Father Knows Best

Our Father knows what's best for us,
So why should we complain
We always want the sunshine,
But He knows there must be rain

We love the sound of laughter
And the merriment of cheer,
But our hearts would lose their tenderness
If we never shed a tear...

Our Father tests us often
With suffering and with sorrow,
He tests us, not to punish us,
But to help us meet tomorrow...

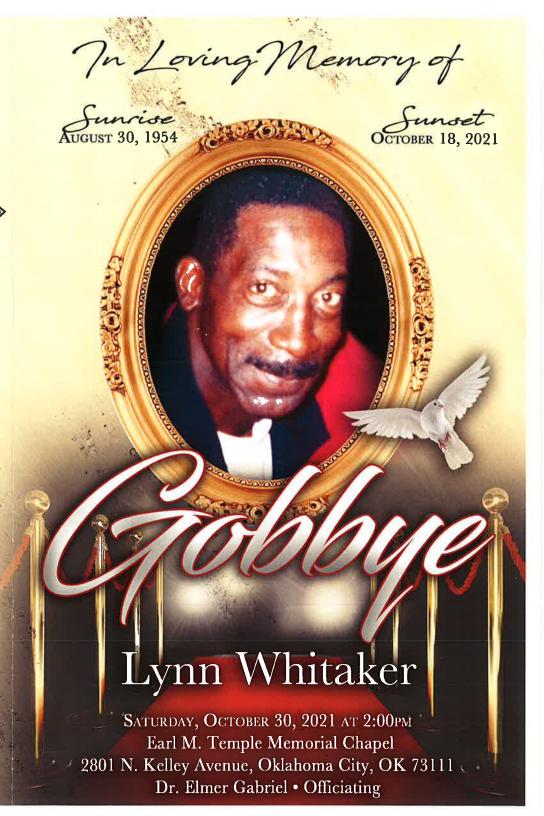
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The family wishes to express its sincere appreciation and gratitude for the many acts of kindness and love shown during this time of bereavement.

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Obituary

Mr. Gobbye Lynn Whitaker was born to the union of Woodrow and Dorothy Whitaker on August 30, 1954 in Jacksonville, TX. He moved to Oklahoma City, Ok with family where he attended & graduated from Northeast High School. He was member of Avery Chapel AME Church. Lynn retired from Dub Richardson Ford where he worked for over 20 years. Anyone that knew Lynn knew he was a hard worker and always willing to help. He was a nurturing and kind person and could always make you laugh. On Monday October 18, 2021 this beautiful life came to a close. He entered "Eternal Rest".

He leaves to cherish in his memory three daughters. Stacy Lynn Jackson (Darrell), Arika Lashawn Randolph (Carlos), Bethany Smith-Whitaker. He is survived by his father Woodrow Whitaker, two sisters Cynthia Lankster and Sharon Rideau, five grandchildren, Makeal Littlejohn, Damarion Littlejohn, Xavier Jennings, Keyara Randolph, Carlos Randolph, Jr., five nieces and nephews, and numerous cousins.

He was preceded in death by his mother Dorothy Whitaker and life long partner Carla Smith.

Order of Service

Processional

Minister, Funeral Directors, Family

Scripture Reading

Old Testament Scripture New Testament Scripture

Opening Prayer

Special Song

Virgina White ~ Eyes on The Sparrow

Resolution and Acknowledgements

First Lady Donna Gabriel

Remarks

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Words of Comfort

Dr. Elmer Gabriel Jr.

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Recessional

Ministers, Funeral Directors, Family