



A CELEBRATION OF LIFE

# CLARENCE

JAMES  
White II



HONORING  
THE  
LIFE OF

# CLARENCE James White II



As a new day dawned, a new life began. The morning of January 27, 2024, the summons came, and he answered, moving into eternity. Clarence J. White II was born on October 20, 1998, in Cincinnati, to Clarence J. White and Monica McClinton-nee Armstrong.

He attended Withrow High School and was very active in sports. He participated in baseball, wrestling and football. In 2017, he graduated and became an active alumnus attending many sporting events when time permitted.

In 2020, he confessed Christ and was baptized at New Nazarene Baptist Church by Pastor Clarence E. as Glover.

In 2021, he joined the United States Army and began his career with basic training at Ft. Benning, Georgia. He met many life-long friends and graduated in March 2022 as an Infantry Soldier. For first duty station he was assigned to Fort Hood/Fort Cavazos, Texas. On September 28, 2023, he was very excited to celebrate his 2-year anniversary as an enlisted soldier and was promoted to the rank of Corporal. During his 2-year service he was deployed to the European Theater and visited Poland and Germany. He really enjoyed the overseas experience and took many pictures, brought home a multitude of souvenirs and foreign currency. During his career he also began to learn about and practice the Muslim religion.

CJ or little CJ, as he was affectionately called was “THE” life of the party and always wanted to have a good time no matter what the activity or event. CJ was fun-loving, silly, charismatic and could be considered a big teddy bear or gentle giant. He was always displaying that handsome smile.

CJ leaves to cherish his memories, his mother Monica (Mark) McClinton, his father Clarence (Michelle) White. His grandparents, Archie (Clemmie) Armstrong, and Eugene (Pamela) North. His great grand- mother, Armenta White. Siblings; Diamund McClinton, Jiya White, Malcolm (Olivia) McClinton, Shontia (Sundiata) Daniel, Mark McClinton II, Terra Dennis, Porsha McClinton, Ryan Sims, Antonio (Nikki) Stephens, Muhamade McClinton, Maleah McClinton, Malissa McClinton, Terrance Gaines, Anthony Johnson, and Kobe Sims. And a host of aunts, uncles, cousins and friends.

He was preceded in death by his grand parents Clarence and Beatrice Hayden, Dean and Rosemary Matters nee-Armstrong, and his brother, Kyle Johnson.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 2024

Visitation: 10:00 A.M. Service: 11:30 A.M.

# CORINTHIAN BAPTIST CHURCH

1920 Tennessee Ave., Cincinnati, Ohio 45237

Pastor Clarence E. Glover, New Nazarene Baptist Church

Officiant

# ORDER OF SERVICE

Musical Prelude.....

Parting view.....The Family

Scripture.....Deacon Archie Armstrong

Prayer.....

Selection.....Teresa Teri Anderson

Acknowledgements.....Vanessa Davis

Obituary.....Silently Read 3 Mins

Remarks.....Family has selected a few individuals

*There will be time for additional remarks at the repast*

Selection.....Teresa Teri Anderson

Eulogy.....Pastor Clarence E. Glover

Benediction.....Pastor Clarence E. Glover

Recessional.....Clergy, Family, and Friends

# INTERMENT

Spring Grove Cemetery

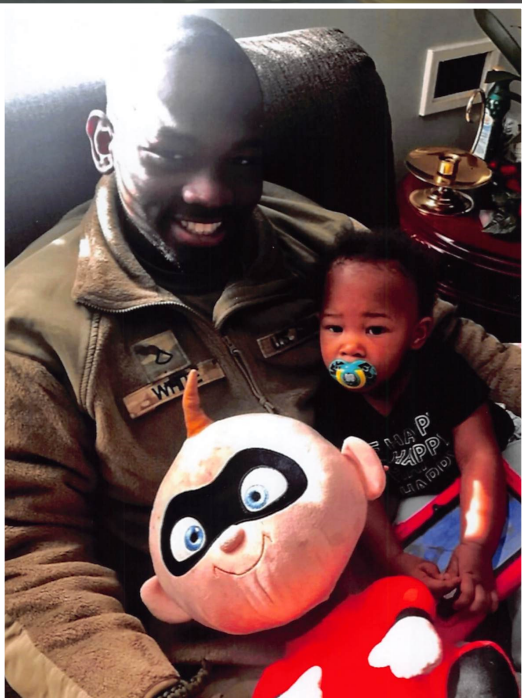
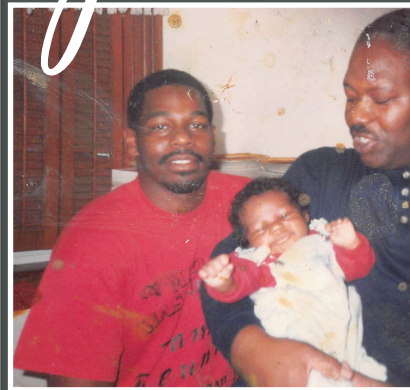
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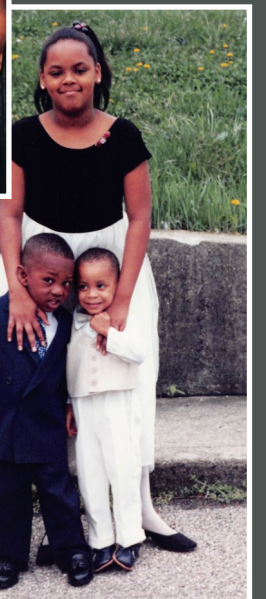
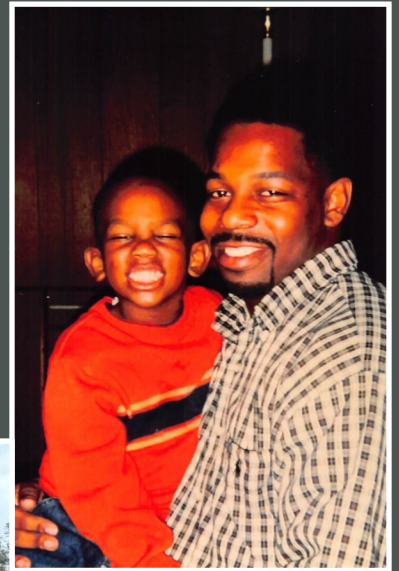
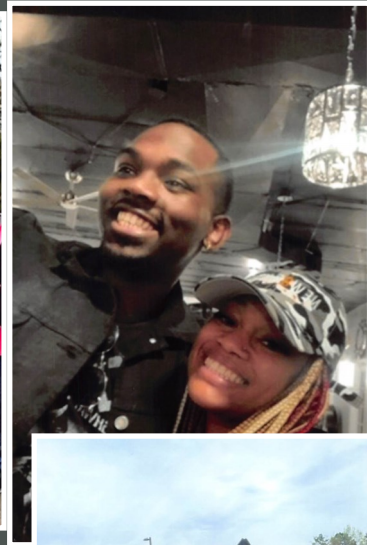


# Remembering

A SON.



# GRANDSON, BROTHER, FRIEND, AND SOLDIER



1998–2024

# The Dash

I read of a man who stood to speak at the funeral of a friend.

He referred to the dates of his tombstone, from the beginning to the end.

He noted that first came the date of his birth and spoke of the following date with tears.

But he said, what mattered most of all was the dash between those years.

For ***THE DASH*** represents all the time that he spent alive on earth

Now only those who loved him, know what that little line is worth.

For it matters not how much we own, the cars, the house, the cash.

What matters is how we lived and loved, and how we spend our dash.

So, think about this long and hard, are there things you'd like to change?

For you never know how much time is left that can still be rearranged.

If we could just slow down enough to consider what's true and real,

Always try to understand the way other people feel.

If we treat each other with respect and more often wear a smile.

Remembering that this special dash might only last a little while.

So, when your eulogy is being read with your life's actions to rehash.

Would you be proud of the things they say about how you spent your dash?



# WORDS TO CJ

Dearest CJ, I Love you! Your smile and energy were infectious, and I will miss you deeply. You will forever live in my heart...Diamund

First time I met you ended up babysitting you. You have always been a cool, laid-back individual! Always about family, even though we weren't blood brothers it was always 100% love, never anything less! When you went to the Army you made all of us proud. I loved hearing your 'top shot' stories, giving you relationship advice and seeing you grow into your own. My memories will live forever, fly high lil CJ, Your Big Bro for life...Tonio

A great brother, uncle and friend forever and always will love you ...Porsha

I'm gone miss you so much bro. You are a one of one and I promise to keep ya name alive! I will never forget the good times; we had a ball! I promise to ball for you and do everything I told you I would do. You are with Kyle now and I want you two to keep watchin' over me. This is not a good-bye, it's a see you later Fly Guy! I love you for every and always...Pearl (Maleah)

CJ, I hate we didn't get to spend more time together. I am so grateful for the time we did have, the laughs and memories we share. I love and miss you so much little brother! Even though you are gone, you will live forever in my heart...Jiya

I will cherish all the moments we ever shared. It never mattered whether it was a short time or a long time, it was always a great time. I am so proud of you! You made the most out of every situation and truly lived life to the fullest. You will be missed but never forgotten. Love always, your Big Brother...Malcolm

There is nothing in the world that could have prepared me to lose you. The impact you had on myself, and others will last a lifetime. Thank you for all the memories that will replay in my head when I think of you. Your presence will be missed, your name will forever hold weight down here. I love you! everything in honor of you and Kyle...Malissa

I love you to infinity and beyond! Life will not be the same without you here  
.....Ryan

Remembering my brothers are in heaven together brings me peace. Knowing y'all spirits live on wherever our love reaches. I love you bro. You know I'm going to keep coming trim for us forsure. Rest easy Fly Guy!  
....Ant (Anthony Johnson)

Thank you for being a great big brother.  
I Love you  
Kobe

The hardest thing in losing you is accepting the fact that you are no longer with us. Because you are absent from the body, we know that you are present with the Lord. You are the beacon, the catalyst to where we all hope to transition to when it is all said and done. I am sure you and Kyle are up there drinking the holy water and getting drunk off the holy spirit. I love you CJ more than words can describe. I will miss you tremendously...Mark Jr.

Visualizing your smile, you would light up any room. Always down for the party. You have been in my life since you were 5 years old. I never used 'stepbrother', you were and always will be my little brother. I will miss all the stories you told when you came home, just to see you smile.

Forever the laid-back kid, or should I say ladies' man! This is not a goodbye just a see you later. You will forever hold a special place in my heart...Terra

I could write a book I have so much to say, but Lil' Bro – this one crushed me! I love you for life and in the afterlife...Terrance

What's understood ain't gotta be explained you wasn't just a brother you was part of the 'gang' as well. Watch over my kids for me love you always....Muhamade

Words cannot convey what it feels like to lose such a light in this world. Little brother thank you for being and sharing yourself with us all. From your positive energy to your infectious smile; I am so grateful to have known you. Thank you for your frequent visit when I got my first apartment. I felt so lonely at first. I am not sure if you knew that but the times we spent together meant so much! I will forever cherish all of the memories, laughter and love...Shontia

# ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

We the family of CJ know that facing the death of a loved one is not easy. We hurt because we love and miss him so much. We want to express our heartfelt appreciation for your prayers, visits, cards, phone calls and overwhelming acts of kindness shown to us at this very difficult time in our lives.

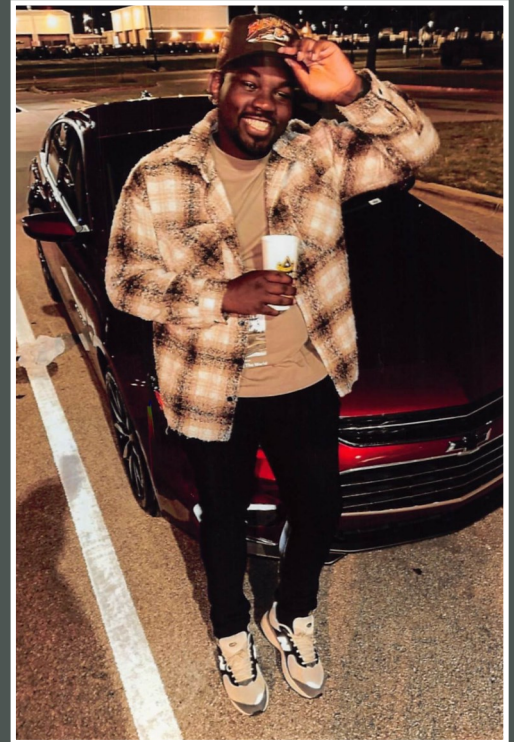
## BROKEN CHAIN

Little did we know that morning  
God was going to call your name,

In life we loved you dearly, in death we do the same.

It breaks our hearts to lose you, you did not leave alone;  
for parts of us went with you the day God called you home.  
You left us wonderful memories; your love is still our guide.

Though we cannot see you, you are always by our side.  
Our family chain is broken, and nothing seems the same,  
But as God calls us one by one, the chain will link again.



*A Mother is a Son's first true love.  
A Son, especially the first son, is a mother's last  
true love  
- Denzel Washington*



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