

A Life of Love ...
Alpha ~ August 10, 1961
Omega ~ May 19, 2017

Anthony "Tony" Trotter, aka "Pretty Tony", passed away Friday, May 19, 2017. He was 55 years old. He was born August 10, 1961 in Garden City, Kansas. He was the second child born to the late Lafayette James Trotter and Claudia Harriston Smith.

He attended schools in Garden City, Kansas, Japan, Hawaii, California, and Hutchinson, Kansas. Around the age of 21, he enlisted in the United States Air Force, serving four years prior to his medical discharge.

Tony married JoAnn Smith on June 5, 1993. Together they enjoyed cheering for the Denver Broncos and the KU Jayhawks. They loved traveling to places as close as Hutchinson, Kansas, and as far as Hawaii. When they were not traveling, Tony enjoyed spending time with his stepdaughter, grandkids, and great-grandkids. He also enjoyed spending time with his fur babies, Boomer (R.I.P.) and Catalina.

Tony spent the majority of his life working in the public sector, including his favorite job at the KU Athletic Department as a custodian. He also cooked and prepared many meals at the Expocentre.

He was preceded in death by his father, Lafayette James Trotter; grandmother, Corrine Smith; aunt Janice Jones and niece, Meghan Butler.

Leaving to cherish his memories are his wife, JoAnn Trotter (Topeka, KS) mother, Claudia Harriston (Hutchinson, KS); daughter, Niya Trotter (Wichita, KS); sisters, Vonciel (Arthur Crowe) Trotter (Hutchinson, KS), Josie (Corey) Ford (Hutchinson, KS) and Michelle (Shannon) Thomas (McPherson, KS); stepdaughter, Felicia McGlory (Topeka, KS); and sister-in-law, Rita Mendoza (Topeka, KS); seven grandchildren and six great-grandchildren who will miss their Grandpa Tony very much.

Musical Prelude

Processional

Opening Remarks: Bishop Melvin Watson
Foundation of Life Ministries

Musical Selection

Scripture: Bishop Melvin Watson

Opening Prayer: Bishop Melvin Watson

Reflections by Loved Ones: (2 min please)

Acknowledgement of Condolences: Dee Lockhart
Granddaughter

Obituary (read in silence)

Musical Selection

Words of Comfort: Bishop Melvin Watson

Closing Prayer: Bishop Melvin Watson

Committal: Bishop Melvin Watson

a Special Tribute from Peaceful Rest Funeral Chapel

Parting View

Recessional

Postlude

Order of Service

*Honorary
Casket Bearers*

Donnie Lockhart III
Donnie Lockhart, Jr.
Joshua Haggerty, Sr.
Joshua Haggerty, Jr.

Flower Bearers

Granddaughters
&
Great-Granddaughters

Private Funnment held at a later date

Acknowledgements

The family wishes to express their sincere gratitude to all those who have supported us during this time of bereavement. May God continue to light your path and comfort you in LOVE.

Services Entrusted to



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Celebration of Life Service
Anthony "Tony" Stephen Trotter
August 10, 1961 - May 19, 2017



Thursday, May 25, 2017
Eleven o'Clock

Peaceful Rest Funeral Chapel
Topeka, Kansas

Visitation:
May 24, 2017
3 - 7 PM



Peaceful Rest Funeral Chapel

Bishop Melvin Watson - Officiant & Eulogist