



## **PASTOR SAMMIE LEE DAVIS SR.**

November 27, 1927 - June 18, 2018

Pastor Sammie Lee Davis, born November 27, 1927; 7 minutes after 7 and the 7th child of Mr. and Mrs. George and Georgia Davis in Kosse (Limestone County), Texas.

Pastor Sammie Davis is the father of eleven children, with three son's Pastoring: Rev. Mark C. Davis, St. Luke Missionary Baptist Church, Houston, Texas; the late Rev. John Alman Davis, Star of Bethlehem Baptist Church, Dallas, Texas and Rev. Danny Davis, Jordan Grove Missionary Baptist Church, Houston, Texas.

Pastor Davis received his formal education in the Dallas Public Schools, graduating from Lincoln High School; he later academically matriculated his theological studies from Bishop College (Marshall, Texas), University of Los Angeles (Los Angeles, California), Southern Methodist University – Perkins School of Theology (Dallas, Texas), he also received foreign theological studies from Hebrew University (Jerusalem, Israel), University of Rome (Rome, Italy), and Aswan University (Aswan, Egypt). And on April 28, 2013, he received his Doctor of Divinity Degree from Saint Thomas Christian College and Theological Seminary (Jacksonville, Florida).

Pastor Davis is the organizing pastor of Fellowship Missionary Baptist Church for over 51 years. Through his church he organized the “War On Drug

Program” which was the only Negro licensed hospital by the State of Texas for those who had a drug problem which helped over 1,000’s of people redirect their lives from drugs and crime to Christ. Later the Fellowship, Inc. formed the first Rehabilitation Drug Choir in the United States.

In 2013, Pastor Sammie Lee Davis retired from Active Pastoring but never from preaching the Gospel!

He can be often quoted saying, “Preaching is a called INTO...and a dying OUT OF!”

"Sooner than at Once and Quicker than Right Now," on Monday, June 18, 2018, at 10:20 am, The Angel of Silence welcomed him with open arms from Labor to Reward.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN **29**. 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM (CT)

Sandra Clark Funeral Home  
6029 South R.L. Thornton  
Dallas, TX 75232  
(214) 371-2600  
<https://www.sandraclarkfuneralhome.com/>

## Wake

JUN **29**. 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (CT)

Pilgrim Rest Baptist Church

## Service

JUN **30**. 11:00 AM (CT)

Pilgrim Rest Baptist Church

# Tribute Wall



“ *Rev. Davis I just became aware of your home going. You know if I had known I would have been there Being one of the people in your program saved me from living a life of drugs Because of your program, became sucessful.. Thank you Rev. You will never be forgotten*

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**Iris Miller** - January 27, 2019 at 05:15 PM

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*Hi Iris  
I'm Cynthia of Dallas and pastor Davis was best friends with my Late Mother and Stepfather! He wanted me to be the spokeswoman for his War on Drugs program and asked me many times but I never accepted the offer as I too was then struggling with remaining clean and sober! I'm 30 years clean and sober now and I wouldn't trade this Life With Christ for nothing in the world We've known him for years and was apart of our family  
My Mother and Stepfather were The Griffin Singers maybe you've heard of them! Anyway glad to see your comment! Peace and Many Blessings to you and God Bless and Keep a you*

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**Cynthia Carpenter** - February 08, 2024 at 03:01 PM

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“ *Gloria Richardson lit a candle in memory of PASTOR SAMMIE LEE DAVIS SR.*



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**Gloria Richardson** - June 29, 2018 at 08:43 PM

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“ *Janice Williams lit a candle in memory of PASTOR SAMMIE LEE DAVIS SR.*



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**Janice Williams** - June 28, 2018 at 11:21 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of PASTOR SAMMIE LEE DAVIS SR..*



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June 28, 2018 at 08:26 PM

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“ *My condolences go to the entire Davis family, and especially to my former college football teammate, Reverend Danny Davis. I remember Pastor Sammie Davis speaking to our team prior to several games while I was at UH, and I recall him being an eloquent, yet very articulate speaker. Heaven has welcomed another saint!*



*Albert L. Windom  
Plano, Texas*

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**Albert Windom** - June 28, 2018 at 04:51 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of PASTOR SAMMIE LEE DAVIS SR..*



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June 28, 2018 at 02:18 PM



“ *Pastor Davis was a loving man and a pioneer to the South Dallas community he will be missed my condolences to the Family love you Pastor Davis.*

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**Linda Chapple** - June 28, 2018 at 09:22 AM



“ *Pastor Davis will always be remembered for being a standup Pastor. He was a Pastor that stood for something and I appreciate him being a part of my life. He help raise many children throughout the neighborhood.*

*Family be blessed and know that you had a special person in your lives.*

**WE LOVE YOU PASTOR DAVIS!**

*Best Regards,  
Kenneth Van*

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**Kenneth Van** - June 20, 2018 at 11:07 PM

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“ We loved Bro. Sammie so much and have so many great memories. We are sure he stepped into heaven singing Amen, Amen!

*Jimmy and Chris Houston*

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**Jimmy & Chris Houston** - June 20, 2018 at 08:48 PM