



Kenneth Gowins

October 5, 1964 - June 16, 2016

On October 5, 1964, one of God's beloved sons was born to the late Raymond and Lillian Gowins. Although Kenneth was born hearing and verbally impaired, he was reared in a spiritual loving home where God and family was the order of the day.

Kenneth lived a full life in his formative years, he attended St. Frances School for the Deaf and went on to complete his education at the Lexington School for the Deaf. After graduating Kenneth held various jobs in the community where he met a host of friends.

Affectionately known as Papa, Kenneth obtain a job with his father Raymond, with the Board of Education. In 1989, Kenneth became part of the janitorial staff at PS184, which became his second family.

Working closely with his big brother Pete and other staff members: Agent Johnson, Agent Brown and Brenda and so many others. Kenneth loved being around the school. The loving connection Kenneth shared with the staff and children was nothing more than divine. It gave him a sense of belonging divine. It gave him a sense of belonging and he was always there to do whatever needed to be done.

On June 16, 2016 after leaving work taking his normal route from the school

Kenneth stopped to take a seat on the park bench.

We, the family, like to believe that it was there where Kenneth made his transition. After having a conversation with God the Father, who asked Kenneth, do you want to return to earth or stay here in heaven? On Thursday, June 16, 2016 at 8:55pm Kenneth decide to stay in heaven where he can watch over everyone he loved. And all the heavens rejoiced.

Kenneth now intercedes in heaven on the behalf of his sisters: Wanda Gowins, Jennifer Gowins-Portee, Kim William and Joanne Crawford; brother Raymond Crawford; aunts: Connie Lewis and Charlene Boyd; uncle Harold Daniels and brother-in-law Michael Portee and a host of other family members and friends.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN **24.** 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Funeral Service

JUN **25.** 9:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Kenneth Gowins*

November 11, 2022 at 12:38 PM



“ *PS-41 Custodial Crew purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Kenneth Gowins.*



PS-41 Custodial Crew - June 24, 2016 at 02:40 PM