hand

The angel said my place was ready in heaven far above
And that I'd have to leave behind all those I dearly love.

But when I walked through Heaven's gate, I felt so much
at home

When God looked down and smiled at me from His
great golden throne.

He said, "This is eternity and all I've promised you."
Today my life on earth is past, but here it starts anew

I promise no tomorrow but today will always last
And since each day's the same day, there's no longing
for the past.

So when tomorrow starts without me, don't think we're
far apart,
For every time, you think of me, I'm right there in your
heart.

Pallbearers

Family and Friends

Floral Bearers

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Acknowledgement

We, the family of Mr. Anthony Lee Benjamin, wish to extend our heartfelt appreciation for every act of kindness, love, and support shown during this time of bereavement. His life was a testament to devotion and dedication, and his legacy will continue to live on in the hearts of all who had the privilege of knowing him. Your prayers, calls, visits, and expressions of sympathy have brought comfort and strength. May God richly bless each of you.


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Home Going Services In Loving Memory of SFC (Ret) Anthony Lee Benjamin



Friday, June 5, 2026
1:00 p.m.

Zion Canaan Baptist Church
7820 Farrow Road
Columbia, South Carolina

Reverend Eugene Miller
-Presiding-

Obituary of SFC (Ret) Anthony Lee Benjamin

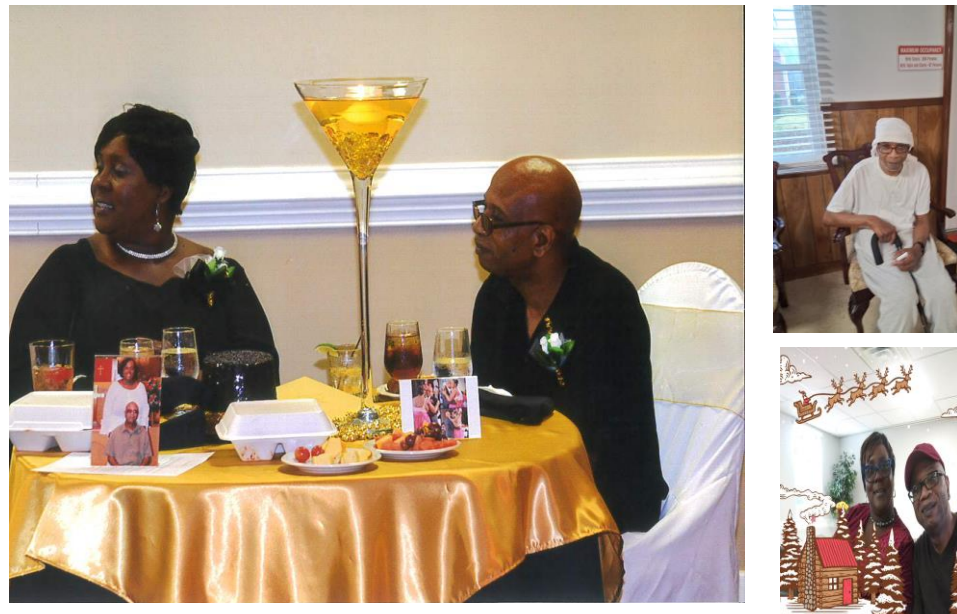
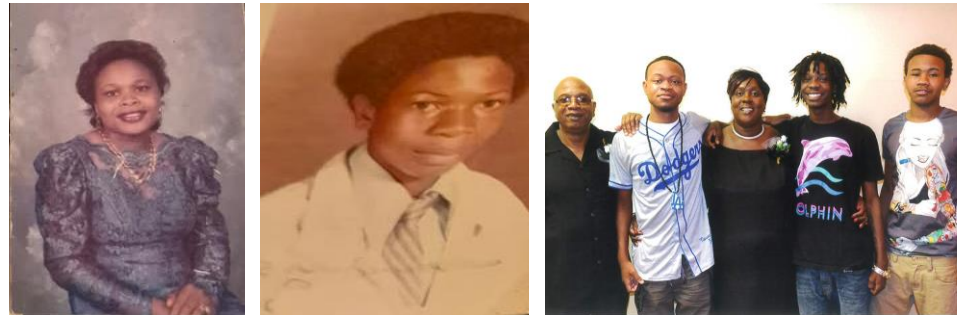
SFC (Ret) Anthony Lee Benjamin was born on September 12, 1959, in Horatio, South Carolina. He was the son of the late Marion Bradford and Josephine Benjamin. A proud veteran of the United States Army, Anthony passed away on Wednesday, May 27, 2026, at the Dorn V.A. Medical Center-Warriors Walk, after an extended illness with diabetes.

Anthony was educated in the public schools of Sumter County, South Carolina. At the age of 18 Anthony enlisted in the United States Army. Anthony valued this service highly and attained the rank of Sergeant First Class. As part of this service, SFC Benjamin toured many countries learning their cultures and exploring.

Anthony was an avid Clemson fan. You could find the Benjamin's watching college football and basketball as well as NBA and WNBA Games.

SFC (Ret) Anthony Lee Benjamin leaves to mourn his passing and to cherish his precious memory: his loving and devoted wife of the home, Karen; five sons, Matthew, Jonathan, Shawn, Jason, and Michael Benjamin of Denver Colorado; one bonus son, Brandon Boyd of Columbia SC. Anthony is also survived by his sister, Marie Waiters; one niece, Keisha Benjamin; and a nephew ,Travis Benjamin; a host of other loving relatives, and caring friends, all of whom will miss him dearly.

Memories



A Service of Remembrance

- Prelude..... "I Am Redeemed"
Recording By: Jessy Dixon
- Processional
- Viewing.....Funeral Directors
- Special Tribute..... "You Are My Hero"
Recording By: Gladys Knight
- Opening Hymn..... "Blessed Assurance"
Recording By: Shirley Ceasar
- Scripture Readings..... Reverend Melvin Mack
- Prayer.....Reverend Eugene Miller
- Reflections.....Mr. Freddie Priester
Mrs. Cassandra Dean
Mr. and Mrs. Bob and Marie Brown
Mr. Kayden Rappley
Mr. Taff Boyd
Mr. John Benjamin
- Musical Selection "Jesus, I Love Calling Your Name"
Recording By: Shirley Ceasar
- Words of Comfort.....Reverend Robert L. McClinton
- Recessional
- Postlude



Committal, Benediction and Interment

2:00 P.M., Monday, June 6, 2026
Fort Jackson National Cemetery
4900 Farrow Road
Columbia, South Carolina