

*A Celebration
of Our Beloved's Life*



William E. McIntosh Jr.

A Home Going Service

Friday, November 15th, 2002

Ten-thirty in the Morning

Mount Zion Baptist Church
1634 19th Avenue
Seattle WA 98122



Rev. Dr. Leslie O. Braxton Officiant

To Our Dad and Our Brother, from

Your First Born . . . Tandra

Dad . . . Our lives have been spent with too much time between us and now we are separated until eternity. We mended the space for a short period of time and those moments I will always treasure. The love I have for you, Father, will be cherished and remembered forever. So, until we meet again you will always be kept close to my heart, in spirit and in mind. I love you Dad, more than any words could ever say and I want to promise you that as long as there is a breath in my body, the legacy you built will carry on.

Your baby girl . . . Monica

God saw you getting tired and cure was not to be; so he put his arms around you and said, "Come with me." Dad, with tearful eyes, we watched you suffer and saw you fade away. Even though I loved you dearly, we could not make you stay. A golden heart stopped beating, you're now at peaceful rest. God broke our hearts to prove to us that you were worthy of his test. Although you're not here physically, you will and always have been with me in heart. I will always love you Dad and that love will keep you alive in my heart. So I'm not going to say good-bye. I'll just say, I'll see you later Dad. Rest in peace Dad, I Love You!

Brian

What's up Dad? It's hard to imagine that now when I say that, I'm not going to receive a "Hey, Bry Bry" reply. Even though I always hated that nick name, I loved when you said it, because it meant I wasn't in trouble. I feel you running through me right now, and I know you'll be there whenever I need you. So while you're up in heaven, Dad, make sure you tell God thanks for me. Tell him thanks for giving me the greatest t Dad on earth.

Blair

Dad, you are quite simply the best father I could ever have asked for. I thank God everyday of my life for giving you to me. Yet now, I suffer an inexpressible feeling of loss and sadness. I have always enjoyed our father-child relationship. You somehow found a way to raise me as both a friend, while also remaining my hero. You have proven to me that one can lead with compassion in both parenting and in life. You are a special person to so many people. You probably did not even realize the effect you had on those fortunate enough to be in your presence. My hope is that now you are in a place where you possess all the wisdom of the ages and you now understand God's plan and your place in it.

Blakely

Last week I lost my father, my best friend and my mentor. I think it caught everyone by surprise, but especially me. As you can tell by the individuals attending his funeral, my father meant a lot to many people. Not only did he touch many lives, he made sure that his family and friends were well taken care of. The legacy that you left, I will do my best with all my heart to continue what you started. Love you baby boy . . .

Tonjia, Pamela, Deborah, Twaya

Sonnie . . . It is with great sadness that we are here in Seattle, without you. It's so amazing that you survived in a house with four sisters! You were our friend, confidant, referee, mentor, companion, and best friend. You were so very, very special to each and every one of us. You've always been the center of our attention and you will live in our hearts forever. You may be gone, but never will you be forgotten. Thank you for all your loving memories and all of your support. We know that you're in Heaven now, a place where there is no pain, no hurt, or sorrow. We find comfort in knowing you're amongst love, health and happiness. Sonnie, we will not tell you good-bye because you are with us in spirit every second of the day and we know we will see you gain someday. We love you.

A Special Tribute to My Sisters

Tonjia Pamela Deborah Twaya

From the very beginning
each of you loved me in a very special way
As the oldest, you loved me as your big brother
As the only boy, you loved me as the baby boy
No matter what, you were always proud of me
and honored me; you made me feel so good,
as only a brother could.

As the big brother, I was the strong one;
as the baby boy, I was "O" so special to each of you
As the big brother and even as the baby boy
in your eyes, I could never do any wrong
and if I did, individually and collectively
you would "fix" it for me; You always protected me.
When I was sick, you were here with me
by my side, day and night

To you, my sisters, my love for you
has always been as fertile as the four head waters
flowing through the Garden of Eden, and as rich
and rare as the sparkling dust of Mother Nature
grounded in the Cradle of Civilization
I know that you will cry; but it's not good-bye
just know that God will soothe each tear into
special sweet memories of
your Big Brother, your Baby Boy Dear.

William Ernest "Mac" McIntosh, Jr.

June 13, 1943 November 6, 2002

William was born in Des Moines, Iowa to the late William Ernest McIntosh and Thelma Mae (Burrell) McIntosh. Mac moved to Minneapolis and graduated from South High School with honors. In 1963, he enlisted in the United States Marines and courageously fought in the Vietnam War, where he became a Sargent E-5. After the Marines, he continued his education at Metropolitan State Junior College and received his Associate Arts Degree in Economics from McAlester College in St. Paul, Minnesota and matriculated at the University of Minnesota in Minneapolis for his MBA.

Mac has two daughters, Tambra and Monica. He and Helen Young McIntosh have enjoyed twenty-seven years of marriage and they have three sons, Brian, Blair and Blake.

He is a thirty year seasoned automotive entrepreneur, with twelve years in the wholesale environment and eighteen years in the retail environment. Just prior to passing, he was the President and CEO of Kirkland Chrysler-Jeep, one of the largest Chrysler-Jeep dealerships in the Northwest. He was also Manager of Mac and Sons, LLC, a real estate company in which his three sons are co-owners. He is also the owner of the Puget Sound Jets Semi-Pro Football Team.

From 1973 to 1994, before becoming an automobile entrepreneur, Mac was employed at the Chrysler Corporation. During this tenure he held positions in sales, marketing and merchandising, advancing to assistant and zone manager of the Syracuse Zone. His last position at the Chrysler Corporation was Staff Executive to Mr. E. T. Pappert, Vice President for th North American Sales. During this tenure, he established the retail dealer program and placed Chrysler's first twenty-seven black dealers. This project was commissioned by Chairman Lee Iacocca and continues to serve the nation with ninety-two black owned and operated dealerships today. He was the past president and co-founder of NAMAD, the National Association of Minority Automobile Dealers and the past president and co-founder of CMDA, Chrysler Motors Minority Dealer Association, a strong Chrysler self-help group.

Mac held the distinction for eight years as one of *Black Enterprise's* Top 100 Automotive Dealers, receiving a ranking as high as 13 with 55 million dollars in sales revenue. He was also the recipient of five Chrysler Pacesetter Awards, The Lee Iacocca Salute to Freedom Award, Chrysler coveted Award for Excellence, nine Chrysler "Just The Best" Awards and numerous other Chrysler Sales, Service and Customer Relaton Awards. Mac is a decorated Vietnam Veteran, having served as a Sargent E-5 with the Third Division, based in Da Nang, Vietnam.

During the lifetime of his business and professional career, Mac received numerous awards and honors for his outstanding business leadership and community service. Among those are Blacks in Government, Region X, Citizen of the Year Award, and Man of the Year Award Omega Phi Psi. He held memberships in the Alpha Omicron Boule' of Sigma Pi Phi Fraternity, Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, INC. and Circle Mates, which is a part of the Circle Let's, Inc.

Mac attributes all of his success to his belief in God and the wisdom he received from his mother, "Momma Mac," along with his majestic sense of purpose *Turning potentiality into actuality.*

Mac leaves to cherish his memory, a loving and devoted wife, Helen; three sons, Brian, Blair and Blake; two daughters, Tambra and Monica; a granddaughter, Lindsey L. Wilson; his mother, Thelma Mae McIntosh; numerous other relatives and lots of friends locally and nationally.



Order of Service

Organ Prelude

Processional

"Wind Beneath my Wings"
Minister Michael Wright, Soloist

Rev. Frank M. Byrdwell, Jr.
Clergy and Family

Opening Sentences & Invocation

Rev. Dr. Leslie O. Braxton

Music

"Amazing Grace"

Mrs. Michelle Benson, Soloist

Scriptures

Psalms 23
John 14:1-4

Mrs. Simone McIntosh
Mr. Blake McIntosh

Prayer

Rev. LaVerne C. Hall

Acknowledgments

Mrs. Talawna McIntosh

Music

"Precious Lord"

Mrs. Michelle Benson

Resolutions

Alpha Omicron Boule' of Sigma Pi Phi Fraternity
Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, INC.
The Honorable Norman B. Rice
The Chrysler Family
Mount Zion Baptist Church

Tributes

Friends* Chris Bennett Kirkland Chrysler Jeep Family
Special Dedication to Mac's Sisters Tamora McIntosh

Music

"His Eye is on the Sparrow"

Mrs. Michelle Benson

Obituary (Please read silently)

Music

"Stairway to Heaven"

Minister Michael Wright

Eulogy

Rev. Dr. Samuel B. McKinney

Benediction Recessional

*Friends, please record your condolences on the Insert and leave in the receptacle

A Note of Gratitude

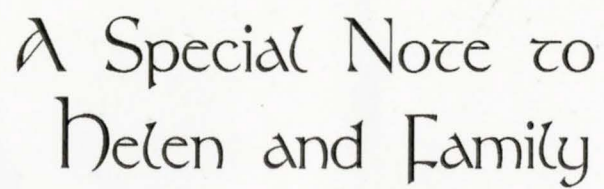
The McIntosh Family
expresses sincere appreciation to each of you.

Many overtures of kindness
in words and deeds have been showered upon us
during this most difficult time in our lives.

Your care, concern and prayers
from the very beginning
has helped to make this time of grieving
easier for us to bear.

Mac would truly appreciate each of you.
On his behalf, and from our entire family
from the very depths of our hearts
we extend our deepest and most heartfelt

"Thanks"



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Pallbearers

Brian McIntosh Blair McIntosh
Blake McIntosh Jamal Becton
David Walker David McIntosh, Jr.
Robert Lee (Alex Taylor)

Honorary Pallbearers

Sigma Pi Phi Fraternity Alpha Omicron Boule'
Milton Battle Chris Bennett
Judge Fred Bonner Donald Burrell
Michael Burrell Russell Burrell
Robert Chatham Booth Gardner
Horace Huntly Samuel Kelley
Ralph Martinez Bruce McCoon
Arthur McIntosh Bill Newsom
Tom Pappert Michael Perry
John Reggans Norman B. Rice
Eugene Rich Charles Royer
Eddie Rye Joe Shady
Donald Smith Sandy Woods
Phil Wellingham

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Interment

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