



Celebrating
THE LIFE *of...*



MALCOLM BLACKBURN

MAY 16, 1957 - DECEMBER 17, 2024



Acknowledgment

The family of **Mr. Malcolm Blackburn** wishes to express their sincere appreciation for the many kind acts of kindness shown to them during their hour of agreement. May God bless each of you.

Arrangements Entrusted to:
Nabors Family Funeral Home
Lillie Nabors, L.F.D.E.
470 W. 172nd St
Thornton, Illinois 60476
Office/Cell: 708-704-5023

*Expect Great Service...
and Receive Greater.*



Remembering Malcolm

Malcolm Blackburn, 67, of Robbins, IL, passed away on December 17, 2024. He was born on May 16, 1957, in Chicago, IL, to Floyd and Olivia Blackburn.

Malcolm accepted Christ as his Lord and Savior at a young age while attending Mt. Calvary Missionary Baptist Church and remained a man of faith throughout his life. His faith sustained him through the loss of his mother and father.

Malcolm graduated from Harold L. Richards High School and dedicated his life to the family newspaper delivery service, where he worked tirelessly and with great pride. Alongside his twin brother, he ventured into several small startups, showcasing his entrepreneurial spirit and creativity. His passion for innovation and commitment to his family were evident in everything he did.

In his free time, Malcolm found immense joy and relaxation in playing games, especially basketball and checkers. These moments were a testament to his vibrant spirit and love for life. His legacy of hard work, ingenuity, and unwavering love for his family will forever be cherished. Malcolm's passion for the Lord was profound, and he was deeply committed to sharing the salvation story with others, ensuring they too could find hope and faith. He was a beacon of joy, always ready to make others laugh and brighten their day. His infectious laughter and kind heart will be deeply missed, but his memory will continue to inspire and uplift us.

As we say goodbye to Malcolm, we remember the joy, love, and laughter he brought into our lives. His spirit will forever live on in our hearts, and his legacy of kindness and generosity will continue to inspire us. Though he is no longer with us, his memory will be a guiding light, reminding us to cherish every moment and to love deeply. Rest in peace, dear brother. You will be missed more than words can express.

Malcolm is survived by Michael Blackburn, Anna Blackburn, Rachael Scott (Richard), Valerie Blackburn, Gail Jordan and a host of nieces and nephews. His mother and father, Olivia and Floyd, and his sister Pamela preceded him in death.

ORDER OF SERVICE

Saturday, January 18, 2025
Visitation 10:00AM-Service 11:00AM
Nabors Family Funeral Home
470 W. 172nd Street
Thornton, Illinois 60476

Processional

Selection

Mrs. Clarisa Smith/Damita Cox

Prayer

Scriptures

New Testament - Matt 24:44
New Testament - 1 Thess 4:16-18

Obituary (Read In Silence)

Words of Comfort - 2 minutes, please

Resolutions

Selection - Elder Kristin Atkins

Eulogy - Pastor Bernard Marsaw,
Healing Center Church

Recessional

Pallbearers

Maurice Smith Miguel Lee
Byron Marsaw Gregory Bozeman
Eddie Johnson Romero Alderson

Honorary Pallbearers

Thomas Boyd Michael Blackburn
Richard Scott

Interment

Cedar Park Cemetery
12540 S. Halsted Street
Calumet Park, IL 60827

Repast

Healing Center Church
1351 Stanley Boulevard
Calumet City, IL 60409

*A Letter from
Heaven*

*When tomorrow starts
without me And I'm not
there to see; If the sun
should rise and find your
eyes All filled with tears
for me.*

*I wish so much you
wouldn't cry The way
you did today; While
thinking of the many
things We didn't get to
say.*

*I know how much you
love me As much as I love
you; And each time that
you think of me, I know
you'll miss me too.*

*When tomorrow starts
without me, Don't think
we're far apart For every
time you think of me, I'm
right here in your heart.*

