

When Tomorrow Starts Without Me

*When tomorrow starts without me
And I'm not here to see
If the sun should rise and find your eyes
All filled with tears for me
I wish you wouldn't cry
The Way you did today
While thinking of the many things
We did not get to say
I know how much you love me
As much as I love you
Each time that you think of me
I know you will miss me too
When tomorrow starts with out me
Please try to understand
That an angel came and called my name
And took me by the hand
The angel said my place was ready
In heaven far above
And That I would have to leave behind
All those I Dearly Love
But When I walked through Heaven's Gates
I felt so much at home
When GOD looked down and smiled at me
From his golden throne
He said This Is Eternity
And All I promised you
Today for life on earth is done
But Here it starts a new
I promise no tomorrow
For today will always last
And Since each day's the exact same way
There is no longing for the past
So When Tomorrow starts without me
Do not think we're apart
For every time you think of me
Remember I'm right here in your heart*

Honorary Pallbearers
NLAE Youth Football Team



In Honor And Memory
Of

Donald
Townsend



Sunrise
April 7, 1992

Sunset
March 27, 2023

*Blessed are those who mourn for they shall
be comforted.*
Matthew 5:4

Friday, April 14, 2023

O. J. Carter Memorial Chapel
601 N. Center Street
San Antonio, Texas

Bro. Juan Crawford, Officiating
Pastor Oscar L. Dean Sr., Eulogist

Special Prayer

*FATHER FORGIVE ME FOR ALL MY SINS FOR THE ONES I
KNOW AND THE ONES I DON'T KNOW. FATHER COME INTO
MY HEART CHANGE MY HEART WASH ME IN THE BLOOD OF
YOUR SON JESUS CHRIST. LORD GOD, I ACCEPT YOU AS MY
LORD AND SAVIOR IN THE NAME OF THE FATHER IN THE
NAME OF YOUR SON AND HOLY SPIRIT. AMEN.*

Acknowledgment

*Our family extends heartfelt thanks to our friends for all
the prayers and kindness shown during the homegoing of
our loved one. **God bless each of you.***

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Life's Celebration

Donald Townsend affectionately known as "DONLOW" and "COACH LOW" was a energetic and active baby born on April 7, 1992 to the late Mrs. Toni Ann Townsend.

Donald received his education attending the Harvary, Louisiana Public School System. He relocated to San Antonio, Texas where he entered the workforce working for Garda World and Essence Preparatory Public School. Donald devoted his time to his family, football and the Next Level Academy Elite Youth Football Team where he had the honor of coaching his three sons and the NLAE youth. He inspired so many youth players throughout San Antonio and the surrounding areas. Donald taught the kids about our lord and savior Jesus Christ and always put God first. During every practice and games, he had the players resighting a very special prayer. Donald spoke life into his youth and he encouraged them to study hard, do good in school, respect their parents, and dream big. With Donald's knowledge in football the NLAE football team won many championships, and he was honored to coach alongside with some amazing coaches. He was a devoted husband, father, son and coach. We loved him a lot, but God loved him best.

Donald married the love of his life, Keriyon Townsend, and to this union five children was born. This union remained as one until his demise.

Donald was proceeded in death by his mother, Mrs. Toni Townsend and his grandmother, Gwendolyn Townsend. He leaves to cherish his memory his wife, Keriyon Townsend; five children, Donald Jr., Dy'Rione, Ky'Mani, Zy'Onn and Zakari; father, Donald Taylor; five beloved siblings, all of Louisiana; close friend/cousin, Robert Algere; grandmother, Margaret "Alice" Taylor; grandfathers, Herman "Ralph" Taylor and Larry Townsend of Louisiana; special uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Taylor jr. of Louisiana; amazing coaches/friends, Rodney (Big Cat), K.T., Marquis, Coach O and a host other nieces, nephews, loyal friends, and relatives.

Order Of Service

Seating Of The Family

Opening Hymn

Bro. Darrell Collins

Scripture Reading Psalm 27

Epistle 1 Corinthian 15:50-58

Prayer

Sis. Kerishell Crawford

Solo

Bro. Darrell Collins

Remarks (three minutes please) Family and Friends

*Tribute's Donald "PawPaw" Townsend, Oldest Son
Ronald "Big Cat" Bosley, Friend/Community
Ronisha Taylor, Family
Co-worker*

Solo

Bro. Darrell Collins

Words Of Comfort

*Rev. Oscar L. Dean
Pastor, Corner Gate Christian Church*

Closing Selection

Bro. Darrell Collins

Committal/Benediction

I'm Free

*Don't grieve for me for now I'm free,
I'm following the path God laid for me
I took his hand when I heard him call,
I turned my back and left it all
I could not stay another day,
To laugh, to love, to work or play
Tasks left undone must stay that way,
I've found that peace at the close of day
If my parting has left a void,
Then fill it with remembered joy
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,
Ah yes, these things I too will miss
Be not burdened with times of sorrow,
I wish for you the sunshine of tomorrow
My life's been full, I've savored much,
Good friends, good times, my loved one's touch
If my time seemed all too brief,
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief
Lift up your heart, rejoice with me,
God wanted me now, He set me free.*

