



Gary Davis

August 23, 1968 - July 17, 2023

On July 17, 2023, Heaven's gates were opened to welcome home the loving soul of GARY DAVIS KELLY. Gary Davis Kelly was born August 23, 1968, in Baltimore, Maryland to the late Ida Davis Kelly and Robert Kelly. Gary was the 19th of 26 siblings. In such a big family, Gary lived a wonderful life before departing at the age of 54.

Gary was educated in the Baltimore City School System, where he earned his GED. As a child, Gary was always been filled with a grand imagination and a flair for creativity. As a teen, Gary could be found working multiple jobs in the restaurant and hospitality industry to buy clothes to go out clubbing. Gary was an impeccable dresser and an Amazing fashion stylist. Long before brands now known to the world, he would often return from his travels to New York wearing those first-run original designs and enlightening us with his knowledge of the fashion industry. Gary made many friends through the years from all over Baltimore, and from New York to DC. Gary is a legend in the Baltimore Club and Dance scene, winning dance and fashion competitions from his youth through adulthood. Gary loved flowers and would attend the annual Baltimore Flower Mart. Gary cultivated his backyard garden and front porch, with beautiful and expensive flowers. Inviting any and everyone to take what they would use from either. Gary loved with a fierceness like no other. To his own detriment at times, it never stopped him from opening his heart to

anyone.

Gary survived living with a life-changing illness that didn't prohibit him from living his "Best Life," while educating others along the way. Gary's cat Tuxedo was his fur baby who he didn't mind telling and showing off to everyone.

Gary was preceded in death by his parents Ida Kelly and Robert Kelly, sisters Diane Kelly and Elaine Davis, brothers Robert Kelly Jr., George Davis Jr., Bernard Davis and Anthony Davis; loving nieces Siren Davis and Keva Crum, and nephew Robert Kelly III. He leaves to cherish his memory: sisters and brothers, Barbara Kelly, Roslyn Kelly Green, Michael Kelly (Amy), Spencer Kelly (Rose), Kevin Kelly, (Anna Davis*), Rodney Davis, Steven Davis, Felicia Kelly-Crum (Kevin), Christopher Kelly, David Kelly (Connie), Albert Kelly (Keesha), Adrienne Kelly, Tomisha Kelly, Shawn Kelly, Cynthia Lacey (Willie George), Verna Wills (Franklin), Stanley Davis (Dorothy), Karen Davis, Rudolph Davis (Ruth); devoted friend, Dwayne Taylor; goddaughter, Tikia Wright; other family/friends, Miles Mitchell, Tia Broady, Miller Morris and Jodie Bradshaw; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, bonus family members and friends too numerous to count who will mourn this loss and cling to their own special memories of him forever.

Previous Events

Public Viewing

AUG 2. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Home - West
4300 Wabash Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21215

Wake

AUG 3. 1:30 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

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Funeral Service

AUG 3. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *March Funeral Homes created a Webcast in memory of Gary Davis*



March Funeral Homes - August 03, 2023 at 11:23 AM

PW

“ *Gary was a regular at our house, early on Saymturday mornings, looking for April. Hoping to see what he could do for her. Even as a little boy, he was a hustler; trying to earn what he needed to get what he wanted. Gary will be sorely and surely missed. Rest easy, Gary!!*

Pamela Womack

Pamela Womack - August 03, 2023 at 07:30 PM

KB

“ *To Cynthia , Felicia, Adrienne and the entire Kelly-Davis family, condolences and prayers for you. Although I didn't know Gary, I know Ms. Ida raised you all well with goodness. May God strengthen you and give you peace and all the help you need in this time. I hope fond memories will be yours! Thank God for Jesus! Love, Kay Bee.*

Kay Bee - August 02, 2023 at 08:22 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Gary Davis.*



August 01, 2023 at 07:36 PM



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July 26, 2023 at 08:34 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 - July 21, 2023 at 01:59 PM

KD

Thanking the March Family for assisting with the transition of our love one. Their professional assistance was of great help to the family during our trying time.

Karen T Davis - July 25, 2023 at 05:10 PM

MM

Friends are family that we choose! And it is an honor that you chose me as friend. "A true friend is never truly gone. Their spirit lives on in the memories of those who loved them." To the moon and stars and back again, rest in peace brother Gary until we see you again. To the Davis-Kelly Family -- "Be not forgetful to entertain strangers: for thereby some have entertained angels unawares." Hebrews 13:2. Thank you for embracing this angel of light and allowing his love and joy to be so generously shared among us.

Miles Mitchell - August 03, 2023 at 09:49 PM

DG

My deepest condolences to the family and close friends of Gary Davis. My dear friend Gary, had a heart of gold and was always the life of the party and so encouraging and loving to those he knew...I was blessed to know him and happy he shared himself with me and so many others... Denise 'Ms. Boogie' Graves

Denise Graves - August 28, 2023 at 12:38 PM