



## Melvin Keith Anderson

April 4, 1950 - January 29, 2023

### OBITUARY

#### MELVIN ALVIN ANDERSON

Minister Melvin Alvin Anderson was born on April 4, 1950 in Gainesville, Florida to the late Superintendent Hugh Anderson Sr., and Mother Ella Louise Anderson. Two brothers and a sister-in-Law, Superintendent, Dr. Hugh Anderson II (Fernsene) and Henry Lee Anderson preceded him in death. Melvin attended Lincoln High School, Gainesville, Florida, graduated in 1968; then attended Santa Fe College in Gainesville, Florida.

Minister Anderson was a Bible Scholar, an Artist, Drummer and a Singer. He was a lead singer and one of the original members of the gospel group, The Anderson Brothers.

Melvin Anderson leaves to mourn, his loving wife, Elizabeth Wiley Anderson, two beautiful daughters, Kraven Rowry (Shedrach), Melva Ridge (Eric), Siblings: Howard Anderson (Viola), Marsha Anderson Brewton (Dewie III),

Richard V. Anderson (Gloria), Pastor Pearlie Anderson Shelton (Deacon McArthur I) and Gregory L. Anderson. Sisters-in-Law, Angela Anderson, Mother Evelyn Lee, Sister Emogene Lee. Special family members, District Missionary Anita Farrish and Sister Sylvia Anderson, Special nephew, Pastor Karl D. Anderson (Brecka), his grandchildren, a great grandchild, many nieces, nephews, friends, an his loving Upper Room COGIC partners.

Celebration of Life Services will be held at 10:00 a.m., Saturday, February 4, 2023, at Upper Room Ministries Church of God in Christ, 3575 NE 15th Street, Gainesville, FL. The Interment will be in Pine Grove Cemetery. Viewing on Friday 2:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m. at Chestnut Funeral Home, Inc., 18 NW 8th Ave., Gainesville, FL. Resolutions for the Anderson family may be emailed to [admin@chestnutfh.com](mailto:admin@chestnutfh.com).

Arrangements Entrusted to the Care of Chestnut Funeral Home. Cards may be sent to 18 NW 8th Avenue, Gainesville, FL 32601. To order floral arrangements, please visit [www.chestnutfh.com/obituary/](http://www.chestnutfh.com/obituary/) . Any questions may be directed to 855-5-CHESTNUT or [admin@chestnutfh.com](mailto:admin@chestnutfh.com). "A CHESTNUT SERVICE"

# Tribute Wall

CB

“ *My prayers are with the Anderson Family.*

---

**Caroline barber** - March 24, 2023 at 12:00 AM

JK

“ *To the Anderson Family, I send my Condolences and Prayers for you at this time.*

---

**Joyce Kendrick** - February 03, 2023 at 12:00 AM

NM

“ *With Deepest Sympathy to the family, at this time of sorrow an loss. May God continues to lift this family up at this time. Naomi Milligan an Family.*

---

**Naomi Milligan** - February 03, 2023 at 12:00 AM