

Acknowledgement

The Family would like to extend their sincere thanks to each of you, whether you sent a card and or offered comforting words, lent a shoulder, said prayer, or simply kept us in your thoughts it has not gone unnoticed. Your kind expression of sympathy will always be remembered. We would like to thank Grace Apostolic Church and New Life Apostolic Church for your kindness, phone calls, cards, food, love, and prayers. Thank You Thank You. We would also like to thank the St. Ann Hospital Staff, Doctors, and Nurses for taking real good care of my husband and doing his hospital care. We would also like to thank the Mt. Carmel Hospice Team for the love and support shown to us through this difficult time.

Pallbearers

ERIC GAUSE – RICCO GAUSE – RICHARD RICH

Honorary Pallbearers

DAVID HOWELL – KENNETH HOWELL

Letter from Heaven

When tomorrow starts without me,
and I'm not here to see,
if the sun should rise and find your
eyes, filled with tears for me.

I wish so much you wouldn't cry,
the way you did today,
while thinking of the many things
we didn't get to say.

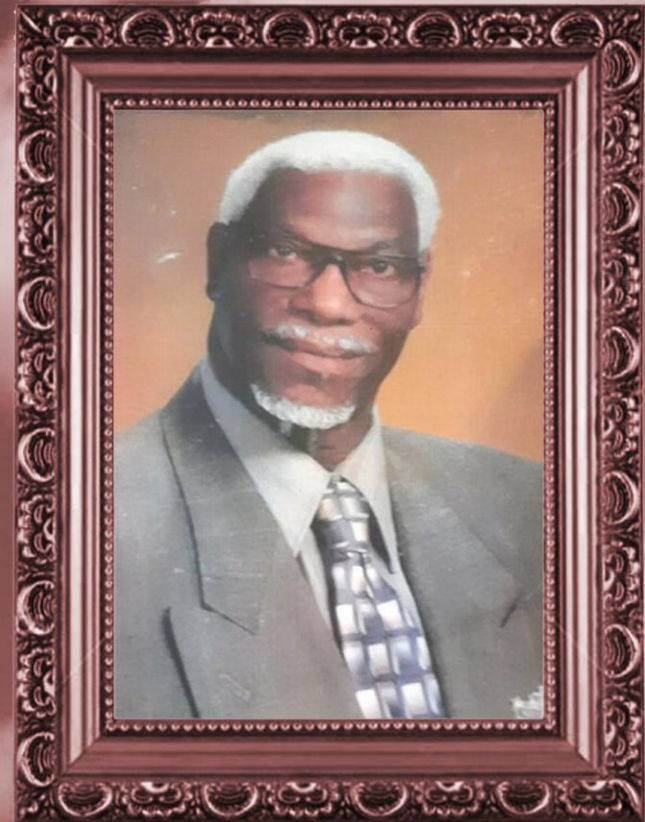
I know how much you love me,
as much as I love you,
and each time you think of me,
I know you'll miss me too.

When tomorrow starts without me,
don't think we're far apart,
for every time you think of me,
I'm right there in your heart. ♥

To offer condolences to The Ware Family,
visit www.TheChapelofPeace.com



Homegoing Celebration for



John Robert Ware, Jr.

February 26, 1936 - January 20, 2023

~Service~

MONDAY, JANUARY 30, 2023 ~ 12:00 PM

Grace Apostolic Church

1743 E. Lakeview Avenue
Columbus, OH 43224

Obituary

Minister John R. Ware, Jr. was born on February 26, 1936 in Columbus, Ohio. He was the son of the late John and Opal Ware. Minister Ware went home to be with the Lord on Friday, January 20, 2023, while at home with his loving wife and family by his side.

Minister Ware has always been a hard-working man. In 1967, while living in Detroit, he was of the first managers at Chrysler. He retired in 1985, after suffering a serious injury after moving back to Columbus.

Minister Ware worked at the Columbus Airport for 22 years as a supervisor and shuttle driver. In 1992, he sold Stacey Adams shoes and even ran his own shoe store which he named after his wife, Laura Shoe Company.

Minister Ware began a new life in July 1986, when he surrendered his life to the Lord. At New Life Apostolic Church, he served there faithfully as a Van Driver, Sunday School Teacher, Brotherhood President, assisted with accounting and directed the trauma center.

Minister Ware became a Deacon and was called to the ministry. In 2005, led by the Lord, he and his wife moved their membership to Grace Apostolic Church where he worked in many capacities, such as Chairman of the Brotherhood, Greeter, and Parking Lot Security.

Minister Ware was preceded in death by his parents, John and Opal Ware; son, Brian Ware; daughter, Crystal Ware; and brother, Benjamin Henry Ware.

Minister Ware leaves to cherish his memory, his devoted and loving wife, Laura Ware; sons, Robert (Jackie) Ware and Michael (Maria) Ware; brother, Louis Ware; sisters, Patricia Bolden and Estelle Madison; and a host of nephews, nieces and grandchildren as well as great grandchildren, relatives and friends.

Minister John Ware will truly be missed by all those who had the pleasure of knowing and loving him and his smile was infectious.

Order of Service

ORGAN PRELUDE	Music Ministry
READING OF OBITUARY.....	Silently
SCRIPTURE READING	Clergy
Old Testament.....	
New Testament.....	
PRAYER.....	Clergy
SELECTION	Music Ministry
ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS	
REMARKS	Family and Friends
READING OF OBITUARY.....	Silently
SELECTION	Music Ministry

The Eulogy

BISHOP JAMES W. GAITERS, SR

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

Interment

EASTLAWN CEMETERY

Repast

*Immediately Following the Interment at
Grace Apostolic Church – Hardy Center*

*I am the resurrection and the life: He that believeth in me
though he were dead yet shall he live.*

And whosoever liveth and believeth in me shall never die.

~John 11:25-26