

## *A Word of Thanks*

Perhaps you sang a lovely song or sat quietly in a chair. Perhaps you sent beautiful flowers. If so, we saw them there. Perhaps you sent or spoke a kind word as any friend could say. Perhaps you were not there at all, just thought of us that day. Perhaps you rendered a service unseen; near, at-hand, or from afar. Whatever you did to console our hearts, WE THANK YOU so very much. Your acts of love made a difference in the lives that Donte' touched.

## *Pallbearers*

David Dowe - Devin Curtis - Cameron Jacox  
Kevin Spears, Jr. - Schuyler Bowens - Devin Hall - Henry Washington



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A Celebration of Life Honoring

# *Carl Donte' Curtis*

July 3, 1990 - December 13, 2023



## Saturday, December 30, 2023

Marlan J. Gary Funeral Home

### Chapel of Peace East

5456 East Livingston Ave., Columbus, Ohio 43232

Visitation: 9:00am - Service: 10:00am

## Obituary

Carl Donte' Curtis was born in Columbus, Ohio on July 3, 1990, to Carl Kevin and Kimberly Denise Curtis. He is the third of four children from this union. He attended Beechcroft High School, where he was well-known and liked.

He had a magnetic personality, was attentive, a great listener and committed to understanding different views and perspectives. His smile was contagious and lit up any room that he entered, never meeting any strangers!

Donte' was charismatic, fun-loving, and the life of any party! If you knew "Tae Da Bud" as his mom called him, you could attest that he was one of the nicest, most kind and polite young men that you'd ever meet. He was tall in stature and a gentleman at heart!

Donte' was always happy, upbeat, understanding and positive. He had a love for music and basketball, and his work ethic was unmatched. He possessed a vast skill set including, lawn care services, moving and hauling, painting, driving, demolition and apartment rehab, and most recently a professional car detailer. Donte' used his gifts and anointing to support his brother as sole day-to-day operator of Divine Mobile Detail. His customers often marveled at his work, describing it as, "Cleaning at it's best, passing any white glove test!".

Donte' was a loving son, father, brother, uncle and protector who valued family. He took great pride in being a father to his two beautiful boys, who will carry on the respect and legacy of his name.

Donte' is preceded in death by his grandparents, Carl Edward Curtis, Barbara Jean Curtis, and Augustus Spears; aunt, Carlynn Mae Robinson, and cousin, Albert Darnell Robinson.

He leaves to cherish his memory his parents, Carl Kevin Curtis and Kimberly (Ali) Curtis; sons, Kiyon Carlonte Curtis and Carl "CJ" Donte' Curtis; siblings, David (Jocelyn) Dowe, Sasha (Roger) Lloyd, and Devin Curtis; grandmother, Marva Johnson; uncles, Gene (Sheila) Curtis, Kevin (Fonda) Spears, and Charles (Manuela) Garland; aunt, Lutricia Curtis; three nieces, two nephews, and a host of cousins and special friends, including Cameron Jacox.

## Order of Service

ORGAN PRELUDE.....Chapel of Peace Music Ministry

PARTING VIEW.....Immediate Family

SCRIPTURE READING..... Elder Rodney Palmer  
Old Testament..... Psalm 23  
New Testament ..... John 14:1-7

PRAYER..... Rev. Albert Robinson

SELECTION.....Quan Howell

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS ..... Fonda Spears

REMARKS ..... Eric Robinson  
Devin Curtis  
David Dowel  
Cameron Jacox

READING OF OBITUARY..... Fonda Spears

SELECTION - "*THE TABLE*" ..... Jonathan Traylor

"I will see you again at the table" - Carl Kevin Curtis

## *The Eulogy*

Elder Rodney Palmer

BENEDICTION ..... Elder Rodney Palmer

RECESSIONAL.....Clergy, Family, and Friends

## *Interment - Eastlawn Cemetery*

1340 Woodland Ave.  
Columbus, Ohio 43219