

Keith Aleric McFayden Sr.

May 22, 1933 - July 26, 2024

Keith Aleric McFayden (Babba) passed away on July 26, 2024, at the age of 91. Keith was born in Kingston, Jamaica to the late Clovis and Gladys McFayden.

Keith attended and graduated high school in Kingston, Jamaica, where he lived until migrating to Rochester, New York, in 1968.

Keith has held various positions. He retired from Eastman Kodak of Rochester, NY, and, with his wife Mary, moved to Ocala, Florida, in 1994. He also worked as a bus driver in Ocala, Florida.

Keith was known to be thoughtful, kind, and considerate. He was also known to go the extra mile for anyone who needed him.

Keith's deepest enjoyment was in being zealous and a loyal Jehovah's Witness.

Keith is survived by his loving and devoted wife, Mary McFayden, of 44 years. Mary and Keith were united in matrimony on June 21, 1980.

Keith was the proud father of twelve children, three of which preceded him in death. Son; Carlton McFayden, son; Collin Thomas (Bill), daughter; Patricia Goode (Dawn).

He leaves to mourn his cherished memory.... Son; Keith Aleric McFayden, Jr. of Williamsville, New York (Emma), Son; Chris McFayden (Del) of Rochester, New York, Joseph A. McFayden Sr. of Round Rock, Tx., Daughter, Jennifer Chambers of Hamilton, Canada (Riley), Daughter; Deon (Kaye) McFayden of Tampa, Florida, Daughter; Joan McFayden of New York, New York, Michael

Edwards of Rochester, New York, Victoria Tanksley of Kingstree, South Carolina (Herman), and Teresa Edwards of Rochester, New York.

All of Keith's siblings preceded him in death: four sisters and three brothers: Joyce, Yvonne, Sylvia, Phyllis, Kenneth, Vincient, and Aston.

Keith also leaves a host of cherished grandchildren, great-grandchildren, bonus grandchildren, nieces, nephews, great-great-nieces, and great-nephews.

A special thanks to my nephew, Michael Ashley, and a special friend, Bernard Chisolm.

Our beloved Keith will be sadly missed but fondly remembered by all who had the pleasure of knowing him.

Keith will rest at Good Shephard Memorial Gardens in Ocala, Florida.

Service Date: August 23, 2024

Time: 10:00 am.

Arrangements entrusted to: Roberts of Ocala Funerals and Cremations

Cemetery Details

Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens

5050 SW 20th Street
Ocala, FL 34474

Previous Events

Burial Service

AUG 23. 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

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5050 SW 20th Street
Ocala, FL 34474

Tribute Wall



“ *Happy Heavenly Birthday Granddad!!*

Keisha Alston - May 22, 2025 at 11:41 AM

TS

“ *We love you Uncle Keith!*



Tina Renee Shaw - August 22, 2024 at 11:52 PM

JA

“ *Uncle Babba was such a wonderful person. Always energetic, vibrant and funny. I will always remember him and the amazing energy he had.*

Jenelle

Jenelle N Ashley - August 22, 2024 at 11:06 PM

SP

Keith. He could always put a smile on my face with his quirky sayings and jokes. He comforted me with his words when my mom, Ruby, passed away. I will dearly miss him, yet I believe strongly that I will see him again at his resurrection. Sleep well my brother, my friend.

Sylvia

Sylvia Patterson - August 23, 2024 at 10:09 AM

CM

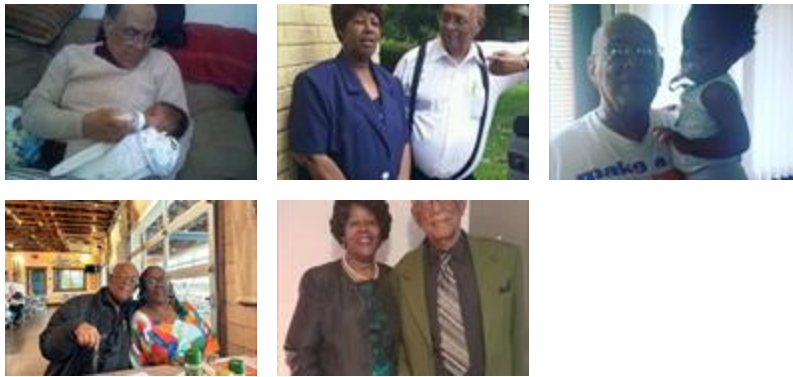
“ To my loving great grandfather. You will truly be missed! Love you always

Christina ❤️

Christina McClary - August 20, 2024 at 08:24 AM

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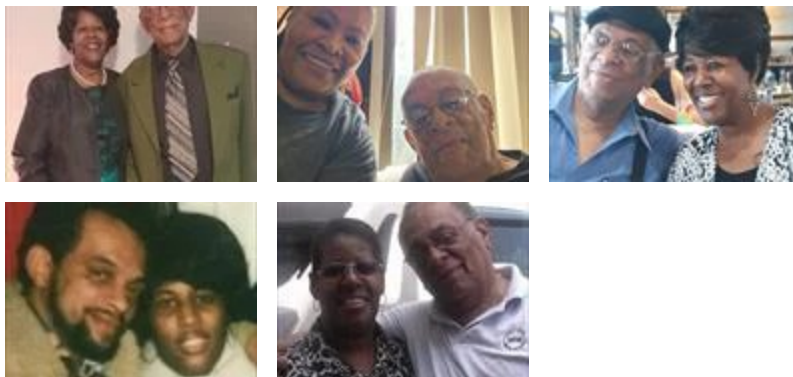
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teresa - August 15, 2024 at 11:00 PM

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teresa - August 15, 2024 at 10:54 PM

ED

“ Sincere condolences to the McFayden family. He was such a funny and kind and sweet person will definitely be missed.

Eunique Daymon - August 15, 2024 at 07:38 PM

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teresa - August 14, 2024 at 10:00 PM

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“ *My condolences to my cousin Mary and the McFadyen family for the lost of a good husband, father, a good kind person altogether. We'll miss him but can keep him in our hearts and memories. May the comfort of God keep you all strong.*

-Marvin-

Sent with Love

Marvin Daymon - August 14, 2024 at 11:44 AM

TJ

To my grandfather thanks for finding me as a child so i'd know my real biological roots. Love Always Tina Smith James

Tina Smith James - August 24, 2024 at 09:05 AM

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Teresa Edwards - August 14, 2024 at 11:28 AM

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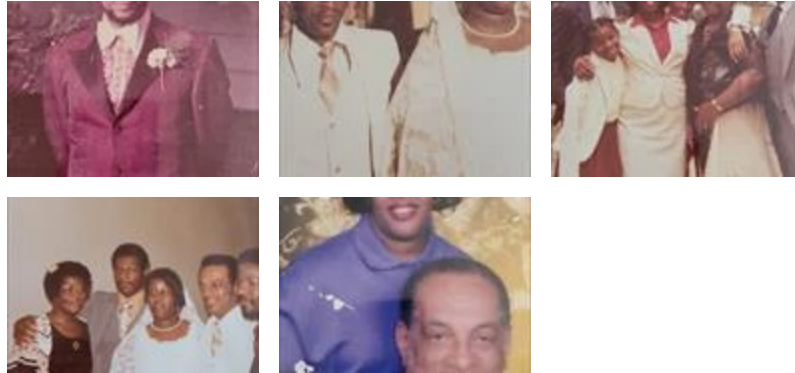
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Teresa Edwards - August 14, 2024 at 11:25 AM

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Teresa Edwards - August 14, 2024 at 11:10 AM

NC

“ *Im gonna miss Poppa!!! I appreciate that God allowed our paths to cross. I appreciate being your daughter "the baby & the youngest one 🤔" (our special joke)! I love you family forever.*
Najwa Clay

Najwa Clay - August 13, 2024 at 09:40 PM