

PRECIOUS MEMORIES



ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

We wish to warmly thank you for your genuine acts of kindness in our time of sadness. Your prayers, cards, flowers, food, visits, and other thoughtful expressions during this difficult time have been a comfort and a source of strength to us all. Our faith in God will keep us and give us peace. May God bless each of you.

The Gee and Crawford Family

ACTIVE PALLBEARERS

- James Allen
- Kevin Day
- Derrick Jenkins
- Keithie Minter, Jr.
- John Ross, Jr.
- Donald Wilkinson



HONORARY PALLBEARERS

Scrap's Cousins

INTERMENT

Hopewell Cemetery

FINAL CARE



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A HOMEGOING CELEBRATION

for
"SCRAP"

ERIC ANDREA CRAWFORD



Sunrise
November 13, 1971

Sunset
July 26, 2024

Funeral Services

ERIC ANDREA "SCRAP" CRAWFORD

Friday, August 9, 2024
One O'clock in the Afternoon

Greater Hopewell Baptist Church
10480 County Road 492 | Tyler, TX

REVEREND JONATHON PRESTON, *Pastor/Officiator*

REV. TYRONE GEE, *Eulogist*
New Home Baptist Church
Overton, Texas

LIFE'S REFLECTIONS OF ERIC

Eric Andrea Crawford was born on Saturday, November 13, 1971, in Tyler, Texas to the parents of Mary Louise Crawford and Johnny Lee, Jr. At an early age he joined the Greater Hopewell Baptist Church. Eric was a 1991 graduate of John Tyler High School where he lettered in basketball. After graduation he furthered his education at Ranger Junior College and continued his passion for playing basketball.

Eric had many hobbies. He enjoyed hunting, fishing, playing dominoes, and watching his favorite sports team, The Dallas Cowboys. Eric never met a stranger, as a result, he was known and loved by many. If you were his friend, then you were his friend. Those who were around him would often hear him use the phrases *"What the What"*.

On Friday, July 26, 2024, Eric gained his wings. The fondest of memories will be cherished by his mother and father: Mary Gee and Johnny Lee, Jr.; son: Brannan (Megan) Crawford; daughters: Erinique Crawford, Eriuna Crawford, and Montoya (Traylon) Shead; grandkids: Graceson Horton, Aniya Shead, Tate Shead, Malakai Jamieson, Amiah Crawford and Kalea Frazier; brothers: Dexter (Marquita) Crawford, Rev. Tyrone (De'Ana) Gee, and Daroyce (Amanda) Gee, as well as a host of aunts, uncles, cousins, special friends, and loved ones.

Eric was preceded in death by his maternal grandparents: Willie Crawford and Louise Roberts Crawford; paternal grandparents: Johnny Lee, Sr. and Ida Lee; and brother Frederick Crawford.

LETTERS TO OUR DADDY

Daddy, the one thing I'm going to miss about hearing your voice is every time we got off the phone we said we loved each other. You asked how much and I would say to the moon and back. I know you loved us. I know you cared about us. I know you loved our children. I'm going to miss your loud laughs. I'm going to miss your corny jokes that you only laughed at. I'm going to miss that big Kool-Aid smile with soup cooler lips that you passed down so thank you for that Daddy. I am going to miss how you showed up for everyone in the family in ways that we didn't think we needed. I will cherish all the memories we have from a little girl until to my adult life. I promise to tell Kalea how much you loved her. Please continue to watch over us. *Until we meet again, I love you, Erinique*

Daddy,

I never thought this day would come so soon but I'm glad we were able to make memories together. Thank you for being YOU. Thank you for all of the love and support you showed me throughout my childhood AND my adulthood! I'm beyond blessed that you got to experience being a "Papa". I know you loved them with every breath in your body. And lastly thank you for never letting me doubt the love you had for me. Every chance you got you told me, "I love you baby". Of course I responded with "I love you too daddy" not thinking that would be the last time I heard that from you! Keep watching over us old man. I promise we won't forget about you. *Love, "Boo"*



SERVICE OF FAREWELL

for

ERIC A. CRAWFORD



Processional

Ministers, Pallbearers and Family

Old Testament Scripture Reading

REV. QUIENTON ROSS

New Testament Scripture Reading

REV. KENNY MOSLEY,

Bowen Temple Baptist Church

Prayer

REV. RUFAS POLLARD

Mt. Calvary Baptist Church

Song

New Home Baptist Church Choir

Tribute

John Tyler Class of '91

Remarks

Limit Two Minutes Please

Solo

REGINALD STARKS

Acknowledgements

TWANA YOUNG

Resolutions

Greater Hopewell Baptist Church

New Home Baptist Church

Life Reflections

Read silently to soft music

Song

New Home Baptist Church

Eulogy

REV. TYRONE GEE

Final Glimpse

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Recessional

