



Deacon Nylon Oglesby

April 24, 1951 - February 11, 2018

Nylon Oglesby the son of Earslean Oglesby and Curtis Henderson was born April 25, 1951 in Pine Bluff, Arkansas. Nylon was the third of 8 children. (He was Preceded in death by 2 siblings).

After the tragic death of his mother and siblings in 1962, Nylon and the remaining Siblings were moved to Milwaukee, WI by their aunts, (Dorothy Oglesby, Idabell Darrough, and Martha Frederick). Nylon received his formal education at Palmer Street School and graduated from Rufus King High School in the 1970's. After Graduation, Nylon was employed at O. C. White Commando Youth Center, Nylon Also was employed at Milwaukee Paint Company where he worked as a loyal Employee for 37 years and retired in 2017.

Nylon was preceded in death by his 2 spouses, Rosie Dean Oglesby and Ethel Briggs Oglesby. Nylon accepted Christ into his life at an early age and united With the Bethel Baptist Church where he was baptized. He later united with the Rock Hill Missionary Baptist Church under the leadership of Rev Andrew Morgan. As a faithful member Nylon was Chairman of the Deacon Board, Sang in the Male and the Adult Choir, worked on the Finance Committee, and was Sunday School Superintendent for over 30 years. Nylon wore many hats and fulfilled the duties needed in all capacities.

He leaves to cherish his memory 1 special adopted daughter, Nakecia Dean, 3 brothers Leon Scott, Manuel McDaniel (Adriana) of Yuma AZ, Curtis

Henderson of Chicago, IL, 3 sisters Earmy J. Boyd (Lucas) of Colorado Springs, CO., Gloria Jeff; 1 Uncle Reverend Johnnie Lee Henderson, 3 Aunts Dorothy Oglesby, Johnny Mae Henderson of Oakland, CA., and Bernice Adams; 25 nieces and nephews and a host of cousins and friends; 7 stepchildren (6 girls and 1 boy), 42 step grandchildren, 23 step great grandchildren (who captured his heart). Nylon was also preceded in death by his sisters Betty Jean Thompson and Ann Henderson, and brothers Billie Ray Henderson and Tony Henderson.

Cemetery Details

Graceland Cemetery

6401 N. 43rd St.
Milwaukee, WI

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB **24**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Rockhill Community B.C.
3105 N.12th Street
Milwaukee, WI

Service

FEB **24**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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