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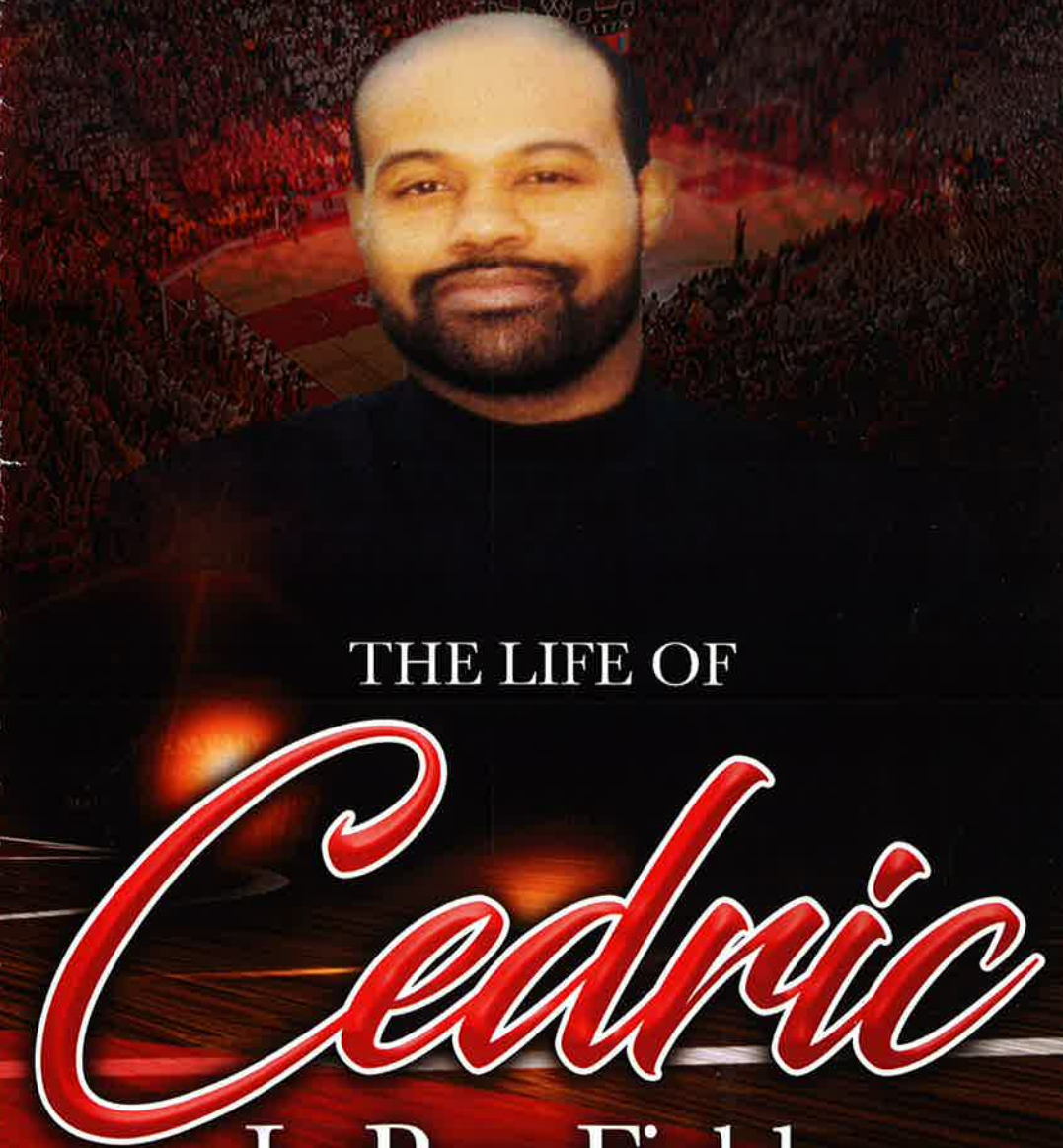
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CELEBRATING



THE LIFE OF

Cedric

LaRay Fields

Sunrise • November 15, 1961

Sunset • December 6, 2020

Wednesday, December 16th, 2020
Hillcrest Memory Gardens
12825 N.E. 50th St., Spencer, OK 73084



Celebrating The Life Of Cedric LaRay Fields

Cedric LaRay Fields was born on November 15, 1961 in Oklahoma City, OK. He was the first of six children born to Charles A. Fields and M. Vernita Cooper-Fields.

Cedric graduated with the class of 1980 from Central High School in Oklahoma City, OK. He was employed as an Environmental Services Supervisor at Emerald Care Center Midwest (formerly known as Manorcare Health Services) where he was a committed and faithful employee for 20 years until his passing. Prior to working for Emerald, he was a devoted employee of OG&E for 17 years, as well.

Cedric attended Crescent Hill Elementary, Taft Middle School and received great notoriety when he played basketball for Capitol Hill, Old Classen and Northwest Classen High Schools. He still loved to play the game with his children and especially loved watching his son play all throughout high school (Putnam City West) and college (Texas Christian University). He loved music of all kinds, but specifically Old School R&B/Soul and Gospel. He enjoyed watching movies, staying fit, spending time with family/friends while eating a home-cooked meal, and took special pride in all his trucks and classic cars that he owned throughout the years. Those who knew Cedric will remember him as a man of very few words, observant, respectful, helpful, full of jokes and known to always provide words of encouragement to anyone. He was just an all-around good guy and took the role of "Pawpaw," as his grandson called him, as his biggest accomplishment in life. He had a smile that could light up a room and a laugh that was very contagious and one-of-a-kind.

"Say not in grief 'he is no more' but in thankfulness that he was." -Hebrew Proverb

Cedric departed this life on December 6, 2020 to find eternal peace. He was preceded in death by his maternal grandfather, Richard Cooper; paternal grandparents, Charles Fields and Mae L. Vice; and father, Charles E. Fields. He is survived by his maternal grandmother, Myrtle Lee; mother, M. Vernita Cooper-Fields; three brothers, DeDrake Fields, Alexander Fields and Charles A. Fields; two sisters, Chamita Fields and Faith Fields; children, Alainna Fields (Monique) and Amric Fields (Mercedes); grandchildren, Roman Wood-Fields and Mila Wood-Fields; and a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins, friends and loved ones.

IN REMEMBRANCE OF YOU

"Not how did he die, but how did he live?
Not what did he gain, but what did he give?
These are the units to measure the worth
Of a man as a man, regardless of birth.
Not, what was his church, nor what was his creed?
But had he befriended those really in need?
Was he ever ready, with word of good cheer,
To bring back a smile, to banish a tear?
Not what did the sketch in the newspaper say,
But how many were sorry when he passed away."



To My Son

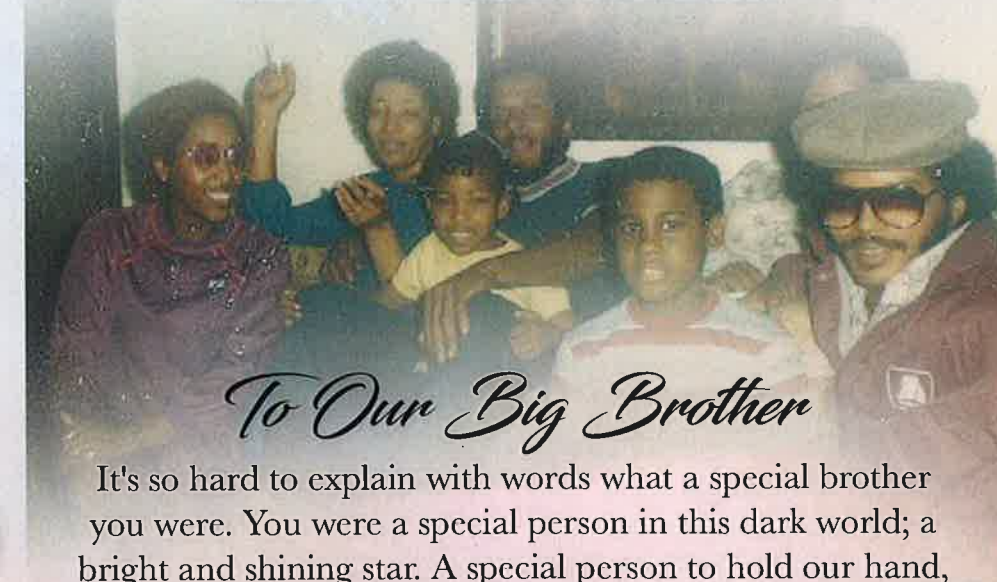
In loving memory of my first-born son.
What a precious gift you were then and will
always be in my heart. We had wonderful
times together...you are missed but you will
always be. I miss hearing you say,

"Mom."

Order of Service

Words of Comfort

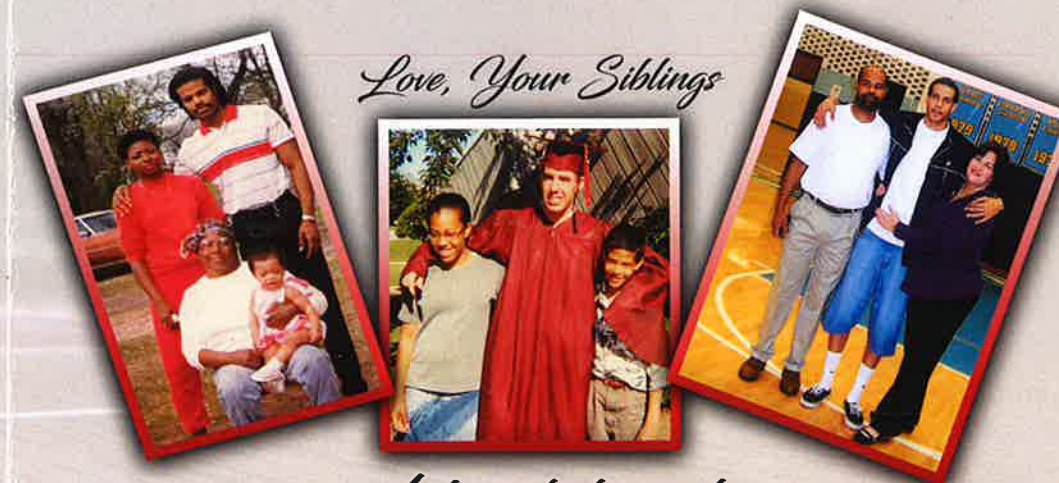
Elder Joseph Marzett
and Pastor Terrance Richardson



To Our Big Brother

It's so hard to explain with words what a special brother you were. You were a special person in this dark world; a bright and shining star. A special person to hold our hand, no matter what may have come. A special person to laugh with us and help us find our way. A special person to listen when we didn't know what to do. A special person who gave advice and helped us make it through. A special person to those you knew, helping when there was a need. A special person we all love and a special brother indeed.

Love, Your Siblings



Acknowledgment

Our family would like to sincerely thank you for the many expressions of sympathy and kindness during this time of bereavement. A special thank you to Cecil Williams for his unwavering love and support during Cedric's journey. As well, our utmost gratitude is extended to Charnita Fields, Jahni Moore and Treasure Moore for the endless days and nights of care extended to your brother and uncle. Each one's loyalty and dedication were a daily sustenance and will never be forgotten. May God continue to bless you all.