

## *His Journey Goes On*

It's all about the journey  
It's the part that counts  
Even when he gets there  
He may just turn around.  
He rides like an eagle, flying  
All along the stars  
It's all about the journey  
Safe now from any harm.  
Too soon he left to travel  
Beyond where we can see  
But it's all about the journey  
Forever riding free.

## *Pallbearers*

Brad Brown  
Javorious Gilbert  
Jarvis Lewis  
George Relthford  
Garrett Relthford  
Kevonderious Relthford

## *Flower Attendants*

Nieces & Friends

## *Acknowledgments*

The family of the late Mr. G.W. Relthford, would like to offer our gratitude for all acts of kindness shown to our family during this time of bereavement. Your prayers, phone calls, cards, food and any gestures rendered to us is greatly appreciated. May the love of God be with each of you is our prayer.

THE FAMILY

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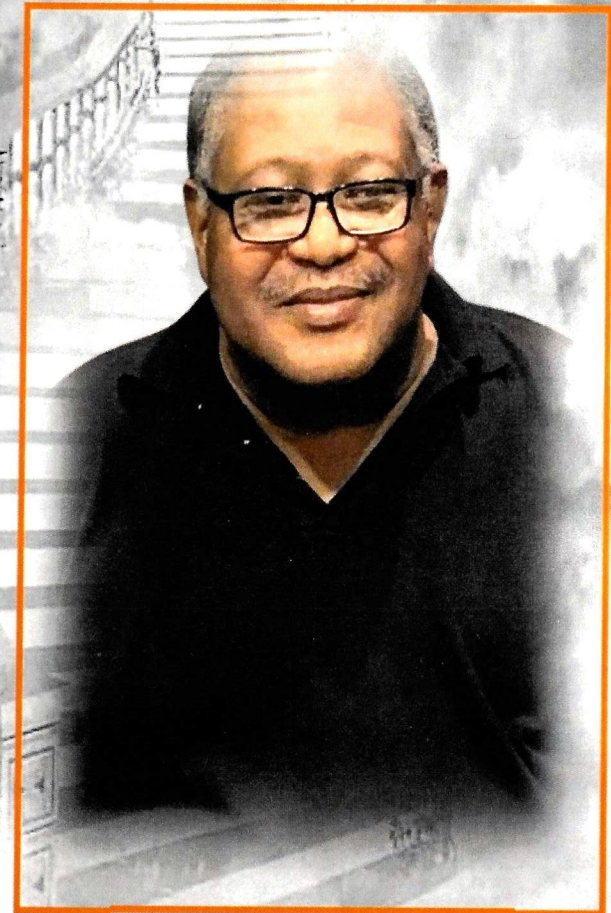
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# CELEBRATION OF LIFE

## *G. W. Relthford, Jr.*

JANUARY 26, 1957

JANUARY 2, 2022



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January 7<sup>th</sup>, 2022

Breakthrough Church International  
615 N. 9<sup>th</sup> Street, Griffin, Georgia 30223  
Bishop Michael Lawrence, Host Pastor  
Assistant Minister Tyrone Barkley, Officiant



## Remembering "G.W."

A beloved husband, son, father, grandfather, brother, nephew, uncle, cousin, and friend. **G.W. Relthford, Jr.** departed this world unexpectedly at 64, on January 2, 2022. Born in Griffin, Georgia on January 26, 1957 to Ms. Willa Sims Relthford and the late Mr. G.W. Relthford, Sr.

He joined Towaliga Baptist Church in Jackson, GA at an early age. He was a graduate of Griffin High School and attended Clayton State University. After employed for 38 years with International Paper, Inc., Forest Park, GA, he retired due to sudden illnesses. During his employment there, he was a supervisor and served on the company's Bowling Team.

G.W. was a lover of motorcycles, fixing automobiles, and listening to gospel music. He was a faithful member of Stack'em Tite Ryderz Motorcycle Club, Black Spiders, Wrist Breakers and Golden Ten.

G.W. was married to a faithful caregiver, Michelle L. Johnson-Relthford for 26 years. As God would have them to be the proud parents of George (Marie) Relthford, Carrollton, GA; Natasha (Jason) Gilbert, A'sha Willis, Garrick Relthford; Nakia Relthford, Ja'Naya Relthford all of Griffin, and the late Christopher Relthford.

G.W. leaves behind a loving mother: Ms. Willa Sims Relthford; a brother: Rick (Louise) Relthford; sisters and brothers-in-law: Teresa (Thomas) Coggins, Calvert (Barbara) Johnson, Quintina (Tommy) Smith, Fernando Jordan, Patrice Lewis, Jarvis (Kauchia) Lewis, Derrick Lewis, and Travis Calloway; father-in-law: Jimmy Lee Calloway; a special cousin-in-law and dedicated nurse, Crystal Jones; close friends: Emmett Brice, Culloden, GA; Brad Brown, Pamplico, SC; and Dennis (Domnifer) Davis; special nieces-in-law: Jasmine Coggins, San Antonio, TX and Sydnee Coggins, Columbus, GA. In addition, he leaves to cherish his memory to 20 grandchildren, four great-grandchildren, several other relatives, and friends.



## Order of Service

**Assistant Minister Tyrone Barkley, Officiating**  
Laodicea Baptist Church • Forsyth, GA 31029

### Processional

### Sealing of the Bier

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### Prayer

Rev. Eddie Collier

Towaliga County Line Baptist Church • Jackson, GA 30233

### Scripture

Old Testament

Bro. Thomas Coggins

New Testament

Dea. John Dragg

### Solo

Bishop LaDamian D. Raines

### Remarks

*(2 minutes, please)*

Family & Friends

### Obituary

*(read silently)*

### Eulogy

Assistant Minister, Tyrone Barkley

### Acknowledgments

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### Recessional

### Interment

*(Private Burial)*