

# The Life and Legacy of Elder Dr. Andrew Lee Lofton

Elder Dr. Andrew Lee Lofton was a revered pastor, preacher, and musician who dedicated his life to serving the Lord and his community. This document celebrates his journey from a young minister to the esteemed Pastor of Christ Temple Apostolic Faith Church in Dayton, Ohio. We will explore his unwavering faith, multifaceted ministry, and the profound impact he had on countless lives through his leadership, teachings, and compassionate spirit.

## A Life of Faithful Service and Leadership

#### 1954: Spiritual Awakening

Elder Lofton was saved and began his walk with the Lord at Bethesda Temple Apostolic Faith Church under Bishop Ralph Bass. For 14 years, he served faithfully and received his call to ministry.

#### Late 1960s: New Beginnings

The Lord led Elder Lofton to Christ Temple Apostolic Faith Church under Bishop Fred Majors. He quickly became an integral part of the church, serving as Assistant Pastor for 23 years.

#### 1989: Expanded Leadership

Upon retirement, Elder Lofton was appointed Chief Executive Officer, overseeing the entire church under the pastor's guidance.

#### 1992: Pastoral Calling

On March 29, Elder Lofton was elected Pastor of Christ Temple following Bishop Majors' passing. He led the church with zeal, faithfulness, and compassion.

### A Multifaceted Ministry



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Anointed



Gifted Musician



Seasoned



Compassionate

#### Preacher

As a composer andElder Lofton wasmusician, he wroteknown for hissongs that uplifted thepowerful and inspiringcongregation andsermons that touchedinspired joyful praise.hearts andtransformed lives.

#### Teacher

His wisdom and knowledge of the scriptures made him an exceptional Sunday School teacher and mentor.

#### Leader

Elder Lofton's kindness and generosity touched many lives, always prioritizing the welfare of his flock.

Elder Dr. Andrew Lee Lofton's legacy is one of unwavering faith, integrity, and love for God and His people. His multifaceted ministry and compassionate spirit left an indelible mark on the Christ Temple Apostolic Faith Church and the broader community. As a faithful servant who remained steadfast to the end, Elder Lofton embodied the rare qualities described in Proverbs 20:6, "Most men will proclaim every one his own goodness; but a faithful man who can find?" His life serves as an inspiring example of devoted Christian leadership and service.