



## Dr. Howley Morton Stevenson Sr.

October 11, 1949 - October 1, 2019

Howley Morton Stevenson Sr., loving husband, father, brother and faithful servant of Jehovah, loving man, fell asleep in death on October 1, 2019. Howley was born to the union of Lynward Sr. and Irene Stevenson in Paducah, Kentucky on October 11, 1949. He was affectionately known to his siblings as, "Mote" or "Moe".

As a child, it was apparent that Mote was academically gifted. He received many scholastic awards at McCosh Elementary. At Calumet High School, he was inducted into the National Honor Society. He attended Morehouse College in 1967. Upon graduating, he was accepted into the University of Illinois Medical School. Dr. Stevenson received his medical degree in 1977. Dr. Stevenson was a medical staff member of Advocate Trinity Hospital, South Shore Hospital, Mt. Sinai Hospital, Illinois Masonic Hospital and served on the medical staff at various Clinics until his death.

Brother Stevenson devoted his life to Jehovah by water baptism on September 26, 1981. His special privileges of services included being a regular pioneer for twelve years, serving as an elder until his death, volunteering in the Infirmary at Bethel, headquarters of Jehovah's Witnesses in Brooklyn, NY. and at Wallkill, NY. on the farm. He also served as the medical physician in the First Aid Departments at the assemblies and conventions as well as served on the Hospital Liaison Committee for many years. Dr. Stevenson was a medical staff member of Advocate Trinity Hospital, South Shore Hospital, Mt. Sinai Hospital, Illinois Masonic Hospital and served on the medical staff at various Clinics until his death.

Mote married the love of his life, Sylvia Stevenson on June 15, 1974. Together, they had four children, Lamonte, Howley Jr. "Speedy", Melissa and Michael. He was preceded in death by his parents and his son, Lamonte.

Mote leaves to cherish his precious memory, his beloved wife of 45 wonderful years, his children; his siblings: Maggie Jean Johnson, Lynward Jr. (Annette) Stevenson, Orevia (Victor) Holmes, Gayle (Orlando) Allen, Trudy (Joe) Taylor and Guy (Jeanette) Stevenson;

his grandchildren: Krissy, Marcus, Lamonte Frazier, Byron, Dartagnon "TanTan", Nehemiah, and Hayden; his spiritual mother: Sis. Bertha Balentine; other relatives and friends.

# Events

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**OCT**   **Visitation**   04:00PM - 05:00PM

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Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses (99th)  
9837 South Torrence, Chicago, IL, US

**OCT**   **Service**   05:00PM

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Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses (93rd)  
9320 South Greenwood, Chicago, IL, US

# Comments

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“ My memories are my two big brothers standing in for my dad because he was sick with Parkinson's and unable to do some things he once had. Dr. Stevenson, or Moe as we called him took my youngest brother and me to places like Fun Town, Santa's Village, the beach, Black Expo, Adventureland, Jackson5 Concerts, and to see Soul Santa. I appreciate him for insuring that we did not miss out on experiences. I did have to decline when he offered to let me take a brain to school for my high school report!

**Trudy** - October 12, 2019 at 12:39 AM

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“ So sad that Mote is no longer with us. However I remember the nice visit we had when he came to Louisville several Years ago with his spiritual mother. And when we were young, I remember His laugh and his smile. God bless and watch over my Chicago family who are Suffering the loss of their brother, husband, and father, etc. Love

Aunt Hazel

**Hazel Rucker** - October 11, 2019 at 11:15 AM