



## Michael R. Baker

August 10, 1946 - April 7, 2023

Michael R. Baker 76, passed away suddenly on Friday, April 7, 2023.

He was a retiree of Ford Motor Company, and a Deacon and member of St. Stephen Church.

He is survived by his wife, Sandra Fuqua Baker; children, Mark Baker, Matthew Baker (Autumn), Michelle Luttrell (William) and Michael R. Baker, II (Danielle); stepson, James L. Fuqua; brother, Rev. Dr. Benjamin Stanley Baker (Carol); 8 grandchildren; adopted son, Donald Pettus (LaKesha)

Funeral services will be 11am Saturday, April 22, 2023 at St. Stephen Church, 1018 S. 15th St. Visitation will be from 4-7pm Friday, April 21, 2023 at the church.

A.D.Porter & Sons-Southeast, 4501 Bardstown Rd in charge of arrangements.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR **21**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

St Stephen Church  
1018 So. 15th St.  
Louisville, KY 40210

## Celebration of Life

APR **22**. 11:00 AM (ET)

St Stephen Church  
1018 So. 15th St.  
Louisville, KY 40210

# Tribute Wall



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Michael R. Baker.*



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April 21, 2023 at 12:04 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Michael R. Baker.*



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April 21, 2023 at 08:10 AM



“ *Prayers are with his wife & all his family will miss you my friend RIH, Nancy Anderson*

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**Nancy Anderson** - April 20, 2023 at 05:55 PM

BH

“ One of the most memorable moments of being in the presence of Deacon "Uncle" Michael, was during the 50th Anniversary celebration of St. Stephen's. We were part of a group from Detroit visiting with his brother, and our Pastor, Benjamin Stanley Baker. We were given a thorough and enjoyable tour of the complete campus: past, present and plans for the future! We felt like family once he was done, only to find out that he was just getting started. We needed or wanted for NOTHING during the entire weekend stay. His love for God, Church and Family was definitely displayed in the life he lived while here. I pray the love of God gives you the peace and comfort that's needed at this time.



Beatrice Hawkins - April 20, 2023 at 12:58 AM

BH

*CORRECTION: We were visiting from Detroit for the 92nd Anniversary Celebration of St. Stephens.  
Signed Beatrice Hawkins*

Beatrice Hawkins - April 20, 2023 at 08:32 PM

BH

*I'd like to make a correction on the Anniversary Celebration for St. Stephens-it was the 92nd anniversary of the church.  
Beatrice Hawkins*

Beatrice Hawkins - April 20, 2023 at 11:30 PM

TR

“ Prayers and Condolences. The Redd Family

Tracee L Redd - April 19, 2023 at 11:48 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Michael R. Baker.*



April 19, 2023 at 04:17 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Michael R. Baker.*



April 19, 2023 at 09:25 AM



“ *Blessed to have known you, always loved & forever in our hearts.*

**The Richmond Family** - April 15, 2023 at 07:44 PM



“ *The Richmond Family purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Michael R. Baker.*



**The Richmond Family** - April 15, 2023 at 07:39 PM

MP

“ *May wonderful memories sustain you in the days ahead. Michael and I met in kindergarten and I will miss his smile and our conversations.*

*Margaret Ralston Payne  
Fox Point, WI*

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**Margaret Payne** - April 14, 2023 at 11:41 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Michael R. Baker.*



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April 14, 2023 at 06:23 AM

WT

“ *To the Family: Although words cannot begin to ease the sorrow of your loss. Please know that there are so many who care. May GOD'S promise of eternal life and the memories of your loved one bring you comfort and peace... William I Taylor, Nehemiah Sunday School Class, St. Stephen Baptist Church*

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**William Taylor** - April 13, 2023 at 03:03 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Michael R. Baker.*



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April 13, 2023 at 11:06 AM

ML

“ *My Condolences and Prayers for  
The Baker Family*

Marva L.Valentine - April 13, 2023 at 12:38 AM

MM

“ *May God give you strength and peace during  
this time Much Love* 💕💕



Melveen Malone - April 12, 2023 at 11:49 PM

BH

“ *The Church of Abundant Life Prayer, Usher  
Board and Culinary Ministries (Southfield,  
Mich.), extend our heartfelt sympathies to our  
Pastor, Benjamin Stanley Baker, and the  
Baker Family/Families. While we accept that  
our beloved brother in Christ , and your loved one Michael Baker is  
no longer with us, we rest in the assurance of hope as we're taught  
in our faith, that one day you'll be reunited when with The Lord.  
Keeping you in prayer.*



Beatrice Hawkins - April 12, 2023 at 08:08 PM

CJ

*Michael was fun to be around, especially at the classmate luncheons.  
He was the life of the party. Praying for his wife and family. From  
Charles Beckham Jr*

Charles Beckham Jr - April 17, 2023 at 10:27 AM