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A CELEBRATION OF LIFE  
FOR  
*Wayne LaVaughn North*



SUNRISE  
AUGUST 14, 1949

SUNSET  
JULY 18, 2021

SUNDAY, JULY 25, 2021  
1:00 PM

OZARK CIVIC CENTER AUDITORIUM  
320 East College Street  
Ozark, Alabama 36360

Final Care Entrusted To:



114 Harper Drive Ozark, AL (334) 774-1064

PRESIDING ELDER, DAVID E. REDDICK,  
(RETIRED AME CHURCH), OFFICIATING

# OBITUARY

Mr. Wayne LaVaughn North was born August 14, 1949 in Nashville, Tennessee to the late Dorothy Jean Baugh and Henry North. He was nurtured and loved dearly by his grandparents, the late Theo and Fannie Hargrove.

At an early age Wayne joined Mount Nebo Baptist Church. He was a member of Northview Christian Church in Dothan. He loved the Lord and enjoyed sharing the goodness of the Lord through gospel music. One of his favorite songs was "God has Smiled on Me". Mr. North was definitely a pillar in the community.

Wayne graduated from Pearl Cohn High School in Nashville, Tennessee, studied Sociology at Wallace College, Dothan Alabama, studied Criminal Justice at Troy University, studied Adult Education at Auburn University, attended Tennessee State University and did further studies at Jones School of Law-Montgomery and Bethany Divinity College and Seminary. He was also a member of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc. He joined the United States Army and was stationed in Fort Rucker, followed by a stint in Germany. He was married to Sandra Boykin North for 29 years. In this union, he was blessed with three beautiful children, Terri North Byrts, Wayne LaVaughn North II (Rudi) and Chase Alexander North. He later married Juanita Ware North and they shared a union for 18 years. Necy adored her husband, they loved to travel and visit their children, grandchildren and family. She was always totally vested in all of his dreams and aspirations.

Wayne North was a teacher at Vivian B. Adams School, the Director of Adult Basic Education for Ozark City Schools, Pastor at Macedonia Baptist Church, a UPS driver, manager at Hardee's - Eufaula, a gospel radio DJ and talk show host, and center director of Autrey Recreation Center. However, he was most known for his passion of being an entrepreneur and starting multiple businesses in Ozark Alabama. He owned Northwind Learning Center, was a concert promoter of Windsong Productions, was the owner of many businesses including Wayne's World Gym where he served as the certified personal fitness trainer, Saturn's Night Club, TRC's Clothing Store, Que Joe's Barbeque, a local radio station and Fannie's Cafe.

During his spare time he loved to be involved with the youth in the community. He started the S.C. Jackson Singers, Right Stuff Teen Club, taught many children and adults to swim. He touched many lives and was loved, admired and respected by all.

The Lord called him home on July 18, 2021 at Flowers Hospital in Dothan, Alabama with his wife, Necy, right by his side. The gates of heaven opened up and extended a welcome invitation to sing in the Heavenly Choir. He will be greatly missed by all who loved him and fondly remembered by his family, friends and loved ones.

Wayne leaves a many precious and fond memories that will forever be cherished by his devoted wife, Juanita "Necy" North; three children, Terri (Danny) Byrts, Tuscaloosa, AL, Wayne (Akilah) L. North, II "Rudi", Jacksonville, FL, Chase A. North - Chattanooga, TN; one step-son, Charles Kidd Jr. "Chuck", Ozark, AL; five grandchildren, Spencer Alexander George, Zoey Jackson, Jahkobi Sandre North, Tori Alexandra North, Jahari Dontallo North; one brother, Harold North, Nashville, TN; seven sisters, Geraldine Williams, Terri Lynn (James) Johnson, Jacqueline Baugh, Sharon Hale, Twylah North, Deitra North Hayes all of Nashville, TN, and Barbara Timberlake, Newnan, GA; three sisters-in-law, Diane Nance, Memphis, TN, Annie Kate West, Ozark, AL and Helen Edwards, El Paso, TX; three brothers-in-law, Roy (Annette) Ware, Dothan, AL, Kery (Veronica) Ware, Ozark, AL, Richard (Emma) Ware, Orange, VA; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, family and friends. Wayne was preceded in death by one brother, James Edward North.



# ORDER OF SERVICE

## PROCESSIONAL

### SCRIPTURE

Old Testament.....	Bishop James C. Johnson
New Testament.....	Reverend Steven Hudson
Prayer.....	Reverend Walter Pogue

MELODY OF SONGS.....	Ms. Bethel Terry
OBITUARY.....	Read in Silence
TRIBUTES.....	Mr. Myron Williams Mr. Wayne L. (Rudi) North, II Ms. Inez Pennington

### ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

### SELECTION

"What a Friend We Have in Jesus".....	Ms. Bethel Terry
EULOGY.....	Reverend David E. Reddick Dothan-Eufaula District, Presiding Elder (Retired)

### RECESSIONAL

INTERMENT	Repast
Woodlawn Memorial Gardens Ozark, Alabama	Fannie's Cafe 192 West Reynolds Street

