



Brothers and sisters, we do not want you to be uninformed about those who sleep in death, so that you do not grieve like the rest of mankind, who have no hope. For we believe that Jesus died and rose again, and so we believe that God will bring with Jesus those who have fallen asleep in him. According to the Lord's word, we tell you that we who are still alive, who are left until the coming of the Lord, will certainly not precede those who have fallen asleep. For the Lord himself will come down from heaven, with a loud command, with the voice of the archangel and with the trumpet call of God, and the dead in Christ will rise first. After that, we who are still alive and are left will be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air. And so we will be with the Lord forever. Therefore encourage one another with these words.

(1 Thessalonians 4:13-18) NIV

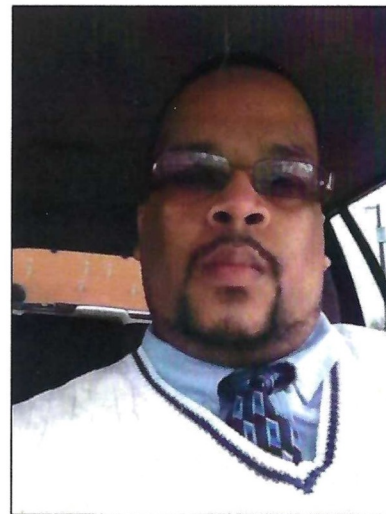
Acknowledgement

Perhaps you dropped by to say hello or called us on the phone. Maybe you visited for a while, to keep us from being alone. You may have sent flowers or a card to show you cared. Possibly you did not come at all but remembered us in prayer. Whatever kindness extended in our bereavement is accepted with a sincere gratitude and thanks that's everlasting. We would like to express a sincere thank you to Tomika Dean and Daphne Loving for your support in going the extra mile in assisting us in caring for our loved one.

Arrangements

Carter-Taylor-Williams Mortuary
601 Center Street
San Antonio, Texas 78202

*Celebrating the Life
of
James William Melton*



Sunrise

February 28, 1980

Sunset

February 06, 2023

Saturday, February 18, 2023

2:30 p.m.

*Carter-Taylor-Williams Mortuary
601 Center St., San Antonio, Texas 78202*

Pastor Oscar L. Dean Sr.

Officiating

Obituary

James William Melton was born on February 28, 1980 in San Antonio, Texas. He was the beloved son of Howard William Melton Jr. and Sharon Renee Melton. He was preceded in death by his mother Sharon Renee Melton, maternal grandmother Blanche Chandler, and his paternal grandparents Howard W. Melton Sr. and Carolyn Melton.

Jay was a graduate of the McArthur High School class of 1997. He would later go to (ARI) Air Conditioning & Refrigeration Institute and receive his Certification as a Type I, II Technician in 2008.

James (Jay) Melton completed his final earthly mission in the p.m. hours on February 6, 2023.

He leaves to cherish fond memories his son Kaleb J. Melton, his beloved sister Santesha Abney (Kyle), and his maternal grandfather James Chandler. He leaves with heavy hearts his Uncles Kenneth Melton, Charles Melton, James A. Melton. He leaves to ponder fond memories his Aunts Debra DeRouen, Diane Thomas, Antoinette Lavalais, Brenda Chandler, Diane Chandler, Vonda Chandler, Karen Carter (Michael), & Kathy Johnson (Ron), and a beloved host of nieces, nephews, family, & friends.

Order of Service

Seating of the Family	"Worthy" By: Elevation Worship
Selection	"Don't Cry for Me" By: Whitney Houston
Scripture: Old and New Testament	Pastor Oscar L. Dean Sr.
Prayer	Pastor Oscar L. Dean Sr.
Selection	"Take Me to the King" By: Tamera Mann
Remarks (Limit two minutes please)	Family and Friends
Selection	"Breathe" By: Maverick City Music
Words of Comfort	Pastor Oscar L. Dean Sr. Corner Gate Christian Church
Committal/Benediction	

