



## Rev. Clifford Wayne Bowser

October 4, 1959 - February 23, 2020

Clifford Wayne Bowser was the sixth child to Allen and Myrtle Bowser in Travis County, Texas on October 4, 1959. He grew up in Austin, Texas and received his education in the Austin Public Schools.

Clifford professed a hope in Christ at an early age at Bethany Christian Church. He graduated from Reagan High School and furthered his education at Howard Payne University in Brownwood, Texas.

Clifford was united in marriage to Judy Young and to this union three kids were born, Sharita, Kevin and Lance.

He was employed at Del Valle ISD for fourteen years. He accepted his calling to Christ in his early 20's. He accepted his pastoral duties at Gildon Creek 3rd Baptist Church in Manor, Texas until his health failed.

Clifford entered into eternal rest on February 23, 2020. He was preceded in death by both parents, one brother (Joe Bowser); three sisters, (Rosetta, Loraine, Lisa). Clifford Wayne Bowser, leaves to cherish his memory, his beautiful wife, Judy Bowser, one daughter, Sharita, two sons, Kevin (Deborah), Lance (Megan), five grandchildren, three brothers, Ray (Julie), Aubrey (Wanda), Ernest (Ora), one sister, Claudette (Norris) all of Austin, Texas, nieces, nephews, three God Children (Keith Moore, Belinda Simpson, Bobbie Renee Jones) and a host of family and friends.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB **28**. 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

Simpson United Methodist Church  
1701 E. 12th Street  
Austin, TX 78702

## Celebration Service

FEB **29**. 1:00 PM (CT)

Grant A.M.E. Worship Center  
1701 Kramer Lane  
Austin, TX 78758  
<http://gwcaustin.org>

# Tribute Wall



“ *Rev. Clifford Wayne Bowser*

October 06, 2023 at 07:08 AM



“ *8 files added to the album Memories Album*



**A Life Celebration by Franklin** - October 05, 2020 at 04:28 PM



“ *Jackie Harris-Crayton lit a candle in memory of Rev. Clifford Wayne Bowser*



**Jackie Harris-Crayton** - April 08, 2020 at 12:44 AM



“ *My condolence to the Bowser family...May God Bless...*

**John Mays** - March 03, 2020 at 12:41 PM



“ *Mary Diggs lit a candle in memory of Rev. Clifford Wayne Bowser*



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**Mary Diggs** - March 01, 2020 at 12:58 PM



*I'd like to send my heartfelt deepest condolences to the entire Bowser family. Clifford and I are long time lifetime friends and classmates. What a Man he was a true Man of God. I'm going to miss him and his kind words of wisdom. He was so outspoken and very thoughtful. God has gained another angel. Rest In Peace my friend.*

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**Mary Diggs** - March 01, 2020 at 01:02 PM

RC

“ *Hello Judy, ( Sis. Bowser)*  
*This is Sis. ( Ruthie) Carter ( Mt. Olive Baptist Church). It's been a minute so I hope that you remember me. I just got the news and I am so very sorry for your loss. Pleas know that Pastor Carter and I are praying for you and your entire family. Just wanted you to know that you are in our thoughts and prayers.*

*We love you and your husband dearly.I don't know how to contact so I did it through this channel because I want you to know that I am here and available. . Please feel free to contact me on FB I'd love to get to get when you feel you are able and desire to do so.*

*We will continue to lift your family up in our prayers. May God bless you is my prayers. ❤️🙏*

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**Ruthie Carter** - February 29, 2020 at 08:12 PM

GJ

“ Clifford was/is a life-long friend who was always there to have a good conversation . Clifford recognized his calling to serve God at an early age. And I believe that calling enabled him to be the great friend that he was to me . Rest In Peace! God bless his family.

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**Gerald Johnson** - February 29, 2020 at 08:56 AM

JS

“ Clifford was a fellow 1978 Reagan Raider graduate and a captain of the 1977 State Quarterfinalist Football team. Whether it was paving large holes at right guard for the 32 Belly or clogging up holes at defensive nose guard, Clifford was a giant in many ways who was respected by his teammates! I shared with Clifford on Saturday February 22 while at his home that he had magnets on his body when he showed up for the 40th Class Reunion during the Fall of 2018 because once he arrived, all attendees were "drawn" to him? We will miss Clifford!

*Jim Sutton*

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**Jim Sutton** - February 28, 2020 at 04:03 PM

 Anne DeMark

Clifford and i went to Pearce Jr High and were membets of the class of 1978 from John H Reagan. A couple of years ago while going through some stuff with my mom I saw on Facebook he would write a question that required thought. I always looked forward to those weekly posts. I saw Cliff on Oct 27 2018 at our 40th clasd reunion. I made a point of telling him how much those posts meant to me. He was a wonderful person and he will be missed

*Anne DeMark*

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**Anne DeMark** - March 01, 2020 at 05:25 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Rev. Clifford Wayne Bowser.



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February 28, 2020 at 01:08 PM



“ Mr. Bowser was a wonderful mentor to so many students when I worked with him at DVMS. He treated all the staff like royalty as well. Please know that I am so saddened by his passing. He always made the halls smell fantastic when he would come in early and make breakfast (silly memory to share, but it came to mind). The world has lost a great man who made it a better place to live in.

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**Emily Anderson** - February 27, 2020 at 07:09 PM



“ Dear Bowser Family, Thank you all for sharing this great man with us at Del Valle Junior High and Middle School. No matter what, Mr. Bowser always had a huge smile, a word of encouragement, or a kind expression to offer us in our day-to-day lives. He was deeply respected and loved by students, teachers, colleagues, administration - everyone he came into contact with. He was missed when he retired but those of us who stayed in touch with him on Facebook and elsewhere were continually blessed by his wisdom, challenges, and willingness to share his struggles with us all. He wasn't afraid of his vulnerabilities and by sharing his battle with diabetes, he inspired us all to keep moving forward. Mr. Bowser was a friend, and I will especially miss you.  
Tish Hallmark

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**Leticia Hallmark** - February 27, 2020 at 06:59 PM

VS

“ You were and always will be a shining light to our family and to all who knew you or crossed paths with you. I will forever miss you. I thank God for placing you in our lives and in our family. Your words of encouragement will be remembered throughout eternity. Your Cousins will deeply miss you Clifford.

Victoria Shaw-Mathis - February 27, 2020 at 04:38 PM



“ Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Rev. Clifford Wayne Bowser.



February 27, 2020 at 03:25 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Rev. Clifford Wayne Bowser.



February 27, 2020 at 03:03 PM

CC

“ Cynthia Crayton lit a candle in memory of Rev. Clifford Wayne Bowser



Cynthia Crayton - February 27, 2020 at 12:40 PM



“ *Divine Light was purchased for the family of Rev. Clifford Wayne Bowser.*



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February 27, 2020 at 07:36 AM



“ *Otis & Alberta Clemons lit a candle in memory of Rev. Clifford Wayne Bowser*



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**Otis & Alberta Clemons** - February 26, 2020 at 06:33 PM



“ *Kenneth Haywood lit a candle in memory of Rev. Clifford Wayne Bowser*



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**Kenneth Haywood** - February 26, 2020 at 05:21 PM



“ *Debra Bowser lit a candle in memory of Rev. Clifford Wayne Bowser*



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**Debra Bowser** - February 26, 2020 at 03:35 PM

DB

*Thank you so much for your words of encouragement, I'm going to miss the conversations,*

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**Debra Bowser** - February 26, 2020 at 03:38 PM

MW

*Our deepest sympathy to Sis. Claudette Carr and family. GOD bless you all! Margaret Wright and family*

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**Margaret Wright** - March 14, 2020 at 05:37 PM