



Alvin Washington

February 6, 1945 - August 15, 2022

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On February 6, 1945, Clarence and Rosa Washington welcomed their second son, Alvin

Lowell Washington into the family. On Dec 18, 1964, Alvin was joined in Holy Matrimony

to Barbara Nell Washington. To their union, four children were born – Vanessa, Kimberly,

Christopher and Kelan. Alvin was affectionately known as Lowell by his family and close friends.

Lowell grew up in Webberville, Texas and the family later moved to Garfield, Texas. He was

the son of a sharecropper which he was very proud of. His dad taught him everything he

knew about farming and to always put family first. He was a very proud man with an

humble spirit and well respected by all whom he met.

He began his career as a heavy equipment operator for the City of Austin.

After 5 years

Lowell decided he wanted to be his own boss and founded A. W. Washington Truck Lines.

The business later incorporated into Alvin Washington Trucking Company which he owned and operated for 50+ years. Although Lowell “retired” in December of 2021, he remained

dedicated to business operations and affairs until his last breath. In addition to being an

entrepreneur, Lowell maintained the family farm in Garfield, Texas for over 10 years and for

a few years re-established the family’s renown restaurant – “Catfish Hill”.

Lowell professed Christ at an early age and united with Webberville Ebenezer Baptist

Church. In 1963, Lowell joined Mt. Zion Baptist Church in Austin, Texas where he served in

multiple ministries – Church Treasurer, Usher and Trustee Board member to name a few.

In 2002, Lowell moved his family membership to the Greater Mount Zion Baptist Church

where he served faithfully on GMZ’s First Impressions: Campus Safety and Parking Team...

in bright sunshine, heavy rain, and yes, throughout the pandemic until his illness no longer

allowed him. On any given Sunday you would be blessed with his warm greeting and

bright smile – both services, exemplifying his dedication and servant heart.

He is preceded in death by his parents: Clarence and Rosa Washington; two brothers:

Lorenzo and Raymond Washington; three sisters: Clara Blaylark (Howard), Dorothy Hewitt

(James) and Vonnell Jefferson two nieces: Joyce Lindsey and Jackie Center,

all welcoming

him at Heaven's door.

He leaves an abundance of fond memories to his wife Barbara; two sons:

Christopher and

Kelan; two daughters: Vanessa Williams and Kimberly Dove (Tracy); seven grandchildren:

Christie, Sabrina, Karys, Karsten, Ravien, Payton (Austin) and Nick

(Oklahoma): three

great-grandchildren: Mahaki, Landon and Mehlani; one sister: Juanita Smith;

one brother:

Benny (Selma) Washington; one sister-in-law: Barbara Nell Washington and

one brother-in-

law: Jeff Jefferson, all of Austin, Texas.

"I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills, from whence comes my help? My help comes

from the Lord." Psalm 12: 1-2

Cemetery Details

Evergreen Cemetery

3304 E12th & Airport Blvd
Austin, TX 78721

Previous Events

PUBLIC VIEWING FOLLOWING CDC GUIDELINES

AUG 23. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Greater Mt. Zion Baptist Church
4301 TANNEHILL LANE
Austin, TX 78721

Celebration Service

AUG 23. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Alvin Washington*

October 06, 2023 at 07:08 AM



“ *Sending our love and prayers to you all!!
Derrick and Robyn Speight*



Robyn U Speight - August 23, 2022 at 07:31 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for
the family of Alvin Washington.*



August 23, 2022 at 10:38 AM



“ *I will always remember Alvin's clean appearances In his white shirts
and professionalism with his trucking company and his devotion to
his service at Greater Mt. Zion. We are praying for his family during
this difficult time.*

Joyce Arnold Turner and family

Joyce Arnold Turner - August 22, 2022 at 08:53 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Alvin Washington.*



August 20, 2022 at 12:07 PM



“ *Heavenly Sentiments Spray was purchased for the family of Alvin Washington.*



August 19, 2022 at 04:57 PM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Alvin Washington.*



August 19, 2022 at 01:24 PM



“ *My deepest sympathy to the family. May God cover you with his Holy Spirit as your family Go through this time of grief. Anthony and Gail Cole*

Anthony and Gail Cole - August 19, 2022 at 10:46 AM

JW

“ Always there, will miss his conversations.
Love and comfort to Barbara and family.
Jackie Williams



Jacqueline Williams - August 19, 2022 at 10:08 AM

JB

“ James A Bushner lit a candle in memory of
Alvin Washington



James A Bushner - August 19, 2022 at 08:49 AM

LS

“ Linda Stephens lit a candle in memory of
Alvin Washington



Linda Stephens - August 18, 2022 at 11:08 PM

JF

“ My condolences to Barbara and the Washington family. Bro. Alvin
was such a faithful servant at GMZ. He always had a smile on his
face. May he rest in peace.

Janice Foster-Hardeman - August 18, 2022 at 07:19 PM

JR

“ *Janice Rogers lit a candle in memory of Alvin Washington*



Janice Rogers - August 18, 2022 at 05:10 PM

AG

“ *You are in my thoughts and prayers...*

Cousin Alberta

Alberta Grady - August 17, 2022 at 09:53 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Alvin Washington.*



August 17, 2022 at 07:18 PM

MM

“ *Miguel, Kim, and Machael purchased the A Full Life for the family of Alvin Washington.*



Miguel, Kim, and Machael - August 17, 2022 at 01:54 PM