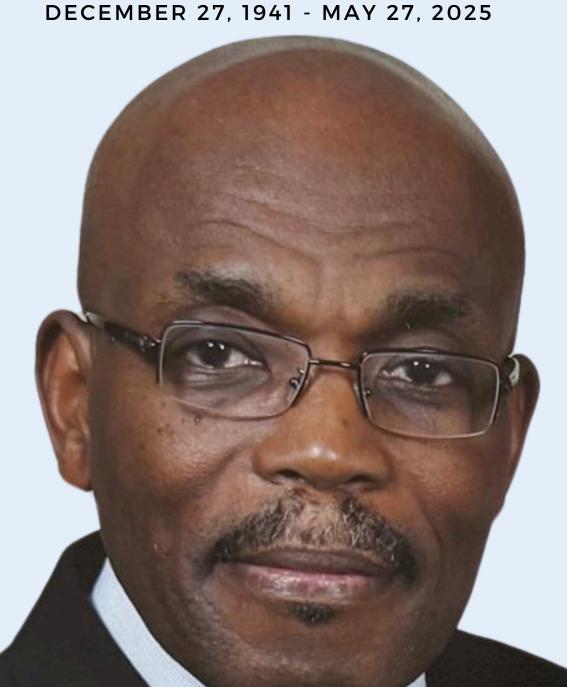




# FUNERALSERVICE

**FOR** 

Pastor Trevor H. C. Baker



SUNDAY, JUNE 8, 2025
VIEWING & TRIBUTES: 12:00PM
SERVICE: 2:00PM

LINDEN SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH 228-20 137<sup>TH</sup> AVENUE I LAURELTON I NEW YORK 11413

# Pastor Trevor H.C. Baker

## YOUTH DIRECTOR

1976-1991

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WHO SERVED UNDER PASTOR BAKER
IN

YOUTH MINISTRIES GLORIA ELDRIDGE (P) WILLIAM ELDRIDGE (P) DORIS SHOREY (Y/P) DORIS DAVIES (YM) JOAN SIMMONS (P) JASMIN HOYTE (P) MARILYN HENDRICKSON (P) CLIFFORD SHARPE (P) DANIEL FIDER (P) GAROY WILLIAMS (P) MATTHEW SMITH (B) JAMES LAMBERT (Y/O) ALFRED BERKEL (B) GEORGE THOMAS (B) JAMES STEWART (Y/B) **SONIA FREELAND (B)** SAMUEL SAMPSON (Y/B) RUSSELL THOMAS (Y/C/B) ETON BENT (C) GLENDA YARDE (C) TALBERT WEEKES SR.(P) VIOLET FARROW (YM) ARTHUR HUNT (C) ROBERTO WILLIAMSON (C/B) LYDIA WRIGHT (C) JOHN BROOKS'S (C) **ARLINE CHARLES (Y)** DAVE DAVIDSON (Y/BB) (RUTH NIXON) Y (COLETTA SMALL) Y BERNADINE NICHOLAS (C) PETER YOUNG (P) DARLENE PATTERSON-BROOKS (C) VERNON GILES (P) WALTER JAMES (P) **ELEANOR TAYLOR (Y)** KELLMAN BROOKS (YM) LESLIE PHIPPS (Y) REBECCA RILEY (Y/P/C) LOUIS MATTHEWS (C) ANNA MAE FOYE **EDWINA HUNT** GRETA MAYNARD GRISELDA BYERS WILLIS REED

## ORDER OF SERVICE

## SUNDAY, JUNE 8, 2025

Musical Prelude Altino Brothers

Procession of Colors Northeastern Conference Color Guards

> Processional Dr. Ainsworth K. Morris

> > Asst. to the President, Northeastern Conference

Invocation Dr. Warner Richards

Asst. to the President, Northeastern Conference

Hymn of Hope #598 "Watch Ye Saints Dr. Donnett Blake

Women's Min. Director, Northeastern Conference

Welcome Dr. Nicardo K. Delahaye

Exe. Secretary, Northeastern Conference

Pastoral Remarks Dr. Eldeen C. King, President

Northeastern Conference of Seventh-day Adventist

Musical Praise Altino Brothers Chorale

Scripture Readings Job 19:23-25

Old Testament

Elder Stacy Gordon-Daly

ABC Manager, Friend

Revelation 21:1-5

**New Testament** 

Jadalyn Milliner

Grand-daughter

Prayer of Consolation Dr. Walton Rose

Personal Ministries Director, Northeastern Conference

Musical Praise

Dr. Leacroft Green

Physician & Minister

Tributes

Chair: Dr. Keith A. Albury Associate Executive Secretary, Northeastern Conference Sr. Pastor, Linden SDA Church

• Dr. Pierre E. Omeler,

General Vice President, General Conference of SDA

• Dr. G. Alexander Bryant President, North American Division of SDA

• Dr. Rohan Wellington

Assistant Vice President, North American Division

• Dr. Ron C. Smith

President, South Union Conference

Dr. Leslie Pollard

President, Oakwood University

Pastor Calvin Preston

President, South Atlantic Conference

## ORDER OF SERVICE CONT'D

- Pastor Dana C. Edmond Executive Director, Office of Regional Conference
- Dr. Alanzo Smith President, Greater New York Conference of SDA

Musical Praise Altino Brothers Chorale

Tributes Chair: Dr. Nigel Lewis Sr. Pastor, Hanson Place SDA Church

- Dr. Donald King
   Former President of Northeastern Conference
   Sr. Pastor, Stockbridge Grace Tabernacle Church
- Pastor Larry Bailey
  Former NEC Executive Secretary, . Friend
- Pastor Fitzroy Jackson
   Sr. Pastor, Solid Rock SDA Church
- Dr. Paula Olivier Youth Ministries Director, NEC
- Dr. Garnet Morris
   Risk Management Director, NEC
- Dr. Seanna-Kaye Denham-Wilks President, Ministerial Spouses Association

Musical Praise Rawle Baker
Brother

Tributes Chair: Pastor Stafford Byers, Esq. Legal Affairs Director, NEC

- Elder Ruth Stapleton South Ozone Park SDA Church
- Elder Arnold Burton Corona SDA Church
- Elder Earl Bell Bethel SDA Church
- Todd Baker Nephew

Acknowledgments Joel Milliner & Dawna Baker
Son Sister=in-law

Video Tribute THIS IS MY STORY

Introduction of Speaker Dr. Eldeen C. King

Song of Meditation Odayne Rhoden

## ORDER OF SERVICE CONT'D

Eulogy Dr. Abraham J. Jules

President, Atlantic Union Conference

Prayer of Comfort Dr. Dedrick Blue

Ministerial Director, NEC

Hymn of Assurance

Pastor Hector Ramos

#214 "We Have This Hope"

Hispanic Coordinator

Benediction

Dr. Serge Lamour Franco Haitian Coordinator

Recessional

Dr. Courtney Goulding Sr. Pastor, Cornerstone SDA Church



## THIS IS MY STORY

**DECEMBER 27, 1941 - MAY 27, 2025** 

## THE MEMOIR OF PASTOR TREVOR H. C. BAKER

From the rugged coastline of St. Lucy, Barbados to leadership within the Seventh-day Adventist Church in North America, my story is not a tale of fame, but a testimony of God's leading and faithfulness—53 years of gospel ministry, community service, devotion to youth and leadership in the Church I grew to love deeply.

December 27, 1941, I came into the world in the picturesque coastal parish of St. Lucy, Barbados. My parents (deceased), were Terrance Edison and Ruby Baker and deeply Anglican. I was the eldest of five children. I shared my childhood with my sister Waveney (deceased), and brothers Marlow (deceased), Aubrey Rawle, and Kyle Andre. Early on, I dreamt of becoming either a jazz pianist or a dentist. But my spiritual path took a dramatic turn as a teenager when my family moved into the home of a devout Seventh-day Adventist relative. Faced with a firm spiritual ultimatum—no "heathens under my roof"—I reluctantly attended church on Sabbaths at the Mile and a Quarter SDA Church. A particular weekly Sabbath services caught my interest, the Missionary Volunteers (MV) meetings on Sabbath afternoons. It was discovered that I played piano and was invited to play the organ, the only instrument at the Church. As time progressed, I became involved in assisting in the writing of skits, and other facets of the weekly youth programming. Eventually, Pastor Milton Niblett led an evangelistic series in 1958 and asked me to serve as the backup Pianist because his wife was unable serve at that time. Before the series ended, I was baptized in the Caribbean Sea in June of 1958. This would be the start of my personal and lifelong commitment to serve God fully.

In 1959, my family and I immigrated to the United States and settled in Brooklyn, New York. There, I attended Central Evening High School to complete my senior year. I immediately became active at Bethel SDA Church on Grand Avenue, in Brooklyn, NY, teaching Sabbath School and playing the piano. My gifts found fertile ground in this vibrant faith community. It was at Bethel that I created the Bible Bowl, a quiz game modeled after the College Quiz Bowl, a show that had been airing on the NBC Radio Network since 1953, now known as the Honda Campus All-Star Challenge. My Bible Bowl game encouraged in-depth Bible study and friendly competition and became a regular part of AY.

In those days, I held several jobs, including working as a shop and machine attendant at a knitting mill and managing tellers at a bank. But only briefly as these jobs required working on the Sabbath which I vowed to the Lord I would not compromise. Eventually, I found work

## MY STORY CONT'D

at the New York Public Library that honored the Sabbath. Yet, I couldn't escape the persistent call to ministry and in 1963, with \$600 and faith in God, I took a bus to Alabama and enrolled at Oakwood College (now Oakwood University). I worked as a student groundskeeper for 70 cents an hour, later earning \$1.50 an hour as editor of the Acorn, the student yearbook. Summers were spent, at Victory Lake as camp counselor, and colporting in either Chicago, Detroit, flint or NYC. Despite the intense workload to cover tuition, I graduated in four years in - 1967. That summer, I married my college sweetheart, Sandra Brown and began my pastoral internship at Linden Boulevard SDA Church, (Now Linden SDA church). Both the South Atlantic and Northeastern Conferences offered sponsorship for graduate studies. I accepted one, and my wife and I moved to Berrien Springs, Michigan, where I earned my Master of Divinity from Andrews University in 1969.

My first pastoral district was Mount Carmel SDA Church in Syracuse, NY, where I held my first tent effort and I was ordained to the gospel ministry in 1973. I was later transferred to Corona SDA Church, under the leadership of my mentor and father in the ministry, President George R. Earle. Corona SDA church became a spiritual powerhouse, especially for youth who would later credit my ministry as a pivotal influence in their walk with Christ. It was while pastoring at the Corona church in 1976, that I received an unexpected call to serve as the Youth Director of Northeastern Conference. With camp meeting just two weeks away, I put together the summer camp program and served as the youth camp meeting worship speaker the first sabbath. On my first day on the Job, I was met by an empty office, no staff, no budget, and no clear job description—only a desk, a telephone, and my Bible. I knelt in prayer and told the Lord, "If You've truly called me here, then You must show me what to do." Over the next 15 years, the Lord helped me do just that. With His help, I led an impactful and productive era of youth ministry in the Northeastern Conference, shaping and expanding its scope while spearheading numerous transformative programs and initiatives, including:

**Annual Leadership Training Events** for AY and Pathfinder leaders.

**Summer Camp Director** program, six-week overnight Summer Camps at Victory Lake for children ages 8-15.

Senior Youth Retreats that fostered spiritual growth and lifelong friendships.

The creation of the **Youth Advisory Committee** –a strategic "think tank" of experienced youth and Pathfinder leaders to advise and support ministry planning and initiatives.

The Biennial **Youth Choir Festivals** to showcase musical talents.

The Biennial Drama Festival to provide opportunities for youth to present original plays

**Hymn Festivals** - introduce youth and congregations to the then new Seventh-day Adventist Hymnal (1985). Choirs learned and presented lesser-known hymns, inspiring a greater appreciation for sacred music.

**Youth Olympics.** originally a Pathfinder event, the Youth Olympics grew into a summer athletic event for all conference youth, providing Sabbath-appropriate competition and fellowship through sports.

**Basketball Commission -** Helped establish the **Northeastern Conference Basketball Commission (NCBC)** to offer supervised, church-based recreational basketball opportunities. The initiative fostered youth engagement across New York and New England.

**Bible Bowl -** Responding to a need for stronger youth devotion, the Bible Bowl I created years earlier while at Bethel church, was launched officially in 1979, encouraged deep Bible study and friendly competition.

**Bible Conferences for Students attending Public School -** To provide spiritual enrichment for SDA youth in public schools, - I organized Weekend retreats at Camp Victory Lake to focus on Biblical themes, previously only experienced by academy students.

**Youth Congress -** Every 3–4 years, a Conference-wide convocation was organized for spiritual training and fellowship. Cities included Poughkeepsie, Hartford, Springfield, Syracuse, and Albany.

**Soapbox Derby -** Under my leadership, the Soapbox Derby became a standout Pathfinder event. Pathfinder Clubs built and raced boxcars to national specifications—the only event of its kind in regional SDA conferences.

**Youth Federations -** I implemented the Youth Federation system to build leadership and community. Geographic federations (e.g., Bronx-Manhattan, New England North) elected officers and collaborated on events. Later, the Haitian and Hispanic federations were added.

**Annual Youth Awards Banquet -,** I established an Annual Youth Awards Banquet to celebrate youth excellence, to recognize achievements in Pathfinder and AY ministries, and to encourage pride and formality among young people.

Midway through my youth ministry period, I envisioned a Youth Center in metropolitan New York to serve both church and community. Though funding from the Conference was not available, I launched a grassroots "quarter-a-day" fundraiser and raised over \$100,000 toward the dream. Successfully, executing so many initiatives served as evidence that the Lord undeniably called me to this ministry – a ministry I once tried to run away from, had become my divine purpose, and God used it to shape thousands of young lives across the Northeastern Conference and beyond. One song I wrote and frequently sang with campers echoes that journey:

"God has smiled on me,

He has set me free,

God has smiled on me, He's been good to me."

In 1990, after 15 years of dedicated service in youth ministry, I was unexpectedly appointed Executive Secretary of the Northeastern Conference. It was a major transition. I officially

### MY STORY CONT'D

began in 1991, moving into a role that demanded broader oversight of churches, schools, and workers. The years as Conference Secretary presented me with different and wider challenges. In the midst of leading this rich and fruitful ministry, I faced deep personal sorrow. My beloved wife Sandra, of 31 years, struggled with illness since our time at Corona SDA church, passed away. Despite the pain, I leaned upon the promise of the resurrection and modeled enduring hope for those I served. In 1999, I found love again and married Eunice Senior. Together, we raised one son, Joel Milliner.

In 2002, I was called to assume the Presidency of the Northeastern Conference. The Conference was at that time drowning in over \$20 million in debt, largely due to an oversized payroll. I gathered my leadership team: Pastor Larry Bailey, Secretary and Seth Bardu, Treasurer and we fasted and prayed, asking God to help us "act justly, love mercy, and walk humbly" (Micah 6:8). One of my contributions, spearheaded by my wife, Eunice Baker, was the creation of the Human Resource department and a comprehensive employee manual, which established clear job roles and responsibilities of every worker. By 2004, financial stability was improving, and the Conference successfully eliminated two major bonds totaling \$6 million and lifted heavy liens from key Conference properties. We faced hard decisions, made deep cuts, and restructured with compassion. Through it all, God was faithful. In 2012, I humbly passed on the baton of the presidential position with reduced debt and a stronger financial position.

In the last chapter of my ministry, God led me to pastor the church I called "The little white church by the side of the road," The South Ozone Park Seventh-day Adventist Church in Queens, New York. I was installed on December 12, 2012. My wife Eunice and I faithfully served the church for eight fulfilling years, fostering love, spiritual growth, community outreach, and consistent evangelism. Ministry highlights included Revelation Seminars, baptisms, youth Bible Bowl participation, and launched a Food Pantry that connected the church to its surrounding community.

In my final years, reflecting on the 53 years of life spent in the gospel ministry, I can only conclude that the Lord did indeed lay His hands on me. Whereas there were certain things that I had aspired to become and to achieve in life, such as a jazz pianist, dentist or banker; but God had a different plan. I am grateful to Him for His overriding guidance and care, and for the privilege He did afford me to partner with Him in sharing the good news of the third angel's message. It all began with my aunt's simple desire for me to attend church, and her determination that she would have 'no heathen' abiding in her house."

My story is not one of personal ambition, but of surrender. From the shores of Barbados to the skyscrapers of New York, from playing a humble organ in a tiny church to leading a Conference of thousands, I have seen the hand of God move mountains. I've loved, I've cried, prayed, and rejoiced. And through every chapter, God's smile has been upon me. Now I can rest in peace knowing that I've done my best for the Master.

## THIS IS MY STORY.

# TREVOR H. C. BAKER WILL BE LOVINGLY MISSED BY HIS DEVOTED WIFE OF 26 YEARS, EUNICE SENIOR BAKER, HIS BELOVED SON, JOEL MILLINER, AND CHERISHED GRANDDAUGHTER, JADALYN MILLINER.

He is survived by his aunt, Nola Griffiths; his brothers, Aubrey Rawle Baker (Claudette) and Kyle Andre Baker (Dawna Swinton).

Trevor's memory will be treasured by his nieces and nephews:

· Todd Baker (Nichola), Naomi, Anikah,

· India Callender (Joshua), Ezra

· Cecil Diggs, IV

· Mashanna (Jasmine, Jenae, Javon, Joshua, Jeremiah, Anna) · Shantae (Shanaya and Josiah) · Eric

· Desiree Daley (Julien, Courtney)

He will be remembered by:

his sisters-in-law: Novlet, Janice, Pansy, Olga;

his brothers-in-law: Arthur, Etrick, and Eric,

along with a host of deeply cherished cousins and extended relatives and

friends.



## **SCRIPTURES**

## JOB 19:23-25 KJV

## I CORINTHIANS 15:50-58

Oh that my words were now written! oh that they were printed in a book!

24

That they were graven with an iron pen and lead in the rock for ever!

25

For I know that my redeemer liveth, and that he shall stand at the latter day upon the earth:

## REVELATION 21:1-5 KJV

And I saw a new heaven and a new earth: for the first heaven and the first earth were passed away; and there was no more sea.

2

And I John saw the holy city, new Jerusalem, coming down from God out of heaven, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband.

3

And I heard a great voice out of heaven saying, Behold, the tabernacle of God is with men, and he will dwell with them, and they shall be his people, and God himself shall be with them, and be their God.

4

And God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes; and there shall be no more death, neither sorrow, nor crying, neither shall there be any more pain: for the former things are passed away.

5

And he that sat upon the throne said, Behold, I make all things new. And he said unto me, Write: for these words are true and faithful. Now this I say, brethren, that flesh and blood cannot inherit the kingdom of God; neither doth corruption inherit incorruption.

51

Behold, I shew you a mystery; We shall not all sleep, but we shall all be changed,

52

In a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trump: for the trumpet shall sound, and the dead shall be raised incorruptible, and we shall be changed.

53

For this corruptible must put on incorruption, and this mortal must put on immortality.

54

So when this corruptible shall have put on incorruption, and this mortal shall have put on immortality, then shall be brought to pass the saying that is written, Death is swallowed up in victory.

55

O death, where is thy sting? O grave, [1] where is thy victory?

56

The sting of death is sin; and the strength of sin is the law.

57

But thanks be to God, which giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.

58

Therefore, my beloved brethren, be ye stedfast, unmoveable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, forasmuch as ye know that your labour is not in vain in the Lord.

## **HYMNS**

## **#598 - WATCH, YE SAINTS**

Watch, ye saints, with eyelids waking; Lo! The powers of heaven are shaking; Keep your lamps all trimmed an burning, Ready for your Lord's returning.

### Refrain

Lo! He comes, lo! Jesus comes; Lo! He come, He comes all glorious! Jesus comes to reign victorious, Lo! He comes, yes, Jesus comes.

2

Lo! the promise of your Savior,
Pardoned sin and purchased favor,
Blood-washed robes and crowns of glory;
Haste to tell redemption's story.

3

Kingdoms at their base are crumbling, Hark! His chariot wheels are rumbling; Tell, O tell of grace abounding, While the seventh trump is sounding.

4

Nations wane, though proud and stately; Christ His kingdom hasteneth greatly; Earth her latest pangs is summing; Shout, ye saints, your Lord is coming.

5

Sinners, come, while Christ is pleading; Now for you He's interceding; Haste, ere grace and time diminished Shall proclaim the mystery finished.

## #214 - I HAVE THIS HOPE

We have this hope that burns within our heart,
Hope in the coming of the Lord.
We have this faith that Christ alone imparts,
Faith in the promise of His Word.
We believe the time is here,
When the nations far and near
Shall awake, and shout and sing
Hallelujah! Christ is King!
We have this hope that burns within our heart,
Hope in the coming of the Lord.

2

We are united in Jesus Christ our Lord.
We are united in His love.
Love for the waiting people of the world,
People who need our Savior's love.
Soon the heav'ns will open wide,
Christ will come to claim His bride,
All the universe will sing
Hallelujah! Christ is King!
We have this hope this faith, and God's great
love,
We are united in Christ.

## THERE'S A LAND THAT IS FAIRER THAN DAY,

There's a land that is fairer than day, And by faith we can see it afar, For the Father waits over the way To prepare us a dwelling place there.

### Refrain:

In the sweet by and by,
We shall meet on that beautiful shore;
In the sweet by and by,
We shall meet on that beautiful shore.

2

We shall sing on that beautiful shore The melodious songs of the blest; And our spirits shall sorrow no more-Not a sigh for the blessing of rest.

3

To our bountiful Father above We will offer our tribute of praise For the glorious gift of His love And the blessings that hallow our days.

### SHALL WE GATHER AT THE RIVER

Shall we gather at the river, where bright angel feet have trod, with its crystal tide forever flowing by the throne of God?

#### Refrain

Yes, we'll gather at the river, the beautiful, the beautiful river; gather with the saints at the river that flows by the throne of God.

2

On the margin of the river, washing up its silver spray, we will walk and worship ever, all the happy golden day.

3

Ere we reach the shining river, lay we every burden down; grace our spirits will deliver, and provide a robe and crown.

4

Soon we'll reach the shining river, soon our pilgrimage will cease; soon our happy hearts will quiver with the melody of peace.

### **HOW SWEET ARE THE TIDINGS**

How sweet are the tidings that greet the pilgrim's ear,

As he wanders in exile from home! Soon, soon will the Savior in glory appear, And soon will the kingdom come.

#### Refrain

He's coming, coming soon I know, Coming back to this earth again; And the weary pilgrims will to glory go, When the Savior comes to reign.

2

The mossy old graves where the pilgrims sleep

Shall be open as wide as before, And the millions that sleep in the mighty deep Shall live on this earth once more.

3

There we'll meet ne'er to part in our happy Eden home, Sweet songs of redemption we'll sing;

From the north, from the south, all the ransomed shall come,
And worship our heavenly King.

4

Hallelujah, Amen! Hallelujah again! Soon, if faithful, we all shall be there; O, be watchful, be hopeful, be joyful till then, And a crown of bright glory we'll wear.

### **BLESSED ASSURANCE**

Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine;
Oh, what a foretaste of glory divine!
Heir of salvation, purchase of God,
Born of His Spirit, washed in His blood.
This is my story, this is my song,
Praising my Savior all the day long.
This is my story, this is my song,
Praising my Savior all the day long.

2

Perfect submission, perfect delight, Visions of rapture now burst on my sight; Angels descending, bring from above Echoes of mercy, whispers of love.

3

Perfect submission, all is at rest, I in my Savior am happy and blest; Watching and waiting, looking above, Filled with His goodness, lost in His love.

## AT THE GRAVESTDE

## PINELAWN MEMORIAL PARK FARMINGDALE, NEW YORK

## MONDAY, JUNE 9, 2025 10:00AM

Opening Songs Dr. Ainsworth Morris

Hymns Shall we gather at the River

**Blessed Assurance** 

Opening Prayer Dr. Dedrick Blue

Scripture Reading Dr. James Lamar

1 Corinthians 15:50-58

Committal Dr. Eldeen King

Closing Songs Dr. Ainsworth Morris

Hymns There's a land that is Fairer than Day

How Sweet are the Tidings

Closing Prayer Dr. Nicardo Delhaye



# Trevor H.C. Baker



























## MY LIFE

















We Love you, Honey, Dad, Grandpa, Brother, Uncle, Pastor and Friend















































## TRIBUTES/CONDOLENCES'



To my dear Pastor, mentor and friend:

I thank God for the privilege He afforded me to allow our paths to intersect, and for the opportunity to build a solid friendship that weathered the test of time. Your life was a living testimony of a man of God. To me, you were the truest example of a Christlike, humble, leader: Godly, wise, kind, compassionate, fair, knowledgeable and patient. You listened to understand, not to condemn. You spoke to encourage, not to belittle. You lived to glorify God, not yourself. You were the epitome of a servant leader. I miss you Pastor B. By God's grace, as we promised, we will meet by the Tree of Life..never more to part. Sleep on my favorite President..sleep

Stacy D.



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This was the first day I met Pastor Baker. It was also my very first time doing an NEC

This was at the Hartford Convention. I actually STILL have that folder to this day. Over time we developed a good relationship. I would always seek him out when he was around.

He will be missed.



**Doug Mees Ogachi** Go Thee well.

Like Reply



Elder Trevor Baker was more than a pastor to mewas a father figure who guided me through my youth with love, wisdom, and patience. He drove me to countless events, stood by me during life's milestones and even officiated my wedding to James. As godfather to Matthew and Amanda, he remained a constant presence in our lives, always showing up wit kindness and grace. His legacy as NEC Youth Director shaped a generation, including mine, through ministries like Bible Bowl, Olympics and Youth Federation. I am forever grateful for his steady hand and spiritual leadership. Rest well, Elder Baker-until we meet again at the trumpet sound.





## through all he did for the cause of Christ. Sleep in peace, Man of God, until that great getting-up morning. 🤍 💘 🙏 2 🗘 🕽

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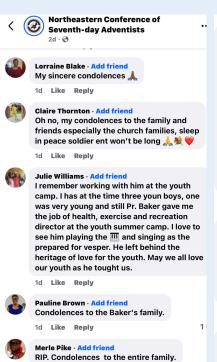
#### Astrid Thomassian · Add friend

Sister Eunice please accept our sincerest & heartfelt condolences. Leon & I are saddened to learn of the passing of Elder Baker. He was a faithful friend, a conscientious administrator & fair in his dealings with everyone. We look forward to reuniting with him on that great resurrection morning.

In Memory of Trevor H. C. Baker Pastor Baker strode in our midst at a time when our conference needed him the most. During a time of average men, he always stood a little taller in humility than anyone else. He was numbered among the few men I knew who, like David, was anointed king, but led with a shepherd's mentality. He offered a leadership that was purposedriven, unflappable and unyielding. Like Churchill, he had a way of making words fight like soldiers and lifted the spirit of conferences, unions, and a division. By precept and example he taught us that true leadership is more than budgets and balance sheets. It is a matter of moral purpose. And that moral realm is reached by that insight and rhetoric of which only the truly great are capable. His years of unprecedented labor, service, and sacrifice in our conference has not gone unnoticed. He slipped the surly bonds of earth to kiss the Face of God. Rest in peace soldier of the cross and take your well-deserved rest. We will see you in the morning. (sent with Gentle Effect)

Anthony Usher





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Denise Bennett · Add friend My condolences

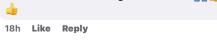
#### Donna A. Lee · Add friend

I have a friend in Florida that was praying for his family during our morning devotional. She never forgot this windy man and all the fin she had in Bible Bowls because of Pastor Trevor Baker. I remember when my son and my goddaughter were running around at Camp Victory Lake for summer camp. Both children went at different times and both were apprehensive about going the first were and I always had to come up with funds so they could stay longer.

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#### **Anthony Johnson**

Memories don't leave like people do, always stay with you.

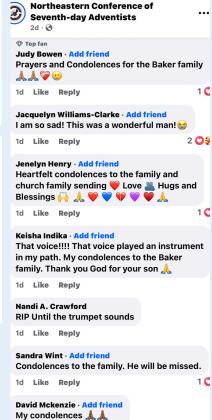


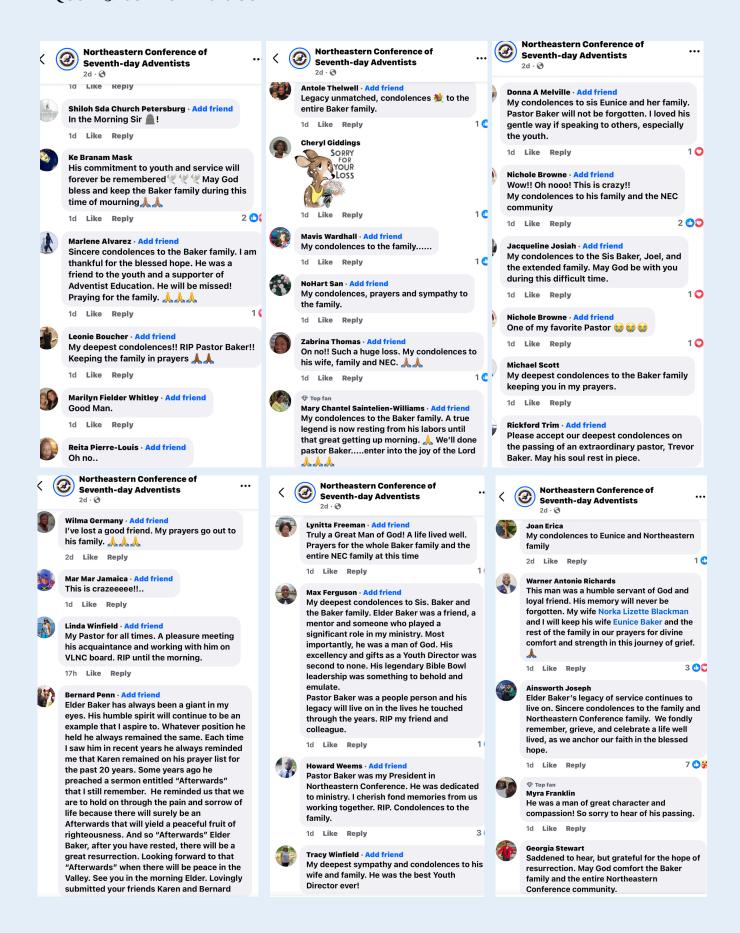
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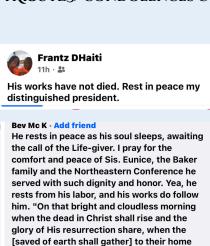
My deepest condolences to the family for your loss, praying for the family I, for the Lot to comfort and strengthen you all.

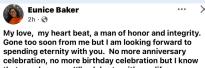


Pastor Trevor Baker was the Lindennaires Concert Chorale's Pastor for many years. He was a big supporter and Choperone at many youth congress. He'll surely be missed.
Sister Coleta Small and The Lindennaires Concert Chorale Family.









beyond the skies, and the roll is called up

yonder," Pastor Trevor H.C. Baker will be

by. May God comfort you all.

there. This is the blessed hope which he lived

that one day soon I'll celebrate with you life everlasting at the feet of Jesus.



## Northeastern Conference of **Seventh-day Adventists**

Richard Calhoun Sr. · Add friend Pastor Baker will be greatly missed by our family and the worldwide Seventh-Day Adventist Church family. Sis. Baker and the rest of the family are in our prayers. May God give them strength and comfort in this difficult time. 🙏

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Julie Angela · Add friend My deepest condolences to Pastor Baker's family and all who mourn his loss 🙏 🙏

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**Tslane Shepard** My Condolences 🙏

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Rest Well e I am a result of his work in Youth Ministry for Northeastern Conference. I was a Bible Bowl Player before becoming a member of the Seventh Day Adventist Church. I along with my team mates represented our local church (which he pastored) and the Northeastern Conference at the National Bible Bowl Competition on more than one occasion. The legacy that he leaves behind played an integral part in planting God's Word DEEPLY into my heart.

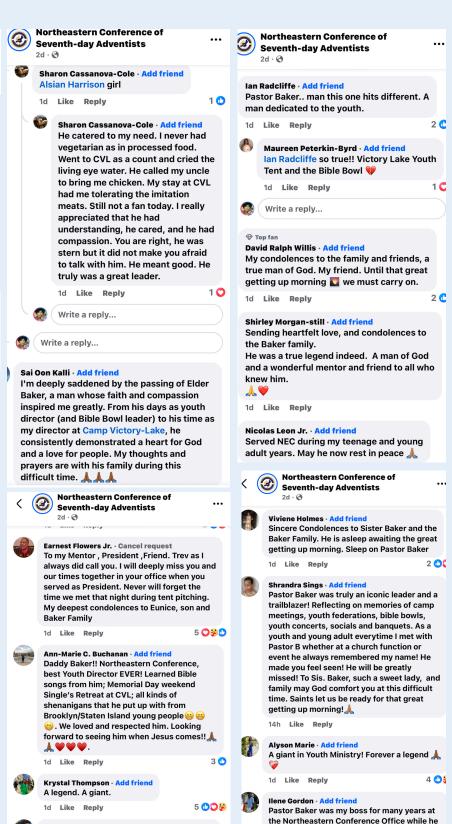
Pamela Rose

My youth director, president, mentor, pastor,

friend. I will miss you, but I know it won't be

Sis. Baker, my family is praying for you 💗 🙏

long before that great getting up morning.



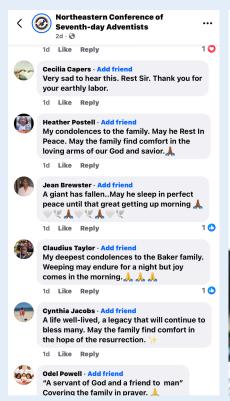
was Executive Secretary. He was a great boss

sympathy goes out to his wife. Eunice, and

awaiting that great getting up morning. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

the Baker family. He is sleeping in Jesus

and was well respected. My deepest





Zane St Juste

In Memory of Trevor H. C. Baker Pastor Baker strode in our midst at a time when our conference needed him the most. During a time of average men, he always stood a little taller in humility than anyone else. He was numbered among the few men I knew who, like David, was anointed king, but led with a shepherd's mentality. He offered a leadership that was purpose-driven, unflappable and unyielding. Like Churchill, he had a way of making words fight like soldiers and lifted the spirit of conferences, unions, and a division. By precept and example he taught us that true leadership is more than budgets and balance sheets. It is a matter of moral purpose. And that moral realm is reached by that insight and rhetoric of which only the truly great are capable. His years of unprecedented labor, service, and sacrifice in our conference has not gone unnoticed. He slipped the surly bonds of earth to kiss the Face of God. Rest in peace soldier of the cross and take your well-deserved rest. We will see you in the morning. (sent with Gentle Effect)

Anthony Usher



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#### Laurene Richards- Usher

On behalf of the Richards-Usher family, we convey our deepest condolences to you, Eunice. Pr. Baker was good to our family last year. On May 23, 2024, both you and Pr. Baker attended my brother funeral in Limón Costa Rica. You both brought a comforting presence. I will always remember Pr. Baker, especially on those Noche Buena nights. May he rest in peace. We will see him again on that glorious morning when Jesus returns. Hang in Eunice with hope.

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#### Zane St Juste

My condolences to Pastor Baker's family, friends, and all he served. He holds a special place in our hearts for his impact during Bible Bowl at Camp Victory Lake and his leadership at NEC. We look forward in faith to that great getting-up morning when we shall meet again.

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#### Carlyle C. Richards Jr. · Add friend

Me and Pastor Baker have the same Birthday we used to joke about trading ages. He made young people feel wanted and invested in them. Priceless RIP



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#### Crystal E. Ward · Add friend

Legendary Youth Leader and Bible Bowl Quiz Master. I still hear: "Right you are". Even when he became president, he still maintained a level of humility and servant hood that was exemplary as a leader. My condolences to the family and all that are grieving.

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#### Alsian Harrison · Add friend

Pastor Baker was like my Uncle from another grandmother. He gave me my 1st job as C.I.T at CVL. Because of his leadership and example I stayed there for many many years all the way to Camp Nurse. Though a stern man upfront he was like butter once he got to know you. His mere presence commanded much respect. I remember just going to the Conference office just to see him to say hello, he never turned my unexpected visits away. Was happy he moved to GA but I only got a few glimpses of him. Glad he was able to have the West End Church experience once in a

Sorry to hear his time on earth is no more, Well done thy good and faithful servant. Never will forget him. Just a few weeks ago he texted me condolences for my Aunty.



God will see you through this time of grief

God bless 🙌 🙏

1d Like Denly

## **ACKNOWLEDGMENT**

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Crystal Ballroom Located Downstairs

# TNTERMENT MONDAY, JUNE 9, 2025

Pinelawn Memorial Park 2030 Wellwood Avenue I Farmingdale I New York 11735

Processional leaves Linden SDA Church at 9:30am

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