



Mr. Gregory Gaynor

February 7, 1955 - March 7, 2021

Gregory Lewis Gaynor also known as “Yero” was born on February 7, 1955 at Harlem Hospital in New York City to Serena Hill Gaynor and Bravet Earl Gaynor. He departed this life on Sunday, March 7, 2021.

Gregory was baptized at an early age at The New Pilgrim Missionary Baptist Church in Harlem, New York. He graduated from Harlem Preparatory School and continued his education at the City College of New York and the University of Vermont. Gregory was employed with the City of New York’s Parks Department, as well as Forbes Publishing company and also worked as a courier. He loved the outdoors, music, art, and sports cars. Gregory loved his family especially his two nieces, Morgan and Candace.

Gregory was preceded in death by his father, Bravet Gaynor; his brother, Morris Gaynor; his maternal grandparents, William Edward and Mollie Hill; his paternal grandparents, Steven and Francis Gaynor; his Godfather, Deacon John Freeman.

Gregory leaves to mourn and in God’s care one son, Kori Darnell Gaynor; one grandson, Tyrese; his mother, Serena Gaynor; his sister, Sharon Gaynor-Johnson; one brother-in-law, Brook Johnson; one sister-in-law, Pamela Andrews-Gaynor; two aunts, Sidney Gaynor and Sybil Gaynor; one uncle, Charles Gaynor; two nieces, Morgan and Candace Gaynor.

Cemetery

St. Francis Missionary Baptist Church Cemetery

Blounts Creek, NC, 27814

Events

MAR 20 **Viewing** 12:00PM - 01:00PM

St. Francis Missionary Baptist
Church
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MAR 20 **Graveside** 01:00PM

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Comments



“ William B. Wilson and Wilson family. Greg and I grew up together. We first met as cub scouts member during the mid 60's. My father was scout master and Mrs. Gaynor was a den mother. We later joined the boy scouts, and our parents enrolled us in the summer day camp junior high school 43. Greg and his brother Morris was a member of Riverside Church youth dept. which my brother and I also joined. Everyone loved being around both of us because we were both comedians which kept everyone laughing. We also played football for the Riverside Warriors in 1972 when we went 9-0 and became Champs. Greg loved coming to my 4th of July cookout when he would rent a car and drive north to my house. My dear friend Greg will truly be missed. I know he is in a better place right now looking down on us with that big smile that would light up a room. Blessing to the Gaynor family relative and friends.

William B. Wilson - March 18 at 10:01 PM



“ Cora and Shirley Herrin purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Mr. Gregory Gaynor.



Cora and Shirley Herrin - March 18 at 07:26 PM



“ I'm glad I had the pleasure of spending time with Greg at a cook out and also speaking with him this past Christmas. He was fun loving and had a laugh that made you join in. A life long family friend who will truly be missed. Love Yvette Anderson (Kendrick)

Yvette Anderson-Kendrick - March 18 at 10:29 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mr. Gregory Gaynor.



March 18 at 10:21 AM



“ 58 files added to the album LifeTributes



Congleton Memorial Mortuary - March 17 at 10:57 AM



“ Congleton Funeral Home and Staff wishes to express our sincere condolence on the passing of your love one. We light this candle in their.



Congleton Funeral Home and Staff - March 12 at 04:14 PM



“ To the family of Mr. Gregory Gaynor, My thoughts are with you during this difficult time. I remember Gregory to be a person that stood his ground, no nonsense and very direct. I am sure his was a fighter until God called him home, he loved his family. I pray that God will give you strength and courage for the days ahead, may your memories of Gregory remain constant and give you peace. May God bless and keep you and make his face to shine upon you, this day and forever more.

Love Christa Umstead-Johnson and family

Christa Johnson - March 12 at 10:59 AM