

### *Pallbearers*

Dwain "Pop" Henry	Leon Lomax
Julian "Shorty" Sermons	Litton Bell
Keith Griffin	Nate Gates
Maurice Mitchell	Paul Mainor Jr.

### *Flower Attendants*

Cousins & Friends

### *Acknowledgements*

Words are not adequate enough to express our gratitude for the many expressions of kindness shown to us during the loss of our loved "BJ". Your calls, cards, visits, flowers, and prayers have given us strength and comfort for the journey ahead. May God continue to bless each one of you! Special thanks to **Load King** for their acts of generosity and kindness and to Monique's **Internal Revenue Service (IRS) Family!**

~The family of the late *Barian Jerone Bowe "BJ"*

### *Private Interment*

Evergreen Cemetery  
4535 Main Street  
Jacksonville, Florida 32208

### *Arrangements in Care of:*



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# *Cherishing Memories of a Wonderful Life*



## *Brother Barian Jerone Bowe "BJ"*

August 28, 1970 - May 7, 2016

### *Service*

12:00PM, Saturday, May 21, 2016

### *Northside Church of Christ*

4736 Avenue B  
Jacksonville, Florida 32209  
Charlie McClendon, Senior Minister  
Al Jackson, Minister



# *Celebrating the life of Barian “BJ” Jerone Bowe*

**BJ**, the son of Stepfield and Joyce Bowe was born August 28, 1970 in Rochester, New York. He received his early education in Farrell, PA. His family moved to West Palm Beach, Florida where he finished school graduating from Northshore High School in 1988. After a tour of duty in the United States Air Force, BJ continued his education at the University of North Florida, receiving a Bachelor’s degree in Engineering in 2003.

**BJ** was a member of Northside Church of Christ under the leadership of Senior Minister, Charlie McClendon and Minister, Al Jackson. BJ was married to Latoia Peterson, from that union three daughters (Taylor, Tyler, and Annette) were born. Some years later, in 2012 he met Monique Marshall, and they were married on August 15, 2014 and three more children (Jazlyn, Camille, and Cameron) were added to his family.

On the morning of Saturday, May 7, 2016, God whispered, “Come my child, I have prepared a special place just for you.”

**BJ** leaves to mourn his life and cherished memories a loving wife, Monique Bowe; three daughters, Taylor Sherres Bowe, Tyler Christine Bowe, Annette Irene Bowe; stepchildren, Jazlyn Monae Marshall, Camille Ashley Marshall, and Cameron Ashton Marshall; his parents, Stepfield Bowe (Brunswick, GA) and Joyce Bowe (Jacksonville, FL); sister, Tiwana Gipson (Jacksonville, FL); brother, Vincent Lewis, (Boston, MA); aunts, Rev. Sandria Lawrence, Barbara Benefield (Iris) Gordon (Woodbine, GA), and Francine Lenhardt (Charlotte, NC); uncles, Eugene Gordon, Michael (Lashawn) Gordon (Folkston, GA), Jimmy Gordon (Arlington, TX), Noah Rufus Banks Jr. (St. Mary’s, GA), Jerry Banks (Alvenia), Stanfield Bowe, Melvin Bowe (Brunswick, GA), and Rev. Robert Alderman (Folkston, GA); great aunt, Claretta Mae Williams (Pompano Beach, FL); father and mother-in-law, Aaron and Cecelia Mitchell; grandmother-in-law, Gailya Smith; brother and sister-in-laws, Maurice Mitchell and Monica Mitchell Stinson (Adam); aunts, uncles, cousins, and a host of other relatives and many friends.

*“I sought the Lord, and He heard me, and delivered me from all my fears”  
Psalms 34:4*

## *Barian Bowe “BJ” - Load King Manufacturing*

BJ celebrated his 12<sup>th</sup> anniversary at Load King this past March. As a fully Certified Electrical Engineer, BJ held many job responsibilities. His last stint was as Master Scheduler, which is the cog in the wheel of any manufacturing operation and an extremely important position as it touches all aspects of the manufacturing process from customer interaction to shop floor scheduling and manpower planning. Basically, BJ created the daily “game plan” for the entire shop by which the manufacturing managers would follow so as to satisfy the demands of our valuable customers. BJ’s knowledge level in various areas such as manufacturing operations, programming, parts nesting, design engineering and Information Technology made him uniquely qualified to hold this position and perform at a very high level. The nature of the position calls for a strong individual that demanded performance from each aspect of the process as well as a dedicated awareness to the minute details required to meet our Customer’s demands. BJ excelled at all of these. BJ held previous positions at Load King in: \*Design Engineering \*Mechanical Engineering \*Programming \*Nesting \*Industrial Engineering–shop floor operation analysis \*Information Technology \*ERP (operational software) knowledge and guidance. This culmination of knowledge, extreme work ethic, and dedication were instrumental in making BJ an extremely valuable team member at Load King, who will surely be missed. The phrase “go ask BJ” was frequently heard at Load King, when anybody was “stuck” and needed some advice in Engineering, IT, machine programming etc. – **BJ ALWAYS** had the answers. There was no software or any programming language that he did not master once he got into it. It was his passion, but BJ’s eyes really lit up when he talked about his children and his wife, the pride of his life – Oh, and not to mention the Miami Hurricanes, maybe once or twice. The Load King Family will miss BJ – God Bless him and his Family!

Ken Carella  
Executive Director Supply Chain and Manufacturing  
Load King Mfg.



## *My Life in Heaven*

As I sit in Heaven and watch you everyday, I try and let you know with signs, I never went away. I hear you when you're laughing, and I watch you as you sleep, I even place my arms around you, to calm you as you weep.

I see you wish the days away, begging to have me home, so I try and send you signs, so you know you're not alone. Don't feel guilty that you have life, because life was good to me! Heaven is a beautiful life, just you wait and see!

So live your life, laugh again, enjoy yourself be free, then I'll know with each breath you take, you'll be taking one for me.



*I Love You!*

“And, ye fathers, provoke not your children to wrath: but bring them up in the nurture and admonition of the Lord.”

*Ephesians 6:4*

## *In Loving Memory of a Very Special Husband*

When God was making husbands as far as I can see, He made a special soul mate especially for me, He made a perfect gentleman, compassionate and kind, with more love and affection than you could ever wish to find, He gave my darling husband a heart of solid gold, He gave me wonderful memories only my heart can hold, He was someone I could laugh with till tears ran down my face, next time we meet will be at heaven's door, when I see you standing there I won't cry anymore, I will put my arms around you and kiss your smiling face, and then the pieces of my broken heart will fall back into place.

Miss you beyond words,  
Your Loving Wife



“Husbands, love your wives, even as Christ also loved the church and gave himself for it.”

*Ephesians 5:25*

## Accolades for BJ



A happy union was made two years ago  
A bright young man entered into married life  
Much kindness and consideration did he show  
To my daughter, Monique, his beautiful wife

With six children total, the family was blended  
They bonded together in sibling affection  
Any minor disagreements were carefully mended  
And mom and dad set the rules for correction

B.J. was employed at Load King for twelve years  
He worked very hard and his performance excelled  
An outstanding example he set for his peers  
Into a raise and promotion he soon propelled

He faithfully provided for his family's needs  
Referring to them dearly as his pride and joy  
Love, values, and excellence were planted like seeds  
Into the children's hearts was this deployed

Lovingly, you will always live within our hearts  
God sent his angels to take you to heaven above  
Your present earthly life you had to depart  
But you are honored and remembered with deepest love.  
*Poem by Cecelia Mitchell (Mother-in-Law)*

## Order of Service

*Bro. Stanley Shootes, Presiding*  
*Bro. Matthew Johnson, Song Leader*

Processional.....	“Our God, He is Alive”
Invocation.....	Bro. Al Jackson
Scriptures:	
Old Testament Scripture.....	Bro. Aaron Mitchell Ecclesiastes 3:1-4
New Testament Scripture.....	Bro. Al Jackson Matthew 11: 28-30
Song.....	Total Praise “All My Trials”
Poem.....	Linda Mitchell-Harper
Acknowledgements .....	Tiwanna Gipson
Resolution.....	Northside Church of Christ
Solo.....	Sis. Marva Cuthpert “Stand”
Heartfelt Reflections ( <i>two minutes please</i> )	
As Friends.....	Nate Gates & Keith Griffin
As a Coworker.....	Linton Bell
As a Family Member.....	Daniel Mainor
Picture Memorial.....	Bro. Amon Palamore “Wipe Away All Tears”
Congregational Selection.....	“I Love to Praise Him”
Words of Comfort.....	Bro. Charlie McClendon
Congregational Selection.....	“He’s Sweet I Know”
Committal.....	Bro. Charlie McClendon
Recessional.....	“Jesus Is Coming Soon”

### *Repast*

Immediately following the service in the Family Life Center at  
Northside Church of Christ