

ORDER OF SERVICE

Musical Prelude

Processional ---- Pastor and Family

Scripture Readings

Old & New Testaments ---- Reverend Clifton Louis

Prayer ---- Reverend Patrick Powell

Selection ---- MMBC Choir

Acknowledgements ---- Cards & Condolences
Family

Expressions (2 minutes please)
Family and Friends

Obituary Reading (Silently)

Selection ---- MMBC Choir

Eulogy ---- Interim Pastor, Rev Jeffrey Todd
Macedonia Missionary Baptist Church

Prayer and Benediction

I AM FREE

Do not grieve for me, for now I am Free
I am following the path Gold has laid you see.
I took his hand when I heard him call
I turned my back and left it all.
I could not stay another day
To Laugh, to Love, to Work, to Play.
Tasks left undone must stay that way
I found that Peace at the close of the day.
If my parting has left a void
Then fill it with remembered joy.
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss
Oh yes, these things I too will miss.
Be not burdened with times of sorrow
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.
My life's been full, I savored much
Good Friends, good times, a loved one's touch.
Perhaps My time seemed all to brief
Do not lengthen it now with undue grief.
Lift your hearts and peace to thee
God wanted me now; He set me Free.

*Love you all,
Eric O.*

OUR SINCERE GRATITUDE

Perhaps you sent a lovely card or sat quietly in a chair;
perhaps you sent a floral piece; if so, we saw it there.
Perhaps you spoke the kindest words, that any friend
could say. Perhaps you were not there at all; just thought
of us that day. Whatever you did to console our hearts, we
thank you so much whatever the part. Your kindness will
never be forgotten!!

SPECIAL THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation and gratitude
to our family, and caregivers for your Love and Support.
Your Care, Friendship, and Kindness through his time of
illness, and our time of Bereavement has been comforting
and we are grateful. May God Continue to Bless each of
you in a Special way.

The Outlaw Family

FINAL ARRANGEMENTS ENTRUSTED TO



In Loving Memory of



ERIC LE'VAR OUTLAW

August 26, 1980

August 24, 2021

SERVICE

**Saturday, September 11, 2021
11:00 AM**

C. A. Dixon III & Sons Funeral Home
205 Fidelity Street
Houston, Texas 77029

*Interim Pastor, Rev Jeffrey Todd, Officiating
Macedonia Missionary Baptist Church*

LIFE REFLECTIONS

A Time to Be Born

Eric Le'Var Outlaw was born on August 26, 1980, in Houston Texas to proud parents, Paula Outlaw & Benjamin King. He attended schools in the Galena Park Independent School District and graduated in 1998. At the time of graduation, he was the active ROTC Captain and held that title from 10th to 12th grades. He was a true gentleman, very soft spoken, and kind.

A Time to Plant

He lived a comfortable life. Although Eric never married, or had children of his own, he loved his nephews, and cousins like his own. He was a very caring man with Love and Compassion for everyone.

A Time to Sow

He worked at Goodwill Industries for many years. He retired due to illness and worked hard to maintain a great relationship with his family, and church family. He endured pain and suffering however, he never gave up or gave in. He remained faithful to God until his transition to be with his Heavenly Father.

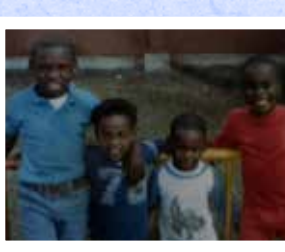
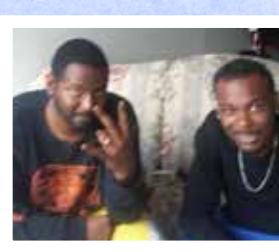
A Time to Die

He departed this earthly life on Tuesday, August 24, 2021. Eric had a loving, caring, and nurturing heart. Each nephew, brother, and sister held a special place in his heart. He enjoyed singing in the choir (tenor), shopping, and being funny with family. He was always eager to help, offering up gentle kind words and a wonderful smile, earning him the nickname "Smiley." Eric will be truly missed by all who knew and loved him.

A Time to Remember

He leaves to cherish his precious memories; his loving mother, Paula Renae Outlaw; one sister, Erica Outlaw; two brothers, Sherwood Outlaw (Samantha), and Kenneth Outlaw; four nephews; Syior, Josiah, Denzel, and Zayden (all of Houston, Texas); and a host of other relatives, friends, and extended family.

PRECIOUS MEMORIES



MOTHER & SON

I would give my life to have you back, said the mom
I know you would, said her son
I cry each night for you, said his mom
And I catch all your tears, said her son
I pray for the day I can see you again, said the mom
Close your eyes and you can see me, said the son....
You are the first person who loved me,
and you are the first person I loved.
You were always there when I needed you,
and you always knew when I needed a hug.
I am here for you now, mom
In your heart and in your soul.
I did not take your heart with me
instead, I left mine with you to hold.
One Day I will take your hand
and lead you to Paradise
but until then my Beautiful Mother,
when you want to see me,
you only need to close your eyes.
And, when you need to see me my son,
I will be here thinking of you and your smile.

*Until we meet again, I love you son,
Mom...*

PRAYER FOR MY BROTHER

Dear Loving Father,
The Presence of my brother in my life
Is a gift to me.
Thank you for his life, His heart, and his soul.
Thanks for giving me Someone who looked
out for me and cared for me.
Even the rivalry between us was a Blessing to me.
Thank you for what I learned from my brother's life and love.
So now I ask you Lord, Bless my brother with the abundance of
Your Love and Mercy.
Cover him with your grace.
Let him feel your tenderness, Touch his soul.
Let him know your mercy, Set his spirit free.
I present to you, oh Lord, My Love for my brother.
Open the heavens to him.
Bring him great peace and joy.
Thank you for my brother, dear Lord.
Thank you for his life and love.
All in the name of the Lord, Jesus Christ, Amen

*Love you Brother,
Sherwood*

THE BROKEN CHAIN

We knew little that morning that God was going to call your name. In life we loved you dearly, in Death we do the same.
It broke our hearts to lose you, you did not go alone,
For part of us went with you, that day God called you home.
You left us peaceful memories; your love is still our guide.
And though we cannot see you, you are always at our side.
Our family chain is broken, nothing seems the same.
But as God calls us one by one, the chain will link again.

*We Love You,
Danielle, Kenneth & Sherwood*