



Curtis Maurice Edwards was born on February 28, 1963, to the union of Tommie Lee and Velma Edwards. Curtis, received his education in the LaGrange Public School system District 102. He also attended Lyons Township High School where he later worked for many years. Curtis accepted Christ at an early age and was baptized by the late JWR Owens at Second Baptist Church in LaGrange IL. Curtis married Melinda Siegler and to this union one son, Tre was born.

Curtis was a true servant. He was involved in many organizations in LaGrange. To name a few; NAACP, Community Diversity Group, where he enjoyed dressing up as Santa at the Christmas Party. Curtis was passionate about cooking, especially barbecuing for his friends, family and the community. He also enjoyed fishing, football, and listening to music. Curtis served on the Usher Board at SBC for years.

In 2019, Curtis married Rekeitha Vanzant and to this union three sons were added to their extended family, Corey Vanzant, Christopher Brown, and Conrad Blash. On September 17, 2021, Curtis was called home. He is preceded in death by his mother Velma, brother Tony and sister Banita.

Curtis will live forever in the heart of his wife, Rekeitha Vanzant of Maywood, son Tre Edwards of Brookfield, father Tommie Edwards (Ora) of Aurora. Three brothers Daryl Edwards of Chicago, Brian Edwards of Aurora, and Adrian Edwards (LaTisha) of Oswego. His extended family, Corey Vanzant, Christopher Brown, and Conrad Blash of Maywood. Extended grandchildren, Amina, Trinity, and Anthony. Goddaughter Michelle Davis and extended Godchildren; a host of uncles, aunts, nieces, nephews, and many cousins & friends. His Second Baptist Church family and play-sister Dorothy Sanders.

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