



Alex L. Carrington

July 9, 1962 - March 22, 2023

Deacon Alex L. Carrington Sr. was born on July 9, 1962 to Archie and Juanita Carrington, who preceded him in death, in Baltimore, Maryland. He grew up in Perkins projects with his siblings Archie (Kiwi) and Adrian. Alex moved to the bet of his own drum which often got him into trouble. He attended Ralph Young All Boys Junior Highschool where he excelled in academics. Deacon Alex was given a full scholarship to McDonough School for boys but declined. He instead, attended Baltimore Polytechnic Institute where he continuously surpassed many of his classmates in Mathematics. After graduating from Poly, he attended Hampton University for 3 years.

Deacon Alex Carrington joined the Reserves shortly after leaving Hampton University. Once he returned to home from the Reserves, he married Maureen James in 1987. From this union they gained five children: Michael, Alexis, Alex Jr. (Bonsy), Ariel, and Aaron. Deacon Alex found Christ for the first time while attending True Believers Apostolic under the late Bishop Carrington. After years of marriage, the union between Deacon Alex and Maureen ended. Deacon Alex worked briefly at McDonalds until he shifted his career to Gallagher where he worked with the developmentally disabled. He then would work in IT for the Naval Academy until his final job in Sparrow's Point doing construction.

During his years in construction he met Crystal Burris, with whom he would

spend the remainder of his life. In 2016, he and Crystal married. From their union Alex gained two stepsons: Kevin and Ta'Von.

Deacon Alex was a jubilant and one of the most rememberable laughs. He never minded telling it like it was and was a natural comedian. He found fulfillment in educating and assisting the youth. He took pride in spending time with his children, their friends and taking care of the children in the neighborhood. He found Christ for the 2nd and final time when he became a Deacon at Powerhouse Church of Praise in 2014 under the leadership of his dear friend and spiritual mentor the late Bishop Terrance Whitaker. Deacon Alex loved his wife and children. He often traveled around Baltimore City and to neighboring states towards the end of his life.

Deacon Alex's health declined at the beginning of 2023 and he took his last breath on March 22, 2023.

Deacon Alex leaves to cherish his memories his children: Michael Crawford, Daughter-in-law Candice, Kevin Alston, Alexis Carrington, Ta'Von Vinson, Alex (Bonsy) Carrington Jr., Ariel Carrington, and Aaron Carrington. His grandchildren: Kevin Brown, Miguel and Cicely Crawford. His siblings: Archie (Kiwi) and Adrian Carrington; niece: Brittany Skinner and host of other family and friends.

Cemetery Details

Lorraine Park

5608 Dogwood Rd.
Baltimore, MD 21207

Previous Events

Public Viewing

APR 12. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Home - East
1101 E. North Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21202

Wake

APR 13. 11:30 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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Service

APR 13. 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *March Funeral Homes created a Webcast for Funeral on Alex Carrington in memory of Alex L. Carrington*



March Funeral Homes - April 04, 2023 at 08:50 AM

LB

“ *LaTanya Baltimore lit a candle in memory of Alex L. Carrington*



LaTanya Baltimore - April 13, 2023 at 10:45 AM

RE

“ It's with a very heavy heart that I am unable to be in this number today, walking my first cousin Alex Carrington home. As kids, I remember walking home together after running on a winning basketball squad. That was my entire work schedule for that day. Yes, I was suppose to be working in the rec center, not playing ball! Lol... Now come on y'all! Focus on Alex's memory. Don't focus on me not working my shift at the Perkin's homes rec! My Prayer is we smile and rejoice as a Family on this 13th April 2023. I pray that God and Alex today look at us celebrating his life...smiling ,crying, and rejoicing about the season we all had with him. God has my Cousin Alex now. You couldn't have known Alex and not shared a laugh about something.
May God Bless each of you.
May God order each of our steps, and to each day strive to do better as Alex did, walking toward God. God bless you all and I love you. Renee

Renee - April 13, 2023 at 09:29 AM

YB

“ Your Family at Church of True Believers purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Alex L. Carrington.



Your Family at Church of True Believers - April 11, 2023 at 10:20 PM

CJ

“ Charles R Dorsey Jr lit a candle in memory of Alex L. Carrington



Charles R Dorsey jr - April 05, 2023 at 03:11 AM

TA

“ Tyrone Andrews lit a candle in memory of Alex L. Carrington



Tyrone Andrews - April 03, 2023 at 07:08 PM



“ We the March Family and Staff wish to extend our deepest and heartfelt sympathy in the passing of your loved one. Our prayers go out to you and your family in your time of loss. We know and understand that you have received many expressions of love and we will continue to lift you up in prayer. May the memories you cherish of brighter and happier days help to ease your sorrow and comfort you always.

March Funeral Homes - March 31, 2023 at 04:12 PM