

In Loving Memory



CHRIS JEFFRIES SR.

SUNRISE: OCTOBER 10TH, 1959 | SUNSET: APRIL 29TH, 2026

Forever Loved, Forever Remembered!



Though you are no longer with us,
your kindness, love, and beautiful
memories will forever remain in our
hearts. You may be gone, but you will
never be forgotten.



**Church of God North Dade
16400 NW 45th Ave, Opa-Locka, FL 33054**

Saturday, May 16th, 2026

**Reverend Michael Hill, Sr. Pastor & Eulogist
Reverend William L. McKnight Associate Pastor & Officiant**

OBITUARY

**In Loving Memory of
Chris Wendell Jeffries Sr. "Big Chris"
October 10, 1959 – April 29, 2026**

Chris Wendell Jeffries Sr., affectionately known to many as "Big Chris," peacefully departed this life on April 29, 2026, in Miami, Florida. He was born on October 10, 1959, in the historic community of Overtown, Miami, Florida, to the proud parents of Lloyd and Mabell Jeffries. Chris carried the pride of his roots with him throughout his entire life. A proud Miami native and Miami High alumnus, he loved his city deeply and never hesitated to let people know where he came from.

Chris worked in construction and also enjoyed being self-employed, valuing the flexibility and opportunity to provide for his family through his hard work and dedication.

Chris was a quiet, laid-back, strong-willed, deeply loving, and romantic husband whose life centered around family and who was always just a phone call away. He was the kind of father who showed up, protected fiercely, and loved unconditionally. He shared a unique and special bond with each of his children, creating countless memories that will be cherished forever. His children remember him as involved, dependable, and protective, the kind of father whose presence made life feel safe and full of love.

Chris was known for many things, but perhaps most unforgettable was the love he poured into his family and the joy he brought through his cooking. He was also a dedicated sports fan who loved cheering on the Miami Dolphins through every win and loss, often passionately reacting whenever they fell short, yet never giving up on his team. Though quiet by nature, Chris had a sense of humor that those closest to him will never forget.

Above all else, Chris loved his family deeply. He was an amazing father to children, devoted to his mother, and a true keeper of his sisters. His love, strength, and presence shaped the lives of everyone around him.

Though our hearts are heavy, we find peace in knowing he is now reunited with the loved ones he missed so dearly, especially his mother and siblings whom he loved with all his heart.

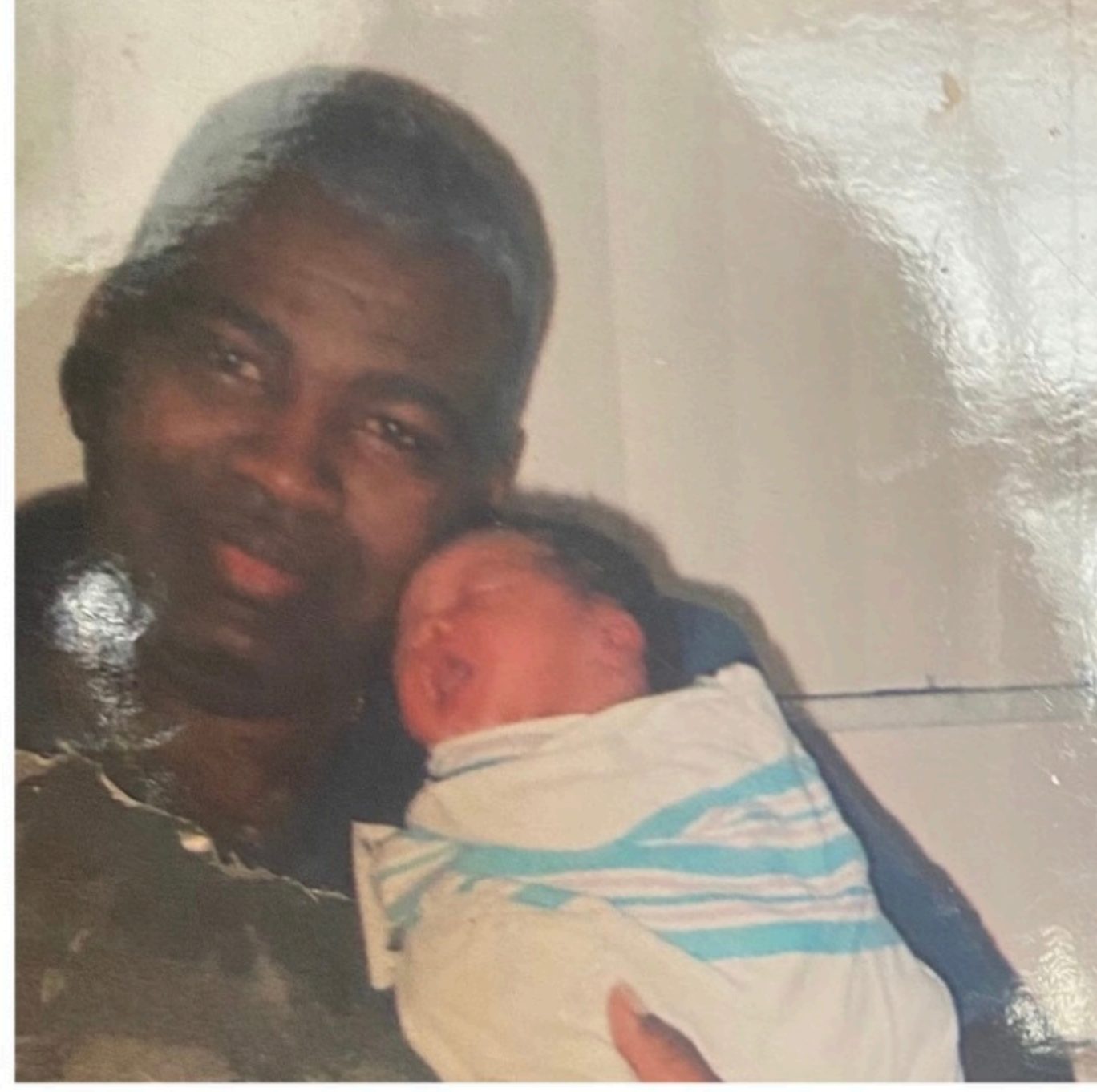
He leaves to cherish his memory his beloved wife, Maisah Williams; his children, Laquencia Jeffries, Lachrisa Jeffries, Chris Jeffries, Lacoyya Jeffries, Jada Salomon, Muneerah Jeffries, and Chris Jeffries Jr.; and his beloved grandchildren, Kassidy, Leah Jeffries, Ava Walker, and Kross.

Chris also leaves behind his loving sister, Chiquita Johnson, along with many nieces, nephews, extended family members, and lifelong friends who will forever treasure his memory.

He was preceded in death by his beloved parents, Mabell Jeffries and Lloyd Jeffries; his sisters, Kimberly Jeffries and Dorothy Jeffries; and his brother, Curtis Jeffries.

He also held a special place in his heart for Norma Bowser, Jouli Altema, Ameena, Malik, Carmen & Jerrald Belcaries whose love and support meant so much to him throughout his life.

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ORDER OF SERVICE

Processional

Selection

Final Glance

Invocation

Reverend William L. McKnight, Sr.

Scripture Reading

Old Testament

Reverend William L. McKnight, Sr.

New Testament

Minister Irene Hill

Reflections

As His Daughters

Lachrisa

Jada

Muneerah

Lacoyya

Laquencia

As His Sons

Little Chris

Big Chris

As His Wife

Maisah Williams

Reading of Obituary with Music

"I Can Only Imagine"

Acknowledgements

Hadley Davis Funeral Home Staff

Selection

Eulogy

Reverend Michael Hill, Senior Pastor

Recessional

"Emmanuel"



SPECIAL TRIBUTES

From His Loving Children



Daddy,

Thank you for every sacrifice, every lesson, and every moment of love you gave us. Your presence brought comfort, strength, and protection in a way only you could. I will miss you deeply and carry your memory with me forever.

Love Always,
Your Twin Chrisa

Dear Daddy,

Losing you is the hardest thing I ever had to face. You were truly my safe and happy place. I will cherish all the memories and time I spent with you. I will miss you every day that we're apart, but always know that I love you so much and you will forever be in my heart.

Love your Quenci



Daddy, it's your baby girl Coy. I miss you so much and wish we could ride around Miami one more time. You've been my road dog since the day I was born, and I'll forever cherish the love, laughter, and memories we shared. Thank you for always reminding me to never give up because I'm a Jeffries forever. I love you always.

-Your babygirl Coy

My sweet daddy,

I am blessed beyond measure to have you as my dad and to have experienced your unwavering love. Thank you for being the very best daddy I could have ever imagined. You are one of the greatest blessings I will ever have. I love and miss you always and in all ways daddy. I pray that we all are reunited with you in Paradise.

— Love, your baby girl Muneerah



Dear Dad, I cherished our time together here on Earth, and I wish we could spend more time together. I will always remember the memories that gave me a sense of security and affection. I admire you being there for me when I needed you, and I will always carry a piece of you with me. I love you and I miss you so much.

Love Jada

Dear Daddy,

I'll always remember how funny you were and the stories you told about the past that made us laugh. I want people to know that you truly loved all your kids. One thing I'll always carry with me is how you were always there for me, even when I was wrong. I hope you're truly at peace.

Love always, Chris (Oldest Son)



I'm deeply grateful for you and will always remember all the love, guidance, and sacrifices you made throughout my life. We were so much alike, and I see so much of you in the person I am today. Your presence brought comfort, strength, and support that I'll miss every day. I will always love you in this lifetime and the next.

-Love always, your baby boy Chris Jr

PALLBEARERS

Chris Jeffries (Oldest Son)
Chris Jeffries JR. (Youngest Son)
Dexter Jeffries
Devin Robinson
Stephon Jeffries
Cavon Jeffries

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

The family of Chris Wendell Jeffries Sr. sincerely thanks everyone for the love, prayers, support, calls, visits, donations, and kind expressions shown during this difficult time. Your thoughtfulness and compassion have brought comfort to our family more than words can express.

**With Love and Gratitude,
The Jeffries Family**



INTERMENT

Immediately after Funeral Service
Forest Lawn Memorial
499 NW 27th Ave, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33311