

09 December 1973 – 16 December 2020 Beloved Husband, Father, Son, Brother and Friend



Memorial Service

SUNDAY JANUARY 03, 2021

AT 12:30 O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON

LIONS COMMUNITY CENTRE (NEXT TO THE KING'S SPORTS CENTRE)

Followed by the Burial at Prospect Point Cemetery

Order of Service

Opening Remarks and Prayer	Bishop Dr. Desmond Whittaker
Scripture Reading (Psalms 23 & 54)	Mr. Recordo Wilmouth
Tribute (Instrumental Piece)	Mr. Randy Cholette
Obituary/Life Story Read	Mr. James Myles
Special Tributes	As per below
Message	Bishop Dr. Desmond Whittaker
Closing Prayer and Benediction	Bishop Dr. Desmond Whittaker

Special Tributes

Ms. Joyce Forbes (Mother)	Sang by Ms. Grenda Solomon
Mrs. Arlene Brown Greaves (Wife)	Read by Mrs. Reisan Moiten
Mrs. Sashawna Greaves-Strachan (Daughter)	Read by Sashawna Strachan
Mr. Lareston "Buru" Abel (Special Friend)	Read by Sashawna Strachan
Special Friends	Read by a Special Friend
The Kirk's Family	Read by Mrs. Rachael Samuels
The Kirk's Family	Read by Mr. Paul Hardy

Pall Bearers

Mr. Recordo Wilmouth
 Mr. Eddie Dene Jackson
 Mr. Cliff Moiten
 Mr. Donovan Richards
 Mr. James Myles

Guest Book Attendants and Usherettes

Gwen Anderson
 Ciara Lenell Brown

Special Instructions

Order of Departure:

Pastor and Members of the Platform, followed by the Casket and Pall Bearers, Immediate Family.

Please drive with Emergency lights to the Prospect Cemetery.

Funeral service entrusted to Bodden Funeral Home Program designed by Daughter, Sashawna Strachan

Omar's Life Story

Omar St. Aubyn Greaves, who was affectionately known as "Steve" was born in the garden parish of St. Ann, in the island of Jamaica on the O9th December 1973 to parents: Herman Greaves (now deceased) and Joyce Forbes. He was the lastborn for both parents and brought such joy to the family. Omar migrated to the Cayman Islands at the tender age of nine to join his mother who was already a resident here.

During his formative years, he attended the Cayman Islands Middle School and Cayman Islands High School. He is fondly remembered by his peers and classmates as a jovial, enthusiastic, and energetic person who simply loved people and life in general. Omar displayed a strong penchant for Sports, especially track and field events representing the 'Marlin House' in long distance running. Omar had a disciplined and methodical approach to learning and education. This sense of discipline and organization was carried throughout his entire professional career. Omar's first job was at Fosters Supermarket and there were many conversations where he referred to the strong work ethic and customer service skills that he developed during his years there.

Omar welcomed the births of his daughters; Sashawna and Amarrie. He was an extremely proud father who often boasted of their developmental milestones and achievements to anyone within earshot. Omar returned to Jamaica in 1999, this was not a decision that he made lightly. In retrospect, Omar wanted to gain a better understanding of the country of his birth and the time spent there was a journey of self-discovery, reflection, and growth. Whilst there, he joined the Rastafarian movement - School of Vision, residing in the hills of upper St. Andrew, where they toiled, cultivated, and lived off the land. Omar was a dedicated and fervent student, often seen on Saturdays in the Papine Square with his fellow brothers. The vegetarian lifestyle influenced his style of cooking and Omar emerged as a chef par excellence, known throughout Kingston for his stews, porridges, and natural juices.

Omar returned to the Cayman Islands in 2008, meeting his future wife Arlene. They were wed in Jamaica on February 24, 2011. Omar was a doting and loving husband, and he was so happy to have found the love of his life. In his later years, Omar worked at Kirks' Supermarket, in several roles, the most recent of which was Team Leader. He most enjoyed interacting with customers and was described as a hardworking, passionate, and driven individual. His energy was contagious, with a smile that lifted the spirits of customers and employees alike.

Sadly, Omar was diagnosed with cancer in April of 2019. He was determined to fight with everything in him and he did so valiantly. His positivity, good humor and bright spirit was remarkable to see, with physicians here and in the United States amazed and in awe. He succumbed to his illness, passing on peacefully on December 16, 2020 at 7:10 am at the George Town Hospital. He is greatly missed and remembered by family, close friends, former colleagues and his indomitable spirit will live on.

Eternal Rest grant unto his Soul. Rest in Peace, Omar St. Aubyn Greaves.



