



## Deacon Lewis M. Nolden Sr.

July 15, 1951 - March 28, 2020

Deacon Lewis M. Nolden Sr., son of the late Helen and Robert T. Murray and Lewis Sutton, was born Sunday, July 15, 1951, in York, PA.

A graduate of William Penn Senior High School, Class of 1969, Lewis retired as a Roll Off Driver for Republic Services after thirty-nine years of dedicated service.

In the mid-90's, Lewis began his spiritual journey at Mount Calvary Baptist Church, York. He loved his God and his church. There was nothing he would not do for his church. On December 3, 2017, Lewis was ordained as a Deacon under the leadership of Pastor Anthony D. Brown whom he dearly loved. Lewis also served unselfishly with the Trustee, Usher and Culinary Ministries.

Lewis loved sharing the goodness of the Lord, helping and encouraging others. Leisurely, he enjoyed riding his motorcycle; he loved cars; and he found joy in adding a smile or laugh to anyone's day. Most importantly, he loved his family, especially spending time with his grandchildren. He cherished the time spent with the late Pearl L. aka "Lil Mom" Nolden, the light-of-his-life.

At sixty-eight years of age, on Saturday, March 28, 2020, while at his home in York, PA, surrounded by loving family, Lewis passed from the labors of his

journey to his eternal reward joining his parents, Helen Murray, Robert T. Murray, Lewis Sutton; brother, Larry E. Nolden aka "Toothpick;" grandsons, Lewis Nolden III, Charlie Nolden Jr.; and granddaughter, Pearl L. Nolden.

Deacon Lewis M. Nolden Sr. leaves to cherish a legacy of faith, love and dedication: the love-of-his-life, his devoted wife of fifty years, Pearl M. Nolden; two daughters, Lovana Murray (Roy), Tomekia Edmond (Michael); four sons, Lewis Nolden Jr. (Shedra), Robert Nolden, Charlie Nolden (Claribel), Aaron Nolden; eighteen grandchildren, four great-grandchildren, host of nieces, nephews, cousins, family and friends.

"...the Lord gave, and the Lord hath taken away; blessed be the name of the Lord." Job 1:21

PRIVATE SERVICE

FAMILY AND FRIENDS ARE ENCOURAGED TO CLICK ON THE SHARE A MEMORY TAB TO POST VIDEOS, SHARE MEMORIES, CONDOLENCES, REFLECTIONS OR SIMPLY YOUR NAME ALLOWING THE FAMILY OF DEACON LEWIS M. NOLDEN SR. KNOW YOU ARE THINKING OF THEM DURING THIS TIME OF BEREAVEMENT.

# Previous Events

## Flower Delivery

APR 10. 8:00 AM (ET)

Mt. Calvary Baptist Church  
367 Simpson Street  
York, PA 17403

## Viewing

APR 10. 9:00 AM - 10:15 AM (ET)

Mt. Calvary Baptist Church  
367 Simpson Street  
York, PA 17403

## Service

APR 10. 11:00 AM (ET)

Mt. Calvary Baptist Church  
367 Simpson Street  
York, PA 17403

# Tribute Wall



“ 3 years later doesn't feel a day better if I could rewind I would...  
Strongest Brother of the son I know Rest in Peace (Sleep) Father-

-Aaron

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**Aaron Nolden** - March 31, 2023 at 02:57 AM



“ Rest on Uncle



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**Blaine Simpson Jr.** - April 09, 2020 at 05:02 PM

DD

“ Sending my Condolences to my family I pray the Lord will give you  
strength during this difficult time I will miss my cousin always had a  
big hug and smile every time I ran into him Rip Cuz .

*Love your little cousin Neicy Bowens & Family*

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**Denise Deshields** - April 08, 2020 at 04:10 PM

JK

“ Joann Kennedy lit a candle in memory of  
Deacon Lewis M. Nolden Sr.



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**Joann Kennedy** - April 08, 2020 at 12:49 PM

JK

*To the family you have my deepest sympathy. Praying for you all. Love you all.*

Joann Kennedy - April 08, 2020 at 12:51 PM

BC

“ **BOTS & SOTS PASADENA CHAPTER**  
*purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Deacon Lewis M. Nolden Sr..*



**BOTS & SOTS PASADENA CHAPTER** - April 08, 2020 at 12:23 PM

MC

“ *Marcella Carr-Eady lit a candle in memory of Deacon Lewis M. Nolden Sr.*



**Marcella Carr-Eady** - April 07, 2020 at 07:58 AM

MC

*Our sincere sympathy in all your lost. God will give you strength each and every day as a rainbow will come across the sky*

**Marcella Carr-Eady** - April 07, 2020 at 08:00 AM

PM

“ *Pearl Murray*



**Pearl Murray** - April 06, 2020 at 06:37 PM

TS

“ Sending my most heartfelt condolences out to his beloved wife Ms Pearl, their loving children and family. I have some great fond memories of Mr Lewis Nolden and his family, knowing them since I was just a little girl, his son Jazz and I use to run around playing together and of course getting into a lil trouble along the way (lol). He's always treated me as if I was part of the family and yes he always made me laugh just by him being so natural with his joking ways all the time 😊, I am definitely gonna miss him dearly. May he forever rest in the heavens above and please Lord keep your arms wrapped around his dear loving wife, for she is a strong woman I know but I just ask that you hold her up in strength & comfort. 🙏💔😭😭

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**Tosha Small** - April 05, 2020 at 01:48 PM

GJ

“ George Jones and family, sorry for your loss

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**George Jones** - April 05, 2020 at 01:36 AM

LT

“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



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**Lady T** - April 04, 2020 at 01:52 PM

LT

“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



Lady T - April 04, 2020 at 01:44 PM

SM

“ SUNLUV- Brothers and Sisters of the Sun PAS.  
MC purchased the Serenity Wreath for the family  
of Deacon Lewis M. Nolden Sr..



SUNLUV- Brothers and Sisters of the Sun PAS. MC - April 04,  
2020 at 01:13 PM

KB

“ Kim Banks sent a virtual gift in memory of  
Deacon Lewis M. Nolden Sr.



Kim Banks - April 03, 2020 at 08:21 PM

KB

*I'm gonna truly miss him! Condolences to Pearl and family! RIP cousin  
Louie!*

Kim Banks - April 03, 2020 at 08:24 PM

JL

“ My heart and love are with you Pearl and family. I am really gonna miss Lewis and all the long talks we have shared. He was very special to me. May God bless you and help you thru this time of loss. Love you Lewis and you will always hold memories in our heart. Love Uncle Norman, Jeanette

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**Jeanette Liester** - April 03, 2020 at 07:56 PM

MP

“ I truly send my condolences to you pearl and family. I will truly cherish the time I got to spend with Deacon Nolden Sr. and the deep conversation we shared about family, life and loving the Lord. I truly admire the why he loved his family, friends, and church family, but more so how he showed his love to you pearl that some people dream to have. Heaven has truly gained a Angel, To God Be The Glory 🙏

*Love always, Minister Michelle Potter*

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**michelle potter** - April 03, 2020 at 07:32 PM

DF

“ Dear Pearl and family I send my deepest condolences. I think of all the good times out in Cali they were good times Louie was a good person and full of jokes he will b missed very much may God keep u and bless u and comfort u keep on praising him and he will love u guys a lot De Fells

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**Deb Fells** - April 03, 2020 at 05:45 PM

DE

“ *The DeShields family gives their condolences to you Pearl and the rest of the family we all loved Louie very much we were all raised as family and that he was and will keep you in prayer.*



*DeShields Family*

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**DeShields** - April 03, 2020 at 02:08 PM

SF

“ *Susan Beatty-Palmer and Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Deacon Lewis M. Nolden Sr..*



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**Susan Beatty-Palmer and Family** - April 03, 2020 at 09:28 AM

CF

“ *Even though we are cousins you always was “uncle Lewie” to me. My dad shared so many good memories of u aunt pearl my mom n others during the times you all spent out in Long Beach. He always told us how much you n him enjoyed playing dominos together n how much he use to beat u lol. I remember at my dad’s going home service U stood up n talked bout them same memories. Now you n him r reunited once again n now can get that rematch lol. Love u n gonna miss ur big smile n jokes. “Aunt pearl” may god wrap his arms around you during this time and cover you with comfort. Love u, rest on uncle lewie*

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**Cassandra “Sandy” Fells** - April 03, 2020 at 08:41 AM

VP

“ To the family,  
Dean and I will forever cherish the time we shared serving together in this part of God’s vineyard (Mt. Calvary) with Lou, Pearl and Lovanna. We will miss him dearly and think of you all often. May God continue to strengthen, comfort and keep you in perfect peace.  
With heartfelt sympathy,  
Bro. Dean & Rev. Vanessa Preston  
Lancaster, Pa.



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**Vanessa D. Preston** - April 03, 2020 at 02:37 AM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Deacon Lewis M. Nolden Sr..



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April 03, 2020 at 12:17 AM

TB

“ Terri Banks sent a virtual gift in memory of Deacon Lewis M. Nolden Sr.



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**Terri Banks** - April 02, 2020 at 11:18 PM

SW

“ I (SHARON) HAVE KNOWN "LEWIE" FOR MOST OF MY LIFE, HE WAS ALWAYS RESPECTFUL, PLEASANT AND EVER READY TO OFFER A SMILE! PEARL, OUR PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU AND FAMILY. RICHARD & SHARON WASHINGTON



Sharon Washington - April 02, 2020 at 09:39 PM

MM

“ Margaret Murray sent a virtual gift in memory of Deacon Lewis M. Nolden Sr.



Margaret Murray - April 02, 2020 at 08:24 PM

MM

“ MY UNCLE WAS LIKE MY SECOND DAD WHEN MY DAD PASSED MY UNCLE WAS THERE FOR ME AND MY ANUT PEARL WAS THERE FOR ME AND SHE LIKE A SECOND MOM TO ME I'M GOING TO MISS HIM AND MISS OUR TALK AND HIS SMILE HE WAS A LOVEABLE PERSON AND A WONDERFUL HUSBAND AND FATHER AND GRANDFATHER I'M GOING TO MISS HIM SO MUCH LOVE YOU UNCLE LEWIS AND GOING TO MISS YOU SO MUCH 💔



Margaret Murray - April 02, 2020 at 08:23 PM

MJ

“ *Loved watching him worship on Sunday mornings....prayers and hugs yo the family*



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**Michele Jackson** - April 02, 2020 at 07:47 PM

DK

“ *Sending my condolences to your family.. met you a few times always brought a laugh... Delanna knaub*

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**delanna knaub** - April 02, 2020 at 06:51 PM

KS

“ *I'm Sending My Deepest Condolences To Ms. Pearl And The Entire Nolden Family I Was Always Treated As Family You Guys Accepted Me Like Your Own He Gave Me My Nick Name As Batterram Because When You Seen Vonana You Seen Me Because You Couldn't Stop Us So With That Being Said I Love You Ride High No Pain You R.i.p. I Just Ask That God Wrap His Arms Around You Family Give Them Strength Comfort There Hearts And I Want Say Bye But I Will See You Later Always Poppa Luie Batterram ❤️❤️❤️ You To Infinity 🙏🙏🙏*

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**Kialondrea Schaffer** - April 02, 2020 at 06:27 PM

WP

“ *WILLIAM J PILLGREEN*

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**william j pillgreen** - April 02, 2020 at 11:59 AM

BH

“ *Lewis was a good friend. I really enjoyed visiting him after he retired. He was always positive! He will be missed.* ”

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**Bryan Hemcher** - April 01, 2020 at 06:21 PM

SC

*So sorry for your loss Ms Pearl..you and your family are in our thoughts and prayers Shirley and Marion Carter Shirley's Closet*

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**Shirley Carter** - April 02, 2020 at 07:57 PM

 Larry  
Watkins

*Wow, I did not know. Condolences to the family from the Old Brothers of the Sun in Compton where Nolan started as a Sun. Nolan was dedicated to and as a Sun from the time he prospected for membership until his homegoing. We will miss you Nolan. Woodstock*

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**Larry Watkins** - April 07, 2020 at 02:40 AM