



Henry Thomas Russell

November 24, 1953 - February 10, 2007

Henry Thomas Russell, the third child of the late Charles and Lula Mae Russell, was born on November 24, 1953. As the son of God-fearing, highly skilled musicians, Henry summoned his own musical talents, mastering a range of instruments from the saxophone, to the trumpet and piano. He received an education within the Baltimore City Public school system and within the course of his life worked several professions. For several years, he reigned as the musical director of the Baltimore City Police marching band. Although music was Henry's true love, touching the lives of others was his greatest joy. He volunteered at John Hopkins Hospital, conducting seminars at various high schools, educating students about the AIDS, its prevention, and drug use. He was cited for his efforts in a Johns Hopkins Hospital magazine and was also interviewed on a television program. He also has been a member of The Corvette Band for over five years. Raised in the church and baptized at Fountain Baptist Church, Henry returned to the church with his mother, Lula Mae, again using his musical talents to glorify God. After his mother went on to Glory, Henry continued on his quest to praise God at the Prayer House For All People. During services, he'd play his saxophone and after, he'd volunteer when needed, whether it was washing dishes or providing transportation to members. Henry will most be remembered for his innate ability to make people smile. He spent a lot of his time clowning around, joking, and living life to the fullest. That was his way. He had a unique personality that left an impression on everyone who was blessed enough to

know him. He spent the rest of his life serving and trying to take care of others, being available to his family when needed, regularly taking his niece Janae's to her monthly transfusion appointments. He leaves to forever cherish his memory: his son, Ken'Twan Russell; life-long love, Patricia Smallwood; brothers, Louis and Charles Russell; sisters, Arlene Pledger, Janet Russell and Jacquelyn Mabry (Bernard Mabry Jr.), (his remaining siblings, Myrtle and Gregory Russell, and Ellen Baird, all of which preceded him in death); a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, friends, and namely his devoted niece, Janae Russell.

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“ To the family of Henry! May peace and music be in your hearts. A bible writer named A'saph said at Ps.77:6, I will remember my string music in the night. Henry was a person who love play music to the ears. May the cherished memories of Henry stay close to your ears as if music to ear. I send my condolences, Crosby.##imported-begin##crosby##imported-end##

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“ Please accept my most sicere condolences for your loss. Death is so heartbreaking to the family, and so difficult to cope with. Yet at present, death is a harsh reality of this life. God never intended this pain and sorrow for his earthly children. He desires all of his obedient children to live forever in peace and happiness. Revelation 21,4 tells us, He will wipe out every tear from their eyes and death will be no more, neither will mourning nor outcry nor pain be anymore. The former things have passed away. One day all those in the memorial tombs will hear his voice and come out. So the dead will hear the voice of Jesus, and awaken from the sleep of death. So please be comforted by God's promises, and may your cherished memories help you to cope with your loss.##imported-begin##R Johnson##imported-end##

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“ To the family and friends: Please accept my sincere condolences for your loss. I too have lost loved ones in death. Even though we know that death is inevitable, it is still difficult to accept. Death was not something that God intended for us. The thought of death is always distasteful and it always will be because Jehovah God has created within us the keen desire to live forever. We never get used to it. We feel deep down in our hearts that this should not happen because, “Even time indefinite he (God) has put in their heart,” says Ecclesiastes 3:11. One of the wonderful parts of his plan is the hope of the resurrection of dead loved ones. (John 5:25, 28, 29). Please be assured that Jehovah God loves us and wants the best for us. Take comfort in the promise that he has given us at Rev. 21: 3-5 of a new earth where there will be no more death.##imported-begin##Senita Swann##imported-end##

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