



Mr. Dexter M. Hughley

May 4, 1970 - August 18, 2017

Dexter Maurice Hughley was born May 4, 1970 to Mr. Fad Hughley, Jr. and Mrs. Iola Hughley in Orlando, Florida.

He attended Apopka, High School and USF in Tampa, Florida where he earned his BS Degree in Management. Dexter was employed by Taco Bell, Burger King, Popeye's, KFC and Wendy's, although his favorite places to eat were Red Lobster and Olive Garden.

Dexter had such an affectionate personality. If you knew him, you loved him. His heart was of gold and his ministry to help was evident. God gave Dexter, "Buster" (as he's affectionately known and "Toe, Toe" to his family) a special gift of singing. His gift made room for him as he was privileged to be the "Opening Soloist" for many renowned singers/ groups, such as The Clark Sisters, The Mighty Clouds of Joy, Karen "Kee Kee" Sheard, Shon Page, Spiritual Wonders, Heavenlyettes, Honey Walker and the Goldenaires, Gospel Harmonaiers; Choirs included, St. Matthew, St. Elizabeth, 8th Street, Fresh Anointing and lastly Fountain of Life Baptist Church Choir where he served as president for several years. God also granted Brother Hughley the privilege of forming two groups, Phaz 2 and I Cry, No Rock, whose name optimized how he felt about singing praises to Our God.

Dexter and his sister would also sing for their uncle Ray Gilmore when he

preached in Vero Beach and elsewhere. For his community connection his group was featured at the Central Florida Fairgrounds, the Apopka Art and Foliage Festival, numerous Banquets, Programs and Funerals. Dexter, met with an unfortunate accident on November 2, 2016. God was with him through that. The devil wanted to take him out but God said, "No". He made significant progress in local hospitals and rehabs. But on August 18, 2017 at 12:10am, God called him to rest.

Dexter leaves to cherish precious memories to: a very special sister, Uletha Jennings; one adopted sister, Kelcey Dubose; five nieces, Julisa Jennings, Francina Jennings, Atiana Jennings, all of Plymouth, Florida, Breanna Brunson and Amber Brunson, both of West Palm Beach, Florida; special cousin; god brother, Minister Cedric D. Williams; six great nephews; two godsons, one goddaughter; five aunts; two uncles; special god brother, Elder Sherman Smith; godmother of the Bush family, Mrs. Teresa Bush; and a host of sorrowing friends.

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG **25**. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Fountain of Life Baptist Church
38 West 15th Street
Apopka, FL 32703

Service

AUG **26**. 3:00 PM (ET)

First Baptist Church of Apopka
441 South Highland Avenue
Apopka, FL 32703

Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Dexter M. Hughley*

October 22, 2023 at 05:49 PM



“ *Pastor Drake & First Lady Tia Hudson & Michelle purchased the Gracious Lavender Basket for the family of Mr. Dexter M. Hughley.*



Pastor Drake & First Lady Tia Hudson & Michelle - August 26, 2017 at 04:31 AM



“ *Linda Jordan lit a candle in memory of Mr. Dexter M. Hughley*



Linda Jordan - August 25, 2017 at 05:18 PM



“ *Teresa Jackson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Dexter M. Hughley*



Teresa Jackson - August 25, 2017 at 01:57 PM

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“ I grew up in Plymouth with Dexter, We sang in the same group together(The Gospel Harmonettes, He was my daughters godfather, we also attended the same church at one point. I wrote a song for him!! Will you be ready! I will miss my friend!!!!



Demetria (Bush)Coston - August 25, 2017 at 09:27 AM

Anita
Tompkins

“ Anita Tompkins lit a candle in memory of Mr. Dexter M. Hughley



Anita Tompkins - August 24, 2017 at 08:15 PM

BS

“ What a awesome young brother and friend.Very talented and caring of others.We will truly miss Dexter and that wonderful singing..May we cherish the good memories of him always..R.I.P. ..Dexer



Bernard Macon Sr. - August 23, 2017 at 10:43 PM

KA

“ *Krystal Alexander-Smith lit a candle in memory of Mr. Dexter M. Hughley*



Krystal Alexander-Smith - August 23, 2017 at 11:13 AM

DW

“ *Diann Watkins lit a candle in memory of Mr. Dexter M. Hughley*



Diann Watkins - August 23, 2017 at 11:10 AM

CP

“ *Chrystine Paramore lit a candle in memory of Mr. Dexter M. Hughley*



chrystine paramore - August 22, 2017 at 11:54 PM

SL

“ *Sadie Lowman sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Dexter M. Hughley*



Sadie Lowman - August 22, 2017 at 05:25 PM



“ *Melanie King lit a candle in memory of Mr. Dexter M. Hughley*



Melanie King - August 22, 2017 at 05:06 PM



“ *Fountain of life church member lit a candle in memory of Mr. Dexter M. Hughley*



church member - August 22, 2017 at 05:04 PM



“ *The Durden Family lit a candle in memory of Mr. Dexter M. Hughley*



Kesha D. - August 22, 2017 at 04:55 PM



“ *Pat Allen lit a candle in memory of Mr. Dexter M. Hughley*



Pat Allen - August 22, 2017 at 07:49 AM



“ You are missed my friend...*REST ON MY FRIEND..UNTIL WE MEET AGAIN...*



Ta keys ha "TAPP" Miller - August 22, 2017 at 07:36 AM



“ *Lois Morss lit a candle in memory of Mr. Dexter M. Hughley*



Lois Morss - August 22, 2017 at 05:48 AM



“ *Nina. Sullivan lit a candle in memory of Mr. Dexter M. Hughley*



Nina. Sullivan - August 22, 2017 at 05:13 AM



“ *Kim Howard sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Dexter M. Hughley*



Kim Howard - August 22, 2017 at 04:40 AM



“ *Kim Howard lit a candle in memory of Mr. Dexter M. Hughley*



Kim Howard - August 22, 2017 at 04:38 AM



“ *Sherrie Parker lit a candle in memory of Mr. Dexter M. Hughley*



Sherrie Parker - August 21, 2017 at 09:11 PM



“ *Joan Mason lit a candle in memory of Mr. Dexter M. Hughley*



Joan Mason - August 21, 2017 at 08:34 PM



“ *May God give you a peace that will surpass all understanding he will truly be missed my friend one of the nicest young men I have met in a long time*

Rosa Brown - August 21, 2017 at 08:24 PM

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“ *There are so many countless happy memories of Dexter Hughley. He was always smiling, laughing and singing. He had a big heart for God and people. He was my Singing Machine and my Friend. I'm thankful that I met him and will miss him so very much.*

LaShonda Bolden Quinn

LaShonda Bolden Quinn - August 21, 2017 at 11:28 AM