



## Mr. G. Dwight Hamilton

December 7, 1953 - June 29, 2019

Greene Dwight Hamilton was born on December 7, 1953 to Green S. Hamilton (October 7, 1928-July 1, 1989) and Dorothy . Hamilton (April 20, 1930-September 7, 2007) in DeSoto, GA. Dwight graduated from Union High School in Leslie, GA.

He received a degree in Music Education from Alabama State University and went on to study Choral Conducting at Indiana State University.

Dwight accepted Christ at an early age at St. John Baptist Church in Leslie, GA.

He was united in holy matrimony with Helen Reid on June 20, 1981 in St. Paul, MN. Their union was blessed with 2 children: Erica and Brian.

Dwight worked as a music educator in the St. Paul and Milwaukee Public School Systems between 1978-2011. He also worked as a church musician and freelance musician.

Dwight is survived by wife, Helen Reid-Hamilton, daughter, Erica Hamilton; son, Brian Hamilton (Sharnissa Toney); grandson, Brian L. Hamilton; sister, Ossie Lundy (Bishop James Lundy) Leslie, GA; sister, Mary Jackson (Henry Jackson) Detroit, MI; sister, Bettye Deriso (Arthur Deriso) DeSoto, GA; brother, Dennis Hamilton (Aundra Hamilton) DeSoto, GA; sister, Jacqueline Halton (Henry Halton) Harker Heights, TX; sister, Regina Watts (Ricarter Watts) Albany, GA; sister, Charlotte Wilson (J. Kirby Wilson) Fort Washington, ME; and a host of other family and friends.



# Cemetery Details

## Graceland Cemetery

6401 N. 43rd St.  
Milwaukee, WI

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 10. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Northwest Funeral Chapel  
6630 W. Hampton Ave  
Milwaukee, WI

## Visitation

JUL 11. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Good Shepherd Trinity  
3302 N. Sherman Blvd.  
Milwaukee, WI

## Service

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# Tribute Wall

CB

“ *The Alabama State University Department of Music wishes to express its deepest sympathy to the family and friends of Mr. Hamilton.*



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**Caterina Bristol** - July 31, 2019 at 05:58 PM

LS

“ *With deepest sympathy for the family. Great memories of my classmate linger still.*

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**Lucille Simmons** - July 18, 2019 at 08:53 PM

 Terri Kroll

“ *Terri Kroll lit a candle in memory of Mr. G. Dwight Hamilton*



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**Terri Kroll** - July 11, 2019 at 11:29 PM

LW

“ *Life Well Lived*  
A life well lived is a precious gift  
Of hope and strength and grace,  
From someone who has made our world  
A brighter, better place  
It's filled with moments, sweet and sad  
With smiles and sometimes tears,  
With friendships formed and good times shared  
And laughter through the years.  
A life well lived is a legacy  
Of joy and pride and pleasure,  
A living, lasting memory  
Our grateful hearts will treasure.  
-Author Unknown

*The Class of 1971*  
*Plains & Union High School*  
*David Laster, Class President*

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**LaVerne Williams** - July 09, 2019 at 09:30 PM



“ *Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. G. Dwight Hamilton.*



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July 09, 2019 at 04:12 PM

SS

“ I sang with Dwight in the Florentine Opera Chorus in the past.  
He was joyful, cheerful, and upbeat, and fun to be around!  
Sincere condolences,  
Sally Lane Schwarz, Soprano

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**Sally Schwarz** - July 09, 2019 at 12:40 PM

JW

“ I extend my deepest sympathy to my cousin G. Dwight Hamilton' s  
Family. I will always remember our times in high school band. This  
is where his love of music started to blossom. May God grant you all  
His mercy and grace during this difficult time. Love Jennie and Otis  
Wells Lawrenceville, GA

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**Jennie Wells** - July 07, 2019 at 10:21 AM

MH

“ Minnie Bell Hamilton lit a candle in memory of  
Mr. G. Dwight Hamilton



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**minnie bell hamilton** - July 06, 2019 at 07:52 PM

JH

“ To Heddy, Erica and Brian.. May God give each of you the comfort you need during this time of transition for my beloved brother Green Dwight Hamilton. I am sure there will be moments of disbelief and yes times of hard felt emotions. Know this God never places more on us than we can bear. God is our truth, dream keeper and most holy One. Please know Dwight was a great man. Even though he is absent from the body, he is definitely presence with the Lord. I know he is in heaven, playing the piano, laughing and having the time of his life. Dwight will be missed, but I get my joy in knowing I will see him again. He would not come back if he could. Dwight, I love you take care my Brother rest in peace. Family, remember the good times and honor his legacy. Love you all Henry, Jacqueline, Kimberly, Kendrick, Konic and Khai.

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**Jacqueline Halton** - July 06, 2019 at 02:04 PM

VM

*We will miss Dwight's artistry, and mostly his love for people(remember the Milwaukee Boys Choir-1997) and his infectious joy of life. Rest In Peace.. Venora and Lafayette McKinney*

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**Venora McKinney** - July 06, 2019 at 08:29 PM

HJ

“ I will forever remember our last conversation, as one of your sisters, you will truly be missed. You didn't call much, but you always had a lot to say. Thanks for making the trip to NY to see our Michael. This is what he said concerning you. ::::

MY UNCLE WAS A BRILLANT MUSICIAN,ARRANGER,SINGER, AND CHORAL DIRECTOR. I saw him when he came to see my musical "A Strange Loop" he was a very friendly, sweet man who many in my family say we resembled in part because we both gravitated toward music. I got to spend some time with him and he expressed how proud he was of me and my accomplishments and how much he loved my show. I am very saddened by his passing, I love you my uncle. May you Rest In Peace. " Michael"

With deepest sympathy From the Detroit Family----- Henry, Mary ,Hank & Irie.

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Henry & Mary Jackson - July 05, 2019 at 08:18 PM