



Mr. Tom Gladden Jr.

January 17, 1950 - March 10, 2022

Funeral service will be 12 noon, Tuesday, March 15, 2022 at A. A. Dicks Funeral Home Sullivan Chapel, 2548 Main Street, Columbia, SC 29201.

Public viewing will be from 2:00 p.m. until 6:00 p.m., Monday, March 14, 2022 at A. A. Dicks Funeral Home Sullivan Chapel.

Please click the link below to view services for Mr. Tom Gladden, Jr.:

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If I can help somebody, as I travel along
If I can help somebody, with a word or song,
if I can help somebody, from doing wrong
No, my living shall not be in vain.
True words of a testament to exemplify the life Mr. Tom "TG" Gladden, Jr.

Life for Mr. Tom Gladden, Jr. began on January 17th, 1950 in Georgetown, South Carolina. Affectionately called "TG", Tom was the beloved son of the Late Thomas Gladden, Sr. and Mrs. Georgie Hemmingway Gladden. At an early age, he accepted Jesus Christ as his Lord and Savior and became member of Alpha Holiness Church under the leadership of Pastor Johnny McCray

Tom received his formal education in the public schools system in

Georgetown, South Carolina, and would go on to graduate from Howard High School. Upon his graduation, Tom became employed in the field of construction and mastered many skills and techniques. He was a jack of all trades! T.G. was a proud member of the Sons of Solomon Lodge #100 F. & A.M.

Mr. Gladden was later married the Late Mrs. Barbara Gold Gladden who preceded him in death.

Tom devoted his life to loving and taking care of his family. He was a loving father, grandfather, great grandfather, brother, uncle and friend. If you knew him, you knew that his daughter, Sandi; grandchildren, Ki'Monte', Ka'Daia and Zaniyah; and great granddaughter, Ka'Layah, were his heart strings. He would give his last just to ensure that they had everything they needed and wanted.

On the evening of Thursday, March 10, 2022, Mr. Tom Gladden, entered into his home of glory as he heard the words, "Well done, thy good and faithful servant; waving good bye to his family and friends as he slipped away from this mortal side. Tom, has left portraits and memories of love and life to comfort now those who mourn his departure. Preceding him in death along with his parents and wife are two sisters; Rena Bell Gladden Johnson and Sadie Gladden.

Remembering the portraits of his life are his beautiful daughter, Sandi Gladden, three adoring grandchildren; Ki'Monte', Gladden (Bethany), Ka'Daia Riley and Zaniyah Riley. A precious great granddaughter: Little Miss Ka'Layah Riley. One devoted sister; Mary Gladden Elmore (Robert); One Aunt, Rumelle Lee; Sister in Law, Lestine Gold McNeely (Paul); Two Godchildren; Kenyatta Riley and Courtney Davis. A loving and devoted cousin; Herman Gardner Jr. A host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Please leave the Gladden family your condolences and prayers.

The Gladden family acknowledges with grateful appreciation, all of your kind expressions of love and sympathy.

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Previous Events

Public Viewing

MAR 14. 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

A. A. Dicks Funeral Home Sullivan Chapel
6400 North Main Street
Columbia, SC 29203
(803) 254-4673

Funeral Service

MAR 15. 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ To my cousin Sandi an family we are sending prayers to you during this time. Uncle Thomas will be missed we pray that God will comfort all of you in the days and weeks ahead. With love your cousin Daniel an Kisha & Family

Yolanda Elmore - March 14, 2022 at 03:33 PM

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“ My heart goes out to you at this difficult time. Prayers for you and your family. Please know you have my full support in every moment.

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Jai Cole - March 13, 2022 at 03:21 PM