

Pallbearers

Nephews

Flower Attendants

Friends of the Family

A light from our family is gone
A voice we loved is stilled
A place is vacant in the heart
Which never can be filled

We have to mourn the loss of one
We would've loved to keep
But God who surely loved him best
Has finally made him sleep

After a lifetime of his love and joy
And laughter to fill our ears
God leaves these wondrous memories
To help us through our tears

Acknowledgement

The family of the late ***Nathaniel David Thomas*** sincerely appreciates every expression of love, kindness, thoughtfulness, and generosity. It is your prayers and labors of love that have sustained us in our time of sorrow. We love you all and many God bless each of you.
~*The Family*

Repast

Cherry Street Church of Christ
1140 McDuff Ave. South, Jacksonville, FL 32205

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**A Celebration
*Of Life***



Nathaniel David Thomas

Sunrise Sunset
November 13, 1962 — October 7, 2016

Service

11:00 AM, Saturday, October 15, 2016

Impact Church

8985 Lone Star Road
Jacksonville, FL 32211

***George & April Davis, Senior Pastors
Pastor Damon Green, Officiating***

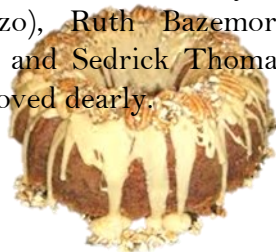
The History and Legacy of Love & Life

Nathaniel David Thomas better known as “*The Cake Man*” was born on November 13, 1962 to Charlie Thomas, Jr. and Nettie Lee Thomas, and was raised in Jacksonville, Florida. He was surrounded by love from his parents and family members. He graduated from Stanton Senior High School, and later became a faithful member of Mount Pleasant Missionary Baptist Church in Green Cove Springs, Florida.

David was a joy to be around and always kept a positive attitude about life. He was known to give advice because he genuinely cared about people. He loved making people happy, which led him into his most famous profession. In working alongside his aunt Pauline Johnson, it was discovered that he held a love for cooking. Aunt Pauline nurtured his God given talent and gave him recipes that surpassed all others. He worked tirelessly alongside his brother and friend, Charlie B. The two dynamic duals covered many miles throughout Jacksonville and was soon sought after for their many dishes of tasty cuisine. David loved cooking various dishes, but one of his most famous creations was his Apple Nut Cake. The recipe was passed on to him from aunt Pauline, and this cake alone could have made David famous. However, David was a humble soul and downplayed his cooking skills. He was often over heard giving the credit and glory to God. That was David’s Recipe for LIFE!

David departed this life on Friday, October 7, 2016. He was preceded in death by his mother, Nettie Lee Thomas.

David leaves to cherish his memory a loving father, Charlie Thomas, Jr.; special aunt, Pauline Johnson; son, Terrence Phelps; twelve sisters and brothers, Tina Wilson, Hanson Thomas, Alfreda Lincoln, Charlie B. Thomas (Sharon), Sheryl T. Coleman, Nina Wynn, Rosemary Hickmon, Callie Cannon (Alonzo), Ruth Bazemore (Humphrey), Latrisa Snow, Rodney Thomas, and Sedrick Thomas (Tonya); a host of nieces and nephews that he loved dearly.



Order of Service

Processional

Selection Impact Ministry

Scripture Minister

Prayer Minister

Solo Evette Robinson

Acknowledgments Nina Wynn

Obituary (*Read Silently*)

Reflections (*2 Minutes Please*)

Charlie B. Thomas
Deacon Saint Williams
Pastor Robert L. Wright

Selection Impact Ministry

Words of Comfort..... Pastor Damon Green

Recessional

Interment

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