



## James Fletcher

April 24, 1958 - December 15, 2018

### Obituary

James Mark Fletcher was born in Kansas City Kansas on April 24, 1958. He was preceded in death by his father James Fletcher Sr, his mother Barbara Brown who died as a faithful servant of Jehovah, his brother Carlos Fletcher, his sister Ardell Jones, and his son Byron Weaver who also died as a faithful servant of Jehovah.

James graduated from Lincoln High School, Kansas City MO in 1978. James began his career as a painter in 1982, and established "James Fletcher Painting" in 1986. He retired in November 2017.

He enjoyed sports and played basketball with his spiritual brothers. James enjoyed a very active lifestyle which included spending time with his wife Bridget, his great niece and nephew at the parks, playground and gym.

His love of life and desire to live is evident by his endurance of 87 treatments of chemotherapy - Ecclesiastes 3:11. He dearly loved his wife, children and in-laws as well as his spiritual and fleshly brothers and sisters. During his many treatments James would spend time to encourage his spiritual brothers and sisters who were new patients at the cancer center. James prayed that Jehovah would provide him the strength and endurance during his last days to make necessary preparations for his death in order to the ease pain and stress on his wife. He expressed thanks to Jehovah for hearing his prayers. Most of all James loved Jehovah (John 14:31). He was baptized June 9, 1978 and strived to follow Jesus Christ example and command at Matthew

24:14. He took advantage of many opportunities while at the cancer center and hospitals and talked to the nursing staff about his hope in God's kingdom. James developed a special and strong bond with his oncologist. His oncologist not only spoke highly of James but also cared for him as a physician and friend. James is survived by his supportive wife and caregiver, Bridget; his daughter Janisha Matlock of Kansas City, MO., Latoya Smith of Kansas City, MO., son James Fletcher, II. of Kansas City, KS.; sister Connie (Romeo) Moore of Arlington, TX., sister Joyce (Edward) Ingram of Kansas City, MO., sister Ivy Fletcher of Kansas City, MO., sister Teresa Fletcher of Kansas City, MO., brother Terry Fletcher of Kansas City, MO., brother George Fletcher (Kay) of Kansas City, MO., and a host of grandchildren, nieces and nephews and other relatives and friends

Memorial Services will be held at 2:00 P.M. on Saturday, December 29, 2018 at Watkins Heritage Chapel 4000 Emanuel Cleaver II Blvd. Private Disposition

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“ Our dear faithful brother. We await the day that Jehovah calls you back to life as he will many faithful servants. Our love and prayers are with the family for strength and endurance. “If a man dies, can he live again? I will wait all the days of my compulsory service until my relief comes. You will call, and I will answer you. You will long for the work of your hands” Job 14:14,15

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