



## Matthew Lewis Jr.

April 19, 2024

Matthew Lewis Jr. was born to the union of the late Bishop W. Lewis and Mrs. Evalena Lewis on December 26, 1948 in Lamar, South Carolina. He completed his battle and went to take his rest on Friday April 19, 2024.

Matthew was married to the late Dorothy Lewis on August 24, 1968. He leaves behind seven of his children Cynthia Anderson of Columbia, Faelondia (Rodney) L. Curry of Columbia, Matthis (Beverly) Lewis of Lamar, Timothy Lewis of New York, Evalena Jones of Columbia, Tatauna Lewis of Columbia, and Montre “Dewayne” Lewis of Columbia. He was preceded in death by his son Levern McDial of New Jersey.

Matthew served all his life worshiping under his late father and younger brother at St. Mark Freewill Baptist Church. His life’s journey was filled with the love of Christ from the beginning which sustained him until his death. He served as the President of the Usher Board, Superintendent of Sunday School, a Trustee, a Deacon, a member of the Male Chorus and The Young People Choir.

Matthew provided for his family through several occupations including the railroad, a police officer, construction worker, and McDonalds. He was blessed with many talents and used them to keep things going for friends and family of the community.

Matthew leaves behind his twelve grandchildren Zarita Dixon, Rogerio Dixon, Tiffany Lewis, Darnesha Lewis, Levern McDial Jr., Oceania Dixon, Melissa Carter, Montana Lewis, Chyna Curry, Lunndon Lewis, Endya Curry, and Bryson Jones; twelve great-grandchildren, and one great-great granddaughter.

Matthew leaves behind his siblings; Generine Scott of Lynchburg, Joan Gee of Timmons ville, Jeanette Gee of Lamar, Alice J. Lewis of Lamar, Walter (Mildred) Lewis of Florence, and Bobbie Jean Lewis of Darlington, three sisters in-law; Margaret "Alice" Zimmerman of Manhattan, Catherine (Frank) Francis of Florence and Vermell "Ann" King of Timmons ville. Two aunts; Trannie Mae Dubois of Albany NY, and Madalyne Price Dumas of Durham NC, and special friend Rebecca Prince.

## Cemetery Details

### St Mark Cemetery

Lamar, SC

## Previous Events

### Funeral Service

APR **27**. 12:00 PM (ET)

Bethlehem Baptist Church  
113 N Tanyard St  
Timmonsville, SC 29161  
(843) 346-3351

# Tribute Wall

GJ

“ *Gloria James lit a candle in memory of Matthew Lewis Jr.*



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**Gloria James** - April 29, 2024 at 09:04 PM

WD

“ *A friendship that last a LIFETIME from high school to 4 19 2024 going to miss you*



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**Willie mae peterson damon** - April 27, 2024 at 04:11 AM

WD

“ *Willie Mae Peterson Damon sent a virtual gift in memory of Matthew Lewis Jr.*



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**Willie mae peterson damon** - April 27, 2024 at 04:04 AM

SB

“ *My Deepest Sympathy, May you get through this difficult time through prayers and the comfort of friends.*



*Sandra Barr & Family*

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**Sandra Barr** - April 26, 2024 at 07:55 PM

MM

“ *Maggie Mack lit a candle in memory of Matthew Lewis Jr.*



Maggie Mack - April 25, 2024 at 11:21 PM

EF

“ *My condolences to the Lewis Family. May God's everlasting love comfort, strengthen and shield you today and the days ahead. Rest in eternal peace Mr. Matthew.*



Ella Franks-McAllister - April 25, 2024 at 09:27 PM

LM

“ *Deepest condolences to family!*



Lena Mckithen - April 25, 2024 at 07:32 PM

HJ

“ *Henrietta Jones lit a candle in memory of Matthew Lewis Jr.*



Henrietta Jones - April 25, 2024 at 06:17 PM

JP

“ *Jeannette Peoples lit a candle in memory of Matthew Lewis Jr.*



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**jeannette peoples** - April 25, 2024 at 12:45 PM

MB

*In remembrance of Matthew Lewis Jr. And Family. Prayers and love always. From Mrs. Bernetha W. Bess and Family.*

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**Ms. Mary L. Bess** - April 28, 2024 at 04:42 PM

WM

“ *Willie And Esther M.Burris lit a candle in memory of Matthew Lewis Jr.*



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**Willie and Esther M.Burris** - April 25, 2024 at 08:54 AM