

Acknowledgement

Your words have comforted us, your support has strengthened us, and your love has sustained us. We extend our deepest thanks to you for your kindness during our greatest sadness. We appreciate it more than words can express, and it will always be remembered. - The Family of John Lewis

Active Pallbearers

Derrick Collins | Donell Collins | Gregory Collins
Chester Lewis, Jr. | Marvin Lewis | Jerone Reddic

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John
EDWARD
LEWIS

Celebrating the Life, Love, and Laughter

of

JOHN EDWARD LEWIS

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2023
ELEVEN O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING
LAKESIDE MEMORIAL CHAPEL

Prelude

Processional CLERGY AND LEWIS FAMILY

Welcome ELDER JAMES LINEAR, SR.

Prayer BISHOP MICHAEL FRANKLIN

Old & New Testament Scripture ELDER JAMES LINEAR, SR.

Congregation Song BRO. JOE LEWIS

Reading of the Obituary

Remarks *Two Minutes Please*

Solo FIRST LADY JACQUELINE FRANKLIN

Eulogy PASTOR SUPT. LESTER R. COLTER, SR.

Recessional



Reflection of JOHN EDWARD LEWIS

On Saturday, June 17, 1950 in Bay City, Texas, James and Frankie Lewis welcomed their baby boy, John Edward into the world. John was a fun kid who enjoyed playing baseball, football, as well as volleyball. During the summers it was customary that our parents would take us to pick cotton to help provide for the family as well as purchase our school clothes. Everyone knew that John who we called 'brother' was only going to stay in the fields for a short period of time before he decided that he's had enough and would either walk or catch a ride home. We laugh today reflecting on how our parents would come to pick us up and ask about John... he would already be home waiting for us.

John attended George Washington Carver in Galveston, Texas but decided it would be more advantageous to work and help his dad in the family's Waste Management Business. Yes, John was a hard worker and spent his life working in the family business.

John was a simple average guy who enjoyed making us laugh and smile. He had such a way with words that it kept us amused. He enjoyed watching westerns and wrestling. It was common

place to hear him brag about being 'The Heavy Weight Champion of the World' although he never wrestled a day in his life!

There are so many great memories that we have of John including his love for family, his smile and the way he made us smile, his love for good home cooking including fried chicken, pork chops, and cabbage. He really loved Little Debbie Oatmeal Cakes, bananas, as well as breakfast foods.

John, a son, brother, father, nephew, cousin, uncle, and friend passed away on Friday, October 6, 2023, at home surrounded by his family.

He will be missed deeply by all that knew and loved him including his parents James and Frankie Lewis; his brothers: Joe Andrew Lewis, and Chester Wayne Lewis Sr.; his sisters: Sandra Kay Collins, Ivy Marie Young and Darlene Reddic; as well as a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, friends, and loved ones.

As we celebrate his life, we reflect on those who went on before him including his daughter: Jessica Baugh, his brothers: James "Big Jack" Lewis Jr., and Cedric "Baddie / Ced" Eugene Lewis.

