

A TRIBUTE OF HONOR & LOVE

A portrait of Granville Charles Lee, Sr. wearing a Washington Redskins jersey and a large red and white feathered headdress. The jersey features the team's logo and the word "SKINS" on the sleeve. The background is a dark, textured red.

Granville
CHARLES LEE, SR.

SUNRISE: OCTOBER 5, 1946 | SUNSET: NOVEMBER 6, 2020

Order of Service

A CELEBRATION OF LIFE

Saturday, November 28, 2020

Not About Me Ministries

3106 Branch Avenue

Temple Hills, Maryland 20748

Rev. Tony Lee, Senior Pastor

Rev. Dr Nancy Lee, Executive Pastor

Rev. Bill Lee, Assistant Pastor, Officiant

Opening Selection

Prayer of Comfort

Scripture Reading

Old Testament - Psalms 23

New Testament- John 14: 1-6

Acknowledgements

Remarks

Sermonic Selection

Church Psalmist

Eulogy

Rev Tony Lee

Invitation to Discipleship

Benediction

“For everything there is a season, and a time
for every purpose under heaven...”



Remembering Granville

Granville Charles Lee Sr. was born to the late James C and Elizabeth J. Lee on October 5, 1946. He peacefully entered into eternal rest on November 6, 2020.

Granville received his elementary and junior high school education in the District of Columbia Public School system, with completion at Theodore Roosevelt Senior High School in 1965. He pursued undergraduate study at the University of District of Columbia and received the Bachelor's Degree in Accounting in 1978. He continued with post graduate studies at the Washington Saturday College (Howard University) and received the Masters Degree in Theology. His thirst for education motivated him to attend Trinity College, Washington DC, where he received the Masters Degree in Education.

He served honorably in the U.S. Air Force during the Vietnam War and was a member of the Uniformed Division of Secret Service covering the White House and Presidential detail, as well as all the Embassies in Washington DC. He later taught Mathematics at Francis Junior High School in the District of Columbia where he developed strong and long lasting relationships with students and parents.

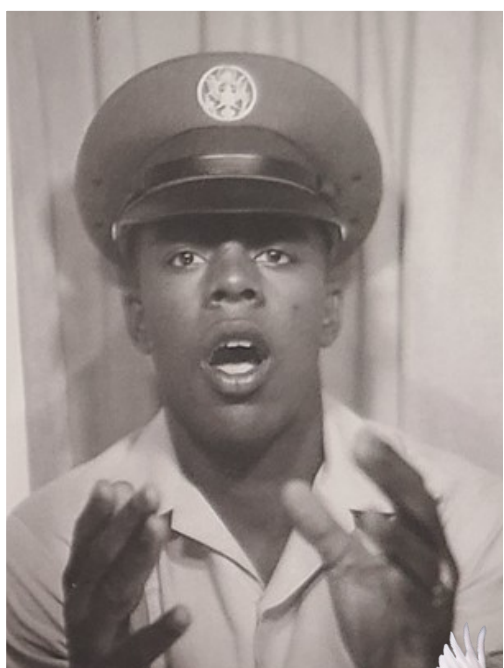
On August 20, 1966, Granville entered into holy matrimony with Elsie Louise Breeding, and from this union Granville Charles Lee, Jr. and Elsie Michelle Lee were born. He married Carla Denise Graham on February 12, 1977 and from this union Geoffrey Carlton and Gilbert Christopher were born. On October 11, 1989, he married Carol Ann Flagg and embraced her two children, Evonne Kismet and Kymar Ra'shad Flagg -Webster. Krystal Lorraine Lee was born from this union.

Granville accepted Christ as his Savior at an early age at Emmanuel Baptist Church in Southeast DC. He moved with his parents to Vermont Avenue Baptist Church and enjoyed worshipping at Greater Mt Calvary Holy Church. After completing his theological education, Granville served on the ministerial staff at Hemingway AME Church.

During his latter years he was an active member of Community of Hope AME Church in Iverson Mall until his health declined.

He loved skiing, swimming, tennis, basketball, roller skating, riding motorcycles, and he was a dynamo on the dance floor. He was a true sports enthusiast, being a ride-or-die "Skins" fan. He was an avid reader and he loved all kinds of music. He lived an active and fun filled life until his health caused him to reside in long term care facilities until his peaceful transition to eternal life. He will be missed, but never forgotten.

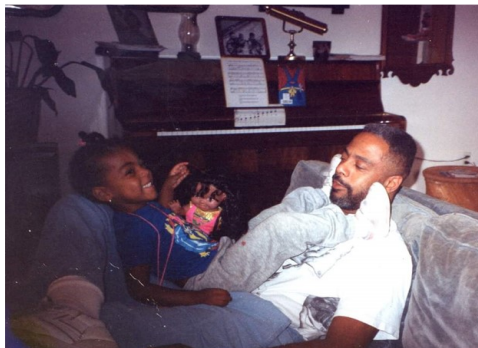
He leaves To cherish precious memories, his children Granville C. Lee, Jr. (Tomara), Michelle Elsie Lee, Geoffrey C. Lee (Alexandrea), Gilbert C. Lee, Krystal L Lee (Diamond), Evonne Kismet and Kymar Ra'shad Flagg Webster; devoted brother, Orlando W.E. Lee (Nancy); grandchildren, Adrianna, Jerrod, Brittani, Noah, Chloe, Kimora, Daquan, Zaire, and Ciara, Kameron, Shayla and Sonya, a very dear and devoted friend, Minnie Harmon and a host of nephews, nieces, cousins and friends.



Set Free

When I have come to the end of the road
And the sun has set for me
I want no rites in a gloom filled room
Why cry for a soul set free.

Miss me a little, But not for long
And not with your heads bowed low
Remember the love that we once shared
Miss me but let me go.





Daddy,

I take this time to say goodbye to your physical presence on this earth. You are loved and will be missed as long as I live. But as you have transitioned to eternal life in Christ, let me try to express what your existence in this life meant to me. Your legacy for me will forever be my faith. My faith in God is the most powerful force in my life as well as my faith in forgiveness.

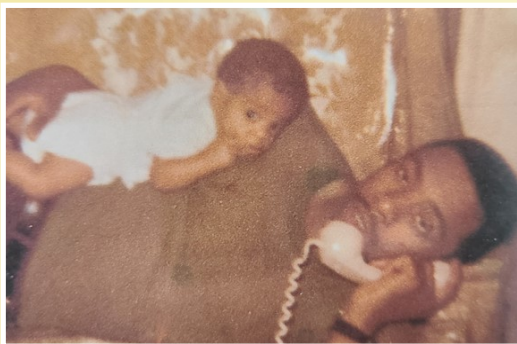
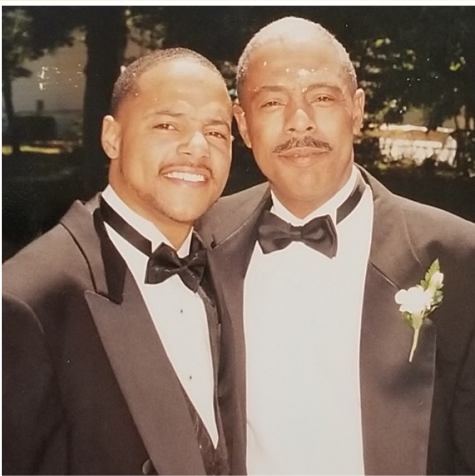
As a child, my exposure to God and church came with any visit to see Granddaddy and Nana, which always included a visit to Vermont Ave Baptist Church or the church in Luray, or a visit to Uncle Orlando and Aunt Nancy's, which always included a visit to Paramount Baptist Church. Although my mother believed in God, she didn't raise us in church. Her lack of faith was a struggle during my younger years, but the exposure you provided increased the foundation for my faith.



As a young adult, Tony and Billy were the ones that led me to Ebenezer A.M.E Church, where in '93 I finally decided to give my life to Christ. Without my connection to the Lee family, without you as my father, the flame of my faith would not have been lit. Christ Jesus is the best gift you could have ever given me. This gift is what sustains me. This gift has brought me peace. This gift has taught me patience and forgiveness. This gift has given me the grace to forgive. Thank you daddy for the greatest gift I will ever receive.

I love you dearly.

Until we meet again,
Your #1, **Michelle Lee**



To My Father

One of the things I will miss most about you is your smile. The joking nature of our family was built on the backs of you and your brothers. It gives me nothing but joy knowing you can be with your brothers again in eternal peace. You finally get to see uncle Kenny again daddy. Loving you now and forever!

Your **Sporty Shorty!**



Tomorrow

If 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 would not cry
The way you do today
While thinking of the many things
We did not get to say.

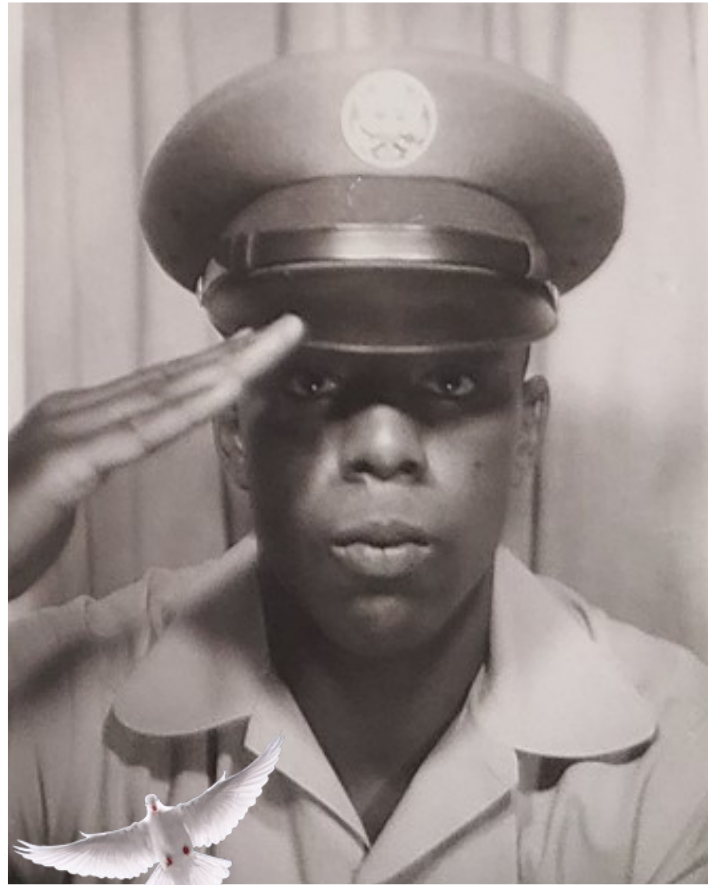
I know how much you loved me
As much as I loved you
And each time that you think of me
I know you'll miss me too.

When tomorrow starts without me
Please try to understand
That an angel came
And called my name
And took me by the hand.

He said, Granville, your place is ready
In heaven up above
And that I had to leave
behind all those I dearly love.

So when tomorrow starts without me
Don't think we're far apart
For every time you think of me
Remember, I'm right here in your hearts.





FLORAL ARRANGEMENTS

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Our family would like to thank everyone for all acts of kindness and love shown during our time of bereavement. May God continue to bless and keep each of you in his loving care.

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