

The Obituary

We are here to celebrate the life and homegoing of **Mr. Mitchell Lamarr McLendon** "Bim", born January 5, 1968, to the late Marcia Gayle McLendon-Crumby. Mitchell was raised by his grandparents, the late Evelyn Hoard McLendon and James McLendon, Sr.

Mitchell was a graduate of Woodward High School. Before being promoted and transferred to Lorain, Ohio, he was a manager at Payless Shoe Source at Swayne Field Shopping Center. After the birth of his first child, he moved back to Toledo, Ohio. Mitchell worked as security for various clubs throughout the city. He had a passion for martial arts and poetry. Mitchell lived an exciting life.

Mitchell leaves to cherish his memory his children, Ashley (Chris) McLendon and Gavin McLendon; sisters, Monette (Torri) Ali, Monica Crumby, and Sharon McLendon; special sisters/aunts, Yvonne McLendon, Cynthia McLendon; special brothers/uncles, Richard McLendon, James McLendon; special brother/cousin, Dion McLendon, and a host of other nieces, nephews and cousins.



Don't Cry For Me

Don't cry for me. I will be okay.

Heaven is my home now, and this is where I'll stay.

Don't cry for me. I'm where I belong.

I want you to be happy and try to stay strong.

Don't cry for me. It was just my time,

But I will see you someday on the other side.

Don't cry for me. I am not alone.

The angels are with me to welcome me home.

Don't cry for me, for I have no fear.

All my pain is gone, and Jesus took my tears.

Don't cry for me. This is not the end.

I'll be waiting here for you when we meet again.

Order of Service

Musical Prelude Brian Lee

Prayer Pastor Linda Hutchinson

Restoration Free Ministries

Musical Selection..... Niecy Richardson

Scripture Reading

Old Testament Elder Vannie Griffin

New Testament..... Elder Leona Chenault

Musical Selection..... Niecy Richardson

Obituary & Acknowledgments Sambretha Bailey

Musical Selection..... Nikki D

Reflections Joy Perry

Remarks Family & Friends

"2 minutes please"

Musical Selection..... Nikki D

Words of Comfort..... Pastor Linda Hutchinson

Recessional Brian Lee

Repast Elks Lodge



Family Acknowledgments

With sincere appreciation our family, hereby, acknowledge the many expressions of kindness and thoughtfulness during our time of bereavement. We extend a special thank you to the staff at the Advanced Healthcare Center. May God bless you.

Pallbearers

Jai Johnson
Deon'ie McLendon
Anthony McQueen

Dijon McLendon
Aaron Poellintz
Jadon Fisher

Torri Ali, Sr.
Michael Herron
Taj Fisher

Honorary Pallbearers

Richard McLendon

James McLendon

Dion McLendon

May the Work I've Done Speak for Me

May the work I've done speak for me.

When I'm resting in my grave, there is nothing that can be said,

May the work I've done speak for me.

May the life I live speak for me.

When the best I try to live, my mistakes He will forgive.

May the life I live speak for me.

May the service I give speak for me.

When I've done the best I can and my friends don't understand,

May the service I give speak for me.

When I stand before my God, I want to hear Him say,

“Well done”,

May the work I've done speak for me.

Interment

Historic Woodlawn Cemetery

Toledo, Ohio

Arrangements Trusted To

The House of Day Funeral Services

2550 Nebraska Avenue

Toledo, Ohio 43607

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A Homegoing Celebration for

Mitchell Lamare McLendon

January 5, 1968 - January 25, 2019



Funeral Service

Friday, February 1, 2019

Family Hour 10:00 am

Funeral 11:00 am

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Pastor Linda Hutchinson, Officiant
Restoration Free Ministries