

The Cash-Neill Family Newsletter



Quarter 2022



Greetings Dear Family Members! The third and fourth quarters family newsletter are combined. Our focus will be on the Family Reunion we had July 22-24, 2022. We had a wonderful time re-connecting with family we had not seen in years and meeting new relatives. There were about 34 on-site attendees from as far away as California, Texas, Massachusetts, New Jersey, Georgia and the great state of North Carolina!! We also had approximately 16 people to attend the virtual reunion online. This issue highlights the Neill/Cully/Smith Families. They are descendants from the Rev. J.W. Neill, William Neill, and Patricia Neill Cully side of the family. We are celebrating educational accomplishments, upward mobility, birthdays, and anniversaries.

2022 Cash-Neill Family Reunion



Attendees Pictured L-R in back: David L. Cash, Sr., David "Tony" Kittrell, Neill Hampton, Tim Smith, Reginald Dunbar, II, Diamond Cash, Doug Cash, next row: Rose Cash Kittrell, Andrea Kittrell Deven Kittrell, Ryan Cully, Karen Smith, William "Junior" Cash, Gwen Cash, Jones, Spencer Jones, Daphney Owens, Kennedy Kittrell, Melissa Cash, Ashley Owens; next row: Nitanya Andrews, Brooke Kittrell, Tiana Elame, Bashia Gandy, Edith Cash Sloan (Matriarch), Barbara Moss Cash, Tyger Lily, and Giavanna Owens.



Edith Cash Sloan, David L. Cash, Sr. and Rose Cash Kittrell represent the third generation of Cash-Neill descendants and are the three remaining siblings born to Otis B. Sr and Margaret Neill Cash. Eleven children survived childhood.

The siblings who have transitioned are Otis. B. Cash, Jr., John W. Cash, Mary Cash Banks, Margaret Cash Hampton, Edward R. Cash, Sr., Homer W. Cash, Sr. Virginia Cash Kemp, and Curtis V. Cash.



(Descendants of Otis B. Cash, Sr. and Margaret Neill Cash: Backrow: David L. Cash, Sr. Neill Hampton, Deven Kittrell, Alex Gandy; middle row: Melissa Cash, Brooke Kittrell, Nitanya Andrews, William "Junior" Cash, Barbara Cash (inlaw), Kennedy Kittrell, Rose Cash Kittrell, Gwen Cash Jones, bending on front row: Bashia Gandy, Edith Cash Sloan(matriarch)



Bottom picture: Back row: David L. Cash, Sr., Reginald Dumbar, II, Spencer Jones (inlaw), second row: Andrea Kittrell (inlaw), David "Tony" Kittrell, Deven Kittrell, Rose Kittrell, Gwen Jones; front row: Kennedy Kittrell, Brooke Kittrell, Bashia Gandy, Tiana Elame, and Melissa Cash.



Fourth generation of Cash-Neill descendants: Tim Smith (inlaw) Reginald Dunbar, II, Neill Hampton, Doug Cash, Joe "Karsten" Cash, William "Junior" Cash, David "Tony Kittrell, Craig Cully, Andrea Kittrell (inlaw), Gwen Jones, Karen Smith, Melissa Cash and Nitanya Andrews.



5th Generation of Cash-Neill Descendants: Back row: Daphney Owens, and Ashley Owens, I believe; next row down: Alex Gandy, Ryan Cully, Deven Kittrell, Wirlen Elame, Diamond Cash; front row: Kennedy Kittrell, Brooke Kittrell, Tiana Elame, and Bashia Gandy. Unable to discern back row.



Descendants of James Cash and Julia Neill Cash: Doug Cash, Reggie Dunbar, Dahney Owens, Ashley Owens, Diamond Cash, Tiger Lily, Giavanna Owens



Descendants of William and Fannye Neill: Tim Smith (in-law), Ryan Cully, Karen Cully Smith and Craig Cully



Aunt Edith Sloan with Nitanya Andrews



Melissa Cash



Nitanya with brother Neill



David, Alex, Diamond, Gwen, Rose and Bashia



Nitanya, Craig Cully and Ryan Cully





Reggie and Nitanya—left;
Kennedy, Brooke,
Bashia and Wirlen (in-law)—above;
Joe “Karsten”, Nitanya and Neill;
and cousin caucus below





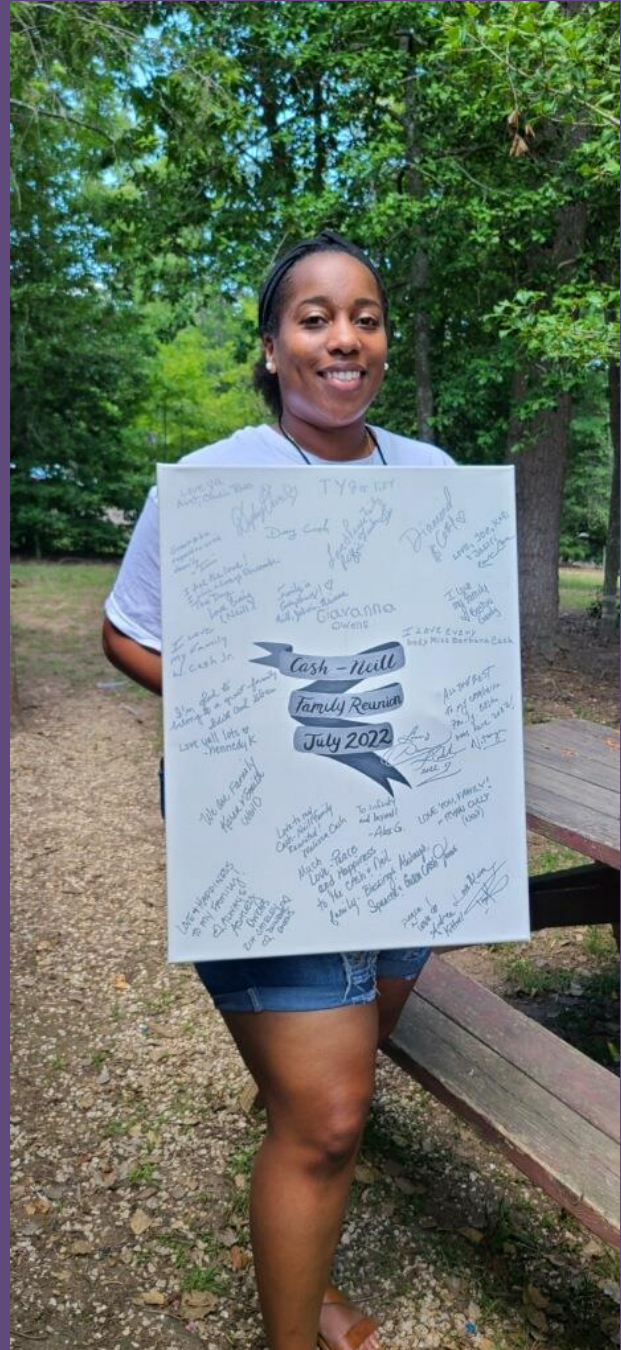
David “Tony” Kittrell, Andrea Kittrell(in-law), Nitanya Andrews, Reginald Dunbar, II, Rose C. Kittrell, Neill Hampton, Craig Cully, Ryan Cully, William “Junior” Cash,
Joe “Karstan” Cash, seated.



Melissa Cash



Gwen Cash Jones and brother William "Juinior" Cash



Rose Cash Kittrell welcoming the family. Diamond Cash displaying her artistic canvas with signatures of attendees.



Top left: Nitanya Andrews, Karen Smith, Neill Hampton and Ryan Cully;
 Top right: David Cash with McFarland Bakery goodies in box.
 Joe "Karstan" Cash, Nitanya Andrews and brother Neill Hampton visiting the old
 Ninth Avenue School memorial.
 The Tiger mascot in the background. A marker is on the ground which includes
 J.W. Neill as one of the early principals.



Edith Cash Sloan presented her sister, Rose with a plaque for leadership in putting on the Family Reunion.

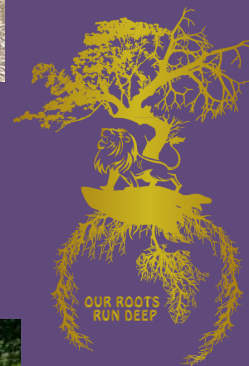


Andrea and husband, Tony Kittrell monitoring the online participants.





Tyger Lily and Giavanna Owens



Tim Smith and Ryan Cully



Cousin Caucus Ashley Owens, Deven Kittrell, Wirlen Elame (in-law), Alex Gandy, Ryan Cully; Front row: Daphne Owens, Tiana Elame, Diamond Cash, Bashia Gandy, Kennedy Kittrell and Brooke Kittrell.



Family Spotlight THE CULLY FAMILY

Our featured branch of the family are descendants of Rev. J. W. Neill and his wife, Lula Duck Neill; William and Fannye Neill and their daughter Pat Neill Cully.



This is Tim, Christopher, and Karen (Cully) Smith. Karen is the oldest daughter of Marian Patricia (Neill) Cully. Tim is a retired IT professional and Karen is a retired teacher. Tim and Karen live in East Brunswick, NJ. Chris has autism and lives in Collingswood, NJ in a wonderful adult group home. Tim and Karen plan to move to GA next year.



Karen Cully Smith and husband, Tim Smith



Crystal Cully-Duhart

Crystal Cully-Duhart is the daughter of Pat Neill Cully. She recently retired from The City of New York. Most of her professional life was devoted to improving the lives of infants and toddlers with developmental disabilities and their families, from a policy and programmatic prospective. She is the Mother of Daryl Duhart (29) and Erika Duhart Barham (32); Grandma of Tori Barham (4) and Bryson Barham (2), who both just celebrated birthdays September 20th and 21st respectively (See pictures below). Crystal enjoys dancing, exercising and listening to music. She also enjoys traveling. In fact, now that she has retired, she plans on traveling throughout the US to meet more of her relatives.

The Cully Family



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The Cully Family

Here is the Cully family from left to right. Ryan (24), is a recent Boston University grad, who loves to travel and is very interested in design. Next to him is Sean (27), he is currently working at Seton-Hall, his Alma Mater, in the marketing department. Sean is a big man of all things anime. Next to him is Kevin, the oldest who is married to a wonderful lady, Danilka, who took the photo. Kevin loves to travel and keeps busy running several businesses as well as working in Human Resources at a Japanese bank. Next to Kevin is Craig. He grew up in Brooklyn, NY but has lived in New Jersey for the last 30 years. He said, "I feel blessed to have my family and enjoy spending time with them." Craig loves gardening in the summer and spends evening on his deck listening to jazz under the stars. To pay for his hobbies, and until recently, tuition, he has worked at Citibank from his early college days until the present. He says it's a great place to work and he was treated well. Last, but not least, in the middle of the picture is Natalie, who is the only lady in the immediate family and is the boss. She loves to bake cakes, shop and always puts others before herself. Craig said that's how she hooked him. She works at Carver Bank, which is the largest African American managed bank in the USA. They are located in Harlem.



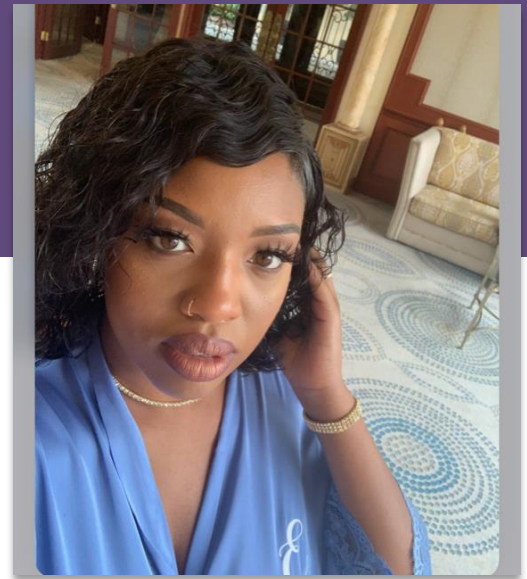
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Hi I'm Daryl Duhart aged 29! I am Crystal Cully-Duhart's son and favorite child. I am also Pat Neill's Grandson. Career wise, I am in tech and enjoy a great conversation about anything with anyone.



Daryl and Erika



Erika Duhart Barham, Crystal Cully Duhart's daughter

Family Scholars — It's in the genes

Congratulations to this year's recipients of the Cash-Neill Education Fund Award (\$100 each): Amiri Rivera and Bashia Gandy.



Amiri Rivera.



Bashia Gandy



Amiri Rivera graduated June 2022 from Bergen County Academy - High School in Hackensack, NJ! Amiri has moved on to his next quest in life--college. He is attending Emerson College in Boston, MA and began his studies the Fall of 2022. At this stage he plans to major in Political Communications. Amiri is drawn to all things political and is interested in finding forums where he can interact and discuss various political issues. In the grand scheme of things in life, Amiri's ideal occupation or job would be like the position Trevor Noah holds as the host on The Daily Show.

Since beginning college Amiri has enjoyed meeting people, making friends, trying new things (even tried improv), undertaking new challenges, exploring Boston, and learning the subway system. He is excited about studying at Emerson College because he feels it is a very progressive institution and provides good opportunities.

Amiri said that while he loves his family and misses them, he is excited and enjoying his new independence and college life. It should be noted that Amiri enjoys exploring and developing his creative side. Check out some of his creative posts on You Tube under Amiri Rivera.



Pictured above are: Dominique "Dom" Wise, Vambah Sillah, Donna Wise, Lorenzo Sillah, Jasiri Cash, Joe Cash and Amiri Rivera.

Family Scholar—It's in the genes



Pictured above: Bashia Gandy

Congratulations to Bashia Gandy, for obtaining her license as an optician from the State of South Carolina to dispense glasses and contact lenses. Bashia completed the statutory requirements of the National Academy of Opticianry and American Board of Opticianry. Her study consisted of two (2) years of coursework followed by two (2) years of apprenticeship in an optical office setting for a total four (4) years of combined study.

After completing the coursework and apprenticeship Bashia had to pass two-separate state regulated tests (one to dispense glasses and one to dispense contact lenses). In December 2021 Bashia successfully passed the State of South Carolina test to dispense glasses and in August 2022 she successfully passed the test to dispense contact lenses. You go Bashia!!!

Bashia had to endure the disruptive craziness of studying during Covid times. It presented serious challenges in completing her study and taking the state tests. Bashia persevered however and was successful in achieving her goal of completion of the opticianry program and obtaining her licenses. Presently, Bashia lives in Simpsonville, SC and works in the optical department of Walmart. Her aspirations for the future are to work in a private practice optometry office and to create her own designer line of glasses frames. A fun fact about Bashia is that she has a collection of many different frame styles and colors.

Bashia's grandfather was William (Bill) Cash, Sr. and her mom was Angie Cash. They both passed earlier this year. Her grandfather and mother would have been so proud of her accomplishments.

Meet Joe



Pictured above: Bashia Gandy



Congratulations to our family member, Joe Karsten Cash. On September 6, 2022, he was appointed the Interim Director of the Wellesley METCO program for the 2022-23 school year.

Previously, Joe served as the Director of Student Support Services position at METCO Inc. headquarters. Immediately following his graduate program in Social Justice Education at the University of Massachusetts Amherst, he became an Academic Coach for the Minority Affairs office at Eastern Illinois University (EIU) Office of Multicultural Affairs.

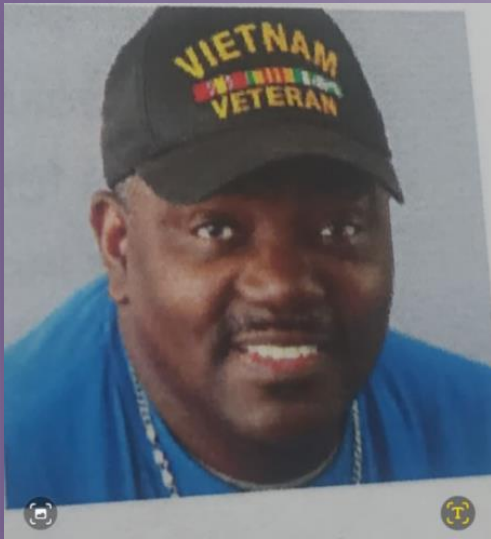
Following his job at EIU, he became the Director of the Lloyd L. Gaines/Marion O'Fallon Oldham Black Culture Center (BCC) at the University Of Missouri Columbia (MU). His secondary education experiences include roles at the Community Charter School of Cambridge and Young Achievers Math and Science K-8 Pilot School. Members of the Cash family living in the Boston Metropolitan area have been beneficiaries of the METCO program. His parents-in-law were members of the vanguard class of the Concord-Carlisle METCO Program in 1966. In addition, his wife and brothers were alumni of the Framingham and Wayland METCO programs. Karsten also has a deep connection to the Wellesley METCO program. He is a 1991 METCO graduate of Wellesley High School and a current Wellesley METCO parent. Mr. Cash has also served on the Friends of Wellesley METCO board as co-chair of the scholarship committee.



METCO is a program funded by the state of Massachusetts to expand educational opportunities, increase diversity, and reduce racial isolation by permitting students from Boston to attend public schools in other communities that have agreed to participate.

Since its founding, the METCO program has enrolled tens of thousands of Boston students of color in participating school districts and has provided the opportunity for students in those districts to experience the advantages of learning and working in a racially and ethnically diverse setting.

Community Advocate



Reggie Dunbar, recipient of the Barbara Vick Impact Award for being a Community Advocate.

Reginald “Reggie” Dunbar II served in the U.S. Army as a Vietnam-era paralegal, journalist, and an awards administrator. He has been in the HIV community for more than 35 years. Presently, Reggie serves on the Emory Clinical Trials Community Advisory Board (CAB), as well as the Metropolitan Atlanta HIV Health Planning Council as the 2nd vice-chair. He also sits on the housing and priorities committees of the Planning Council, the Atlanta Legal Aid Society CAB, and the Fulton-Dekalb HIV Prevention CAB.

He founded POZ Military and Veterans USA International, which supports military veterans living with HIV, their families, and allies. It operates as a member organization for the Georgia Disabled Veterans Business Enterprise, helping disabled veterans get into business with local, state, and national governments plus other businesses.

Physically and Mentally Fit

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(These still pictures were taken from a video David took after the Family Reunion in July 2022. He told the attendees he could still do a handstand. He has proven to all his naysayers that he can still do it. The video clip can be seen on the Cash-Neill family website, behind David L. Cash, Sr.)



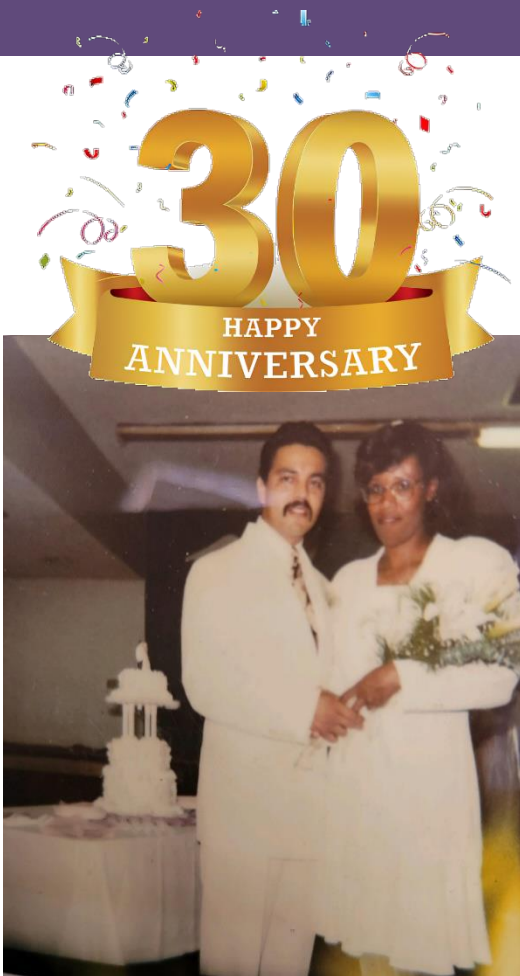
David L. Cash, Sr. is still the Family's Iron Man at 78! David is wholistic in his approach to life—body, mind and spirit. He has always taken care of his body from early childhood through today. He is disciplined and begins his morning routine by stretching his whole body for about 20 minutes before he does any of his daily routine exercises. He does interval training consisting of fast walking and jogging. He walks for 15 minutes to warm up, he jogs for 10 minutes, walk 10 minutes. He does this routine for an hour and 45 minutes. On some days he does outside cycling, if the weather permit. If it's bad weather, he uses his stationary bike for 1 hr and 45 minutes. After his work out he does meditation for about 20 minutes. Later on that day he will do weightlifting. He works with 45 lb weights for his upper body and 145lbs for the lower body. He's 6'2' and weighs 210 lbs. In addition to taking care of himself, he does for others who are not able to do for themselves. He volunteers to engage with residents at a nursing home.

Anniversaries



30 Years and Counting!

Stephen and Michele Rosas celebrated their 30-year wedding anniversary on September 26th! They were introduced by mutual friends at church in 1992 in San Diego. After a short "courting" period they were married 6 months later. Congratulations to them on their 30 years of marriage and may the Lord continue to bless their union!



Stephen and Michele Rosas on wedding day



Michele and Stephen 30 years later.

Happy 5th wedding anniversary to Eric and Dee Harris! They celebrated this special occasion by going on a 7-day Caribbean cruise with stops in St. Maarten, St Thomas and Coco Cay. Eric said his favorite thing about the trip was spending uninterrupted time with Dee. His favorite island was St. Maarten and he enjoyed the peacefulness of the sea. This was their first cruise. Their children/ young men, Eric Jr. – 19 years, Deric 14 years and Daniel – 8 years had to get by without their parents for a week back home in Aurora, CO. Eric is the great grandson of Harriet Neill Warren, the grandson of Eleanor Warren Lewis and the son of Patrice Harris. Congratulations Eric and Dee!



Anniversaries cont'd



2 years

Wirleen and Tiana Elame

Tiana and Wirleen Elame went on an extended cruise for their true honeymoon getaway and two-year anniversary celebration. Wedded on August 08, 2020, the couple postponed having a traditional honeymoon at that time due to the pandemic. In August of this year, they were blessed to experience their long-awaited adventures to the Bahamas, Jamaica and Haiti. Here are a few of the wonderful memories they created.

Want to see more? Connect with them on Facebook or follow them on Instagram @Tiana.pixels and @Wirlee. Tiana is the granddaughter of Rose Cash Kittrell and is the daughter of Sherrene K Jones.

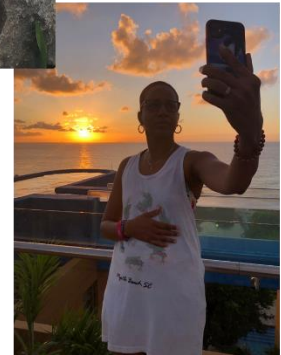
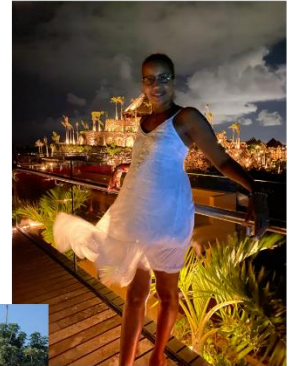


Up Coming Anniversaries

David "Tony" and Andrea "Andy" Kittrell--December 19

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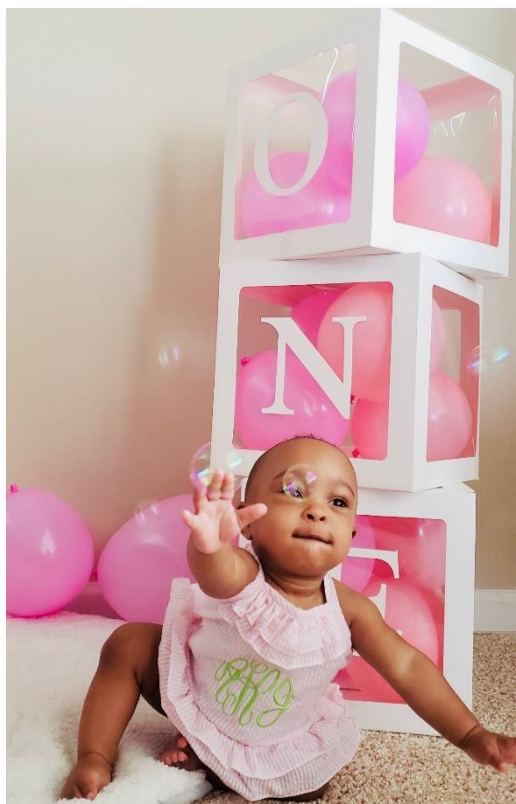
Anniversaries cont'd



December 19th marks the anniversary for Andy and Tony's anniversary. Tradition states that the symbol of the 30th wedding anniversary used to be a pearl, now modern times have adjusted it to be a diamond. Similarly, the color was green and now it's coral. So to blend the old with the new, they decided the best way to honor those symbols of wisdom, durability, growth and beauty was to spend time enjoying God's creation in paradise! They were wine and dined at an all-inclusive resort near Cancun, Mexico nestled in a lush jungle setting (Tony's happy place) with magnificent ocean views (Andy's happy place).

While there, they were treated to some much-needed rest and relaxation, shopping excursions, gondola cruises, local entertainment, wildlife adventures, and plenty of sand and sun! Celebrating 30 years of togetherness is a significant milestone and we congratulate them on their long and successful voyage of love! .

The Birthday Corner



Pictured above: Allisyne Jane Kittrell



Happy Birthday to Ally J Kittrell who turned ONE on July 29, 2022. She is the great-granddaughter of Rose Cash Kittrell, granddaughter of Tony and Andy Kittrell and daughter of Kayla Kittrell.



Pictured above is Aniya Harris



Happy Birthday to Aniya Harris! She turned 18 years old July 30, 2022. Aniya and her father, Richard Harris celebrated her birthday with trips in Summer 2022 to Philadelphia and New York City. Fun! Aniya lives with her dad in Aurora, CO.

She is a senior in high school. Her plan upon graduation from high school is to obtain a real estate license and pursue a career as a realtor. In her free time Aniya enjoys cooking and is a talented artist (painting). Aniya is the great great granddaughter of Harriet Neill Warren, the great grand daughter of Eleanor Warren Lewis, the grand daughter of Patrice Harris and the daughter of Richard Harris. Have a blessed 18th birthday year Aniya!

The Birthday Corner



Bryson Barham
celebrated his two year
old birthday September
21, 2022.

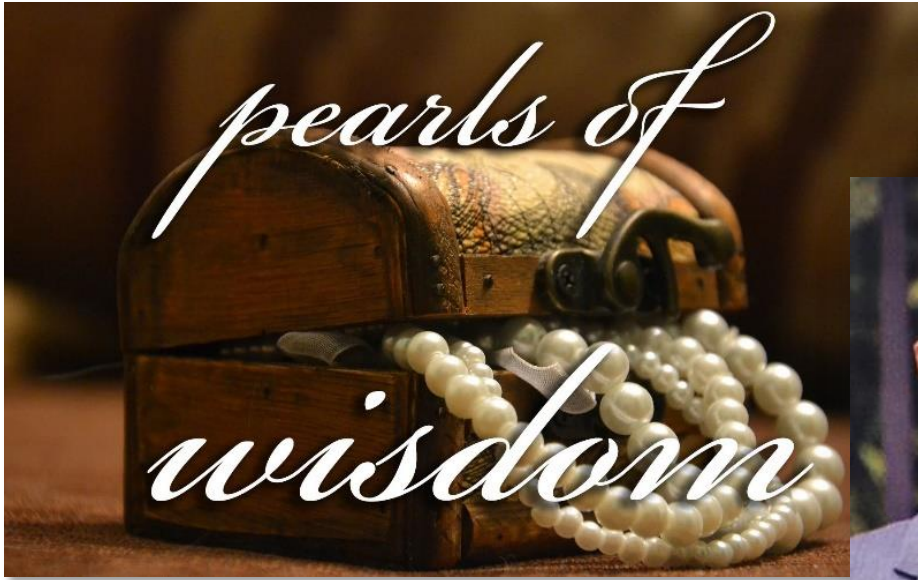
Tori Barham
celebrated her 4 year
old birthday
September 20, 2022



Pictured above is Tori Barham

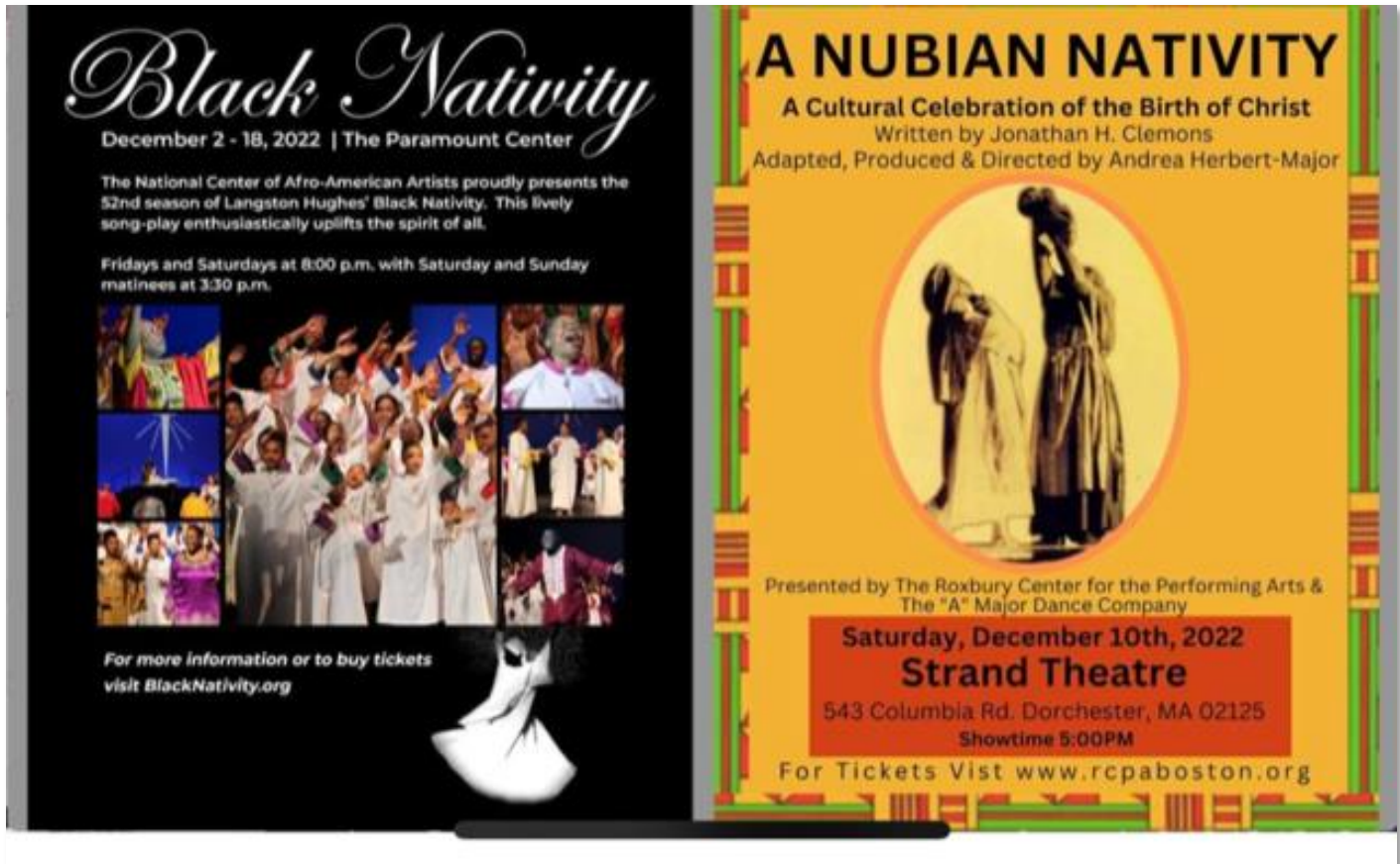
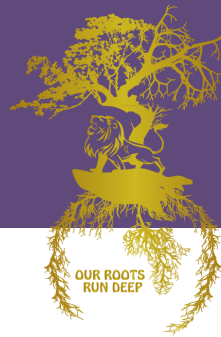
Happy Birthday to both darling children!

Pearls of Wisdom



The following are some of Ricky's Rules to live by:

1. Be kind to people, even when they are not around. How you treat and talk about people behind their backs says a lot.
2. Take care of yourself. People are watching. How you care about yourself indicates how you will care for others.
3. Love unconditionally.
4. Know how to use the tools of your trade.
5. Be courageous. If you mean to do it, don't let the preparation for the journey distract you from getting on with the journey.



Joe "Karstan" and Kafi Meadows Cash invite those of you in the Boston area to attend the Black Nativity and Nubian Nativity productions. Our very own Jasiri Cash, will once again, be in both productions.

Guidelines for the Cash-Neill Education Fund

WHY do we have the Cash-Neill Education Fund? The purpose of the Fund is to invest monies in the youth of the family and encourage educational achievement.

WHO is eligible to receive a monetary award from the Fund?

- A. Winners of the Cash-Neill Youth Essay Challenge (No entries this school year).
- B. Family high school and GED graduates

WHAT are the amounts of the monetary awards?

- A. The amounts that will be awarded for the Youth Essay Challenge 1st place winners are currently \$75 (high school) \$50 (middle school) and \$25 (elementary)
- B. The amount of the monetary award for high school and GED graduates currently is \$100.

HOW and WHEN do prospective high school and GED graduates apply for a graduation award?

- A. To receive the high school award, the prospective high school /GED graduate is responsible for: Completing the notice of graduation form (found on the Cash Neill Family website) and emailing the form to the CashNeillSteeringCommittee7@gmail.com. The completed notification form should be emailed to the Committee as soon as the graduate candidate knows for sure that they will be eligible to graduate. The Subject heading of the email should note: "Education Committee".
- B. The high school graduate candidate must also email acceptable documentation of graduation completion (e.g., copy of diploma or GED completion certification) to the CashNeillSteeringCommittee7@gmail.com.

How to Give Funds to the Cash-Neill Family Education Fund

If you would like to invest and give funds to the Cash-Neill Family Education Fund you may do so by electronic transfer into a special family account which is currently being handled by the Education Sub-committee members Keretha Cash, Michele Rosas and Crystal Duhart. If you have Zelle account with your bank, add Keretha Cash's phone number 608 212 2294 or you may use her email keretha@gmail.com to deposit into the Education Fund Zelle account. Alternatively, you may send a cashier's check or money order to the following address:

Keretha Mae Cash
1775 Linnerud Dr. #101
Sun Prairie, WI 53590-3610

A regular update will be provided on the second Sunday family call and the Cash-Neill family newsletter, on our progress in collecting donations. To date _\$2,100 has been contributed.

Thank you for your investment in our family.

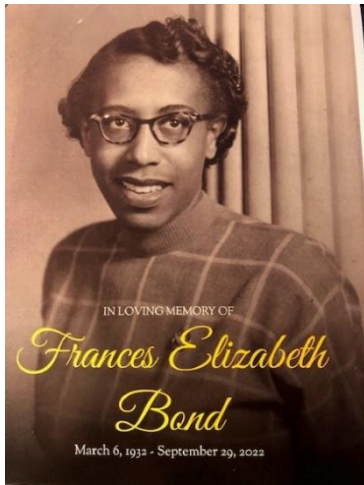


IN REMEMBRANCE OF



Frances Elizabeth Bond

March 6, 1932 – September 29, 2022



Frances Elizabeth Bond, name meaning “Free One” and “God is my oath” was called into eternal rest by the Lord on September 29, 2022, at the age of 90. “And I heard a voice from heaven saying unto me, Write, Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord from henceforth: Yea, saith the Spirit, that they may rest from their labours; and their works do follow them” (Revelation 14:13).

Frances was born to the late Harriet Neill Warren in Hendersonville, North Carolina, on March 6, 1932. She was raised in North Carolina and graduated from Stephens Lee High School, Asheville, NC. Upon graduation, Frances joined the United States Army

and worked in a medical unit and was responsible for duties in the OB/GYN department. Frances served in the military during a time in which segregation was prevalent; she had many stories to tell about the obstacles she had to overcome. When Frances left the military, she briefly returned home to North Carolina and then went to business school in Washington, D.C. She left Washington, D.C. and moved to New York. While living in New York City she saw a pedestrian get hit by a car and when the driver kept going Frances decided New York was not the place for her. Frances headed out west to Denver, Colorado and made that her home. She lived there and raised her beautiful daughter Dana, lovingly called ‘Dainty’ until they all moved to Columbus, Ohio in 1970.

While in Columbus, Ohio, Frances graduated from Columbus Paraprofessional School and obtained her Certified Medical Assistant certificate. When she attended Columbus Paraprofessional School, she spent many late nights studying and with the help of her late husband Lloyd, she would ensure all household obligations were properly maintained. She took pride in ensuring her nursing uniform was gleamingly white, starched and ironed as if it came from the local dry cleaners and her white nursing shoes were polished to perfection.

For many years Frances was a faithful member of The Original Glorious Church of God in Christ in Columbus, Ohio. While she was there, she was a Minister, Sunday School Teacher, and served on the Nurses Guild and Usher Board.

Frances was very detail oriented. She had a candid and well-intentioned personality which was sprinkled with care and compassion. From scriptures, to Bible history, proper etiquette, to proper grammar, Frances loved to teach. She would jokingly say, “well, that person has not been to Frances’ Finishing School” or “that person needs to come to Frances’ Finishing School”. Those who knew Frances will have their own stories and memories to share (smile).

Frances is preceded in death by her husband, James Lloyd Bond; mother, Harriet Neill; sister, Eleanor Lewis; and niece, Patrice Harris. Left to cherish her memories are her: daughter Dana and son-in-law Gerald Strother of Surprise, Arizona; granddaughter Natara Strother of Chesapeake Beach, MD; grandson Gerald Strother II of Honolulu, HI; grandchildren-in-laws, Johnny Ware and Huong Ngo; great-granddaughters Kristiana and Myana Ware, and Zi’Kai and Aiko’Kai Strother; nieces Carol (Stephen) Rosas and Pam (Sean) Keith. Frances also leaves behind to cherish her memory, beloved half-siblings, cousins, family, friends, and church family.

IN REMEMBRANCE OF CONTINUED



Frances Elizabeth Bond

March 6, 1932 – September 29, 2022

Frances would like to leave this scripture of comfort for her family and friends. "But I would not have you to be ignorant, brethren, concerning them which are asleep, that ye sorrow not, even as others which have no hope. For if we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so them also which sleep in Jesus will God bring with him. For this we say unto you by the word of the Lord, that we which are alive and remain unto the coming of the Lord shall not prevent them which are asleep. For the Lord himself shall descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of the archangel, and with the trump of God: and the dead in Christ shall rise first: then we which are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds, to meet the Lord in the air: and so shall we ever be with the Lord. Wherefore comfort one another with these words (I Thessalonians 4: 13-18).

Frances had a private homegoing service on Wednesday, October 12, 2022 at The National Memorial Cemetery of Arizona which was officiated by her nephew-in-law, Bishop Stephen Rosas of San Diego, CA.

The family would like to thank everyone for the outpouring of prayers, love, and support during this difficult time. (Obituary submitted by her granddaughter, Natara Strother.)

IN REMEMBRANCE OF



Edward Richard Cash, Sr.

Sunrise: February 5, 1953—November 15, 2022

Edward Richard Cash, Jr. aka Rick aka Ricky was born February 5, 1953 in San Antonio, Texas to Edward, Sr. and Joan Young Cash. He spent his formative years in Boston, Massachusetts. Rick had a story and some advice for just about everything from training to run a race to making the perfect salmon filet. Whether you asked for it or not, he had it to give, find, share, or create. His legacy is carried on by his friend of 51 and wife of 37 years, Arlene Wesley Cash; children, Eric (Ariel), Winston, and David; and one grandchild, Oliver; 4 surviving siblings, Donna Cash Wise, Marc, Karsten (Kafi), and Stephen (Claudette) West; and paternal aunts and uncle, Edith Cash Sloan, Rose Cash Kittrell and

David L. Cash, Sr.; 28 nieces and nephews and a host of cousins and extended family. He is preceded in the celestial plain by his parents JoAnn Young Cash and Edward, Sr. a brother Eddie Ledbetter Cash and Sisters Deborah and Sheila. He is fondly remembered by the students he served in the Boston Public Schools and Spelman College.

He was a graduate of Boston Technical High School, Boston University (AA and BS Degrees), and the University of Arkansas (and thus, a lifelong, card-carrying, name carved in the brick of their sidewalk, Razorback) where he received his master's degree in Information Technology. He also studied horticultural sciences while at Umass Amherst. While he was trained in computer sciences, all who knew him knew that his avocation was photography. Whether he was invited to do so or not, Rick was the photographer at any wedding, reunion, party, or program he found himself attending. He even had a letter from Michelle Obama thanking him for his service during her visit to Spelman College! And speaking of Spelman College, there was no day he enjoyed going to work more than Sundays, to do sound management at Sisters Chapel. There was never a Sunday afternoon when he came home and didn't have something to say about services. The messages, the guest speakers, the student performances and presentations and the camaraderie blessed him immeasurably. To hear him tell it, no greater honor could have been given than his designation as Minister Cash, Ministry of Technology.

Ricky also served as a contributing member of the Cash-Neill Family Steering Committee. He made invaluable contributions to our virtual and on-site family reunions and family website.

Rick was a friend to everyone. Really, a true and real friend. If he had to go through the line of a new cashier at Walmart, he was sure to stop at his "friend's" line to say hello. He had a way of knowing what you needed without having to really tell him and it became his mission to fulfill that need. Some of his rules to live by can be found under the "Pearls of Wisdom" article in this issue of the family Newsletter.

Rick had so much to deal with on his journey—dialysis, cancer, hypertension and heart disease. He never let the medications, the treatments, or even the sometimes-disappointing diagnosis get in the way of living his life. He lived and loved fully and would want each of those he leaves behind to do as well.

*** (From Edward R. Cash, Jr's obituary with a few additions.)*

FAMILY BIRTHDAYS

September

Dana Strother--September 3

Zarek Jones—September 18

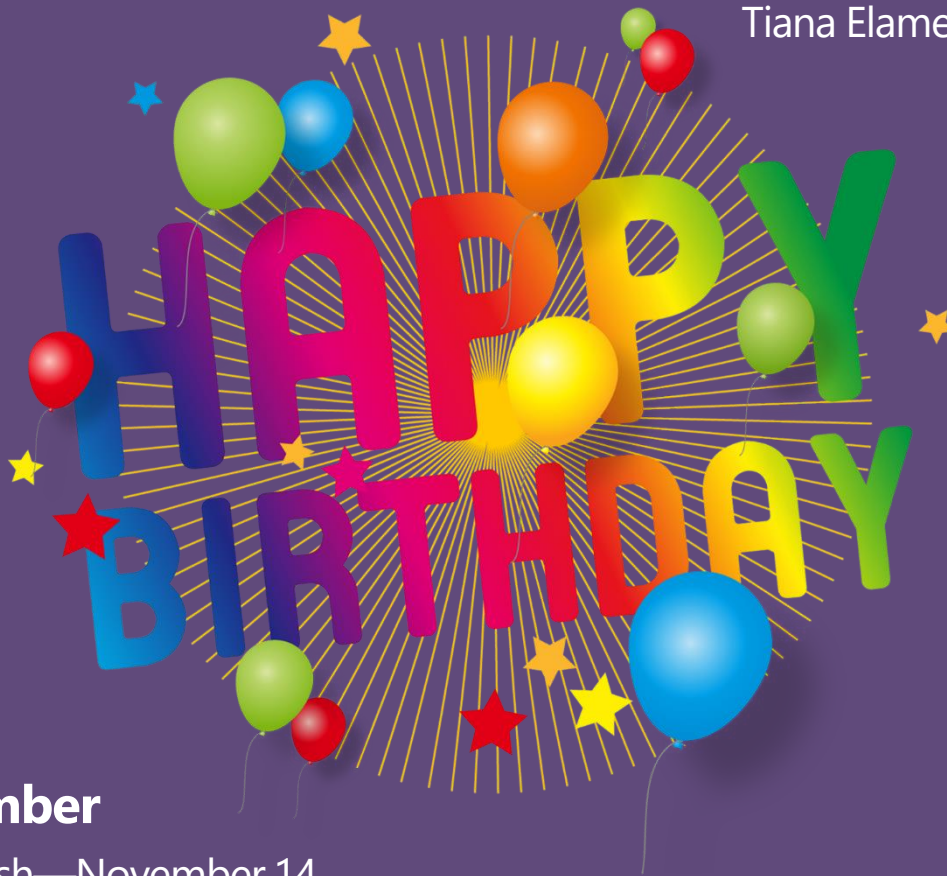
Melinda and Melissa Cash

September 20

October

Wirlen Elame—October 17

Tiana Elame—October 22



November

Anita Cash—November 14

December

Sherrene Kittrell Jones—December 8

Andrea Kittrell—December 12

Congratulations!