



Aldwin Emmanuel Toppin

January 7, 1940 - November 15, 2025

It is with deep love and heartfelt remembrance that the family of Aldwin Emmanuel Toppin announces his peaceful passing on November 15th, 2025, at the age of 85. A devoted husband, father, grandfather, and steadfast provider, Aldwin leaves behind a legacy built on compassion, generosity, and quiet strength.

Born in Trinidad and Tobago WI, to the late Phillippa Cooper and Herbert Toppin. Raised in the village of Blanchisseuse, he later moved into the suburbs of Laventille Port-of-Spain where he met many of his childhood friends. He was raised in a family whose values shaped his character, faith, work ethic, not to mention his great cooking skills and sense of humor. Guided by courage and determination, he later migrated to the United States, where he built a meaningful life rooted in opportunity, hard work, and deep love for his growing family.

A talented carpenter and respected businessman, Aldwin was known for his gifted hands, meticulous craftsmanship, and unwavering integrity. His work touched many lives and part of his legacy lives on in the many buildings and homes he helped renovate and construct throughout the Tri-State area, including Medgar Evers and York Colleges in NYC, where he owned MicPatcam Construction Inc., a successful contracting company which he ran for many years with his business partners Taylor and his brother Martin. The

business was named after all of their children at the time.

Aldwin's kindness and magnetic personality touched even more. Whether building with tools or building up the people around him, he approached every task with patience, humility, and pride.

Aldwin is lovingly remembered by his devoted wife of 54 years, Brenda Toppin, his three daughters Camille, Cindy and Abigail, as well as his cherished stepson, Carlton(Carly). Among his greatest joys were his beautiful grandchildren: Jamil, Jada, Nya, Jeremy, and his newest, Zebulon, each of whom brought unmatched joy and light into his life.

He is also survived by his beloved siblings: brothers Charlie, Martin, Franklyn and Anne, as well as his late sisters Patsy and Fermin (Phyllis). His nieces, nephews, cousins and in-laws span from all over the Eastern United States to the Island of Trinidad and Tobago. And throughout his life's journey, Aldwin kept his family close to his heart, no matter the distance or time.

A man of deep Catholic faith, Aldwin lived with gratitude, compassion, and a quiet spirit of service. He was always ready to offer wisdom and help without hesitation, and love without condition. He was a praying man, a generous man and a provider, who believed strongly in taking care of his loved ones. His presence was steady and comforting—a true anchor for his family and all who knew him.

After a long, full, and blessed life, Aldwin will be laid to rest in McDonough, Georgia, the place he called home during his latter years.

As we honor his memory, we celebrate a life well lived and a legacy that will continue to inspire for generations to come.

We will always love you, "Daddy", "Papa", "Grandpa", "Aldwin", "Al", "Tonto", "Uncle Tont". May you rest in eternal peace.

Celebration of Life Services for Aldwin Toppin will be held on Saturday, November 22, 2025 at 12PM. These services will be recorded and streamed live. If the event is interrupted at any time due to technical issues, the entire event will be uploaded and available to view later in the day. Please copy and paste the link to share, or simply click on the link to view the event.

<https://vimeo.com/event/5529599>

Previous Events

Viewing

NOV **22**. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

W.D. Lemon & Sons Funeral Home - McDonough Chapel
300 Griffin Street
McDonough, GA 30253
(770) 957-4337
info@wdlemonfuneralhome.com

Service

NOV **22**. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *W.D. Lemon & Sons Funeral Home created a Aldwin Toppin Live Stream in memory of Aldwin Emmanuel Toppin*



W.D. Lemon & Sons Funeral Home - November 18, 2025 at 05:17 PM

DL

“ *In lieu of flowers, the family kindly requests donations be made to the Emory Winship Cancer Institute on behalf of our family in the memory of Aldwin Toppin. Contributions can be sent to the QR code attached. The family would prefer the donations be made to the Winship Patient Assistance Fund, but please feel free to give to any cause that touches your heart.*



Dana L. Lemon - November 18, 2025 at 11:58 AM



“ *2 files added to the album Funeral Program*



W.D. Lemon & Sons Funeral Home - November 24, 2025 at 02:09 PM

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“ Dear Brother - May the Lord bless you and keep you, may the Lord let his face shine upon you, may the Lord be gracious on to you. May the Lord give Aldwin his peace.

Amen

Kelvin Toppin (Charlie) - November 22, 2025 at 02:37 PM

DR

“ Deborah Reid purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Aldwin Emmanuel Toppin.



Deborah Reid - November 21, 2025 at 04:08 PM

MF

“ Marjorie Jean and Family purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Aldwin Emmanuel Toppin.



Marjorie Jean and Family - November 21, 2025 at 01:11 PM

MF

“ Marjorie Jean and Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Aldwin Emmanuel Toppin.

Marjorie Jean and Family - November 21, 2025 at 01:11 PM



“ Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Aldwin Emmanuel Toppin.



November 21, 2025 at 12:49 PM



“ The Nozart Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Aldwin Emmanuel Toppin.

The Nozart Family - November 21, 2025 at 12:49 PM



“ Aldwyn has always been an inspiration to me..he walked my daughter in law down the isle when her dad couldn't make it. He encouraged me to buy a house in nyc..he even put the rest of the money at his basement rental when I couldn't afford it being new to this country..I got nothing but love from him and family..he will b greatly missed.

CHERYL Ann ALLISON MCNEIL - November 21, 2025 at 10:03 AM



“ Love Always Cags and Family purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Aldwin Emmanuel Toppin.



Love Always Cags and Family - November 20, 2025 at 08:28 PM

CC

“ *Toppin Family,*

You are in my sincerest thoughts and prayers as you all cherish the memory of your loving father. Sending huge hugs...

Chansi Coleman - November 20, 2025 at 06:44 PM

EM

“ *Eric montaque purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Aldwin Emmanuel Toppin.*



Eric montaque - November 20, 2025 at 03:55 PM

EM

“ *Eric montaque planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Aldwin Emmanuel Toppin.*

Eric montaque - November 20, 2025 at 03:55 PM

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“ *My most sincere condolences to the Toppin family as they remember who they call the G.O.A T. He had to be the greatest of all time because for years I've known the Toppin Princesses. Esp. Camille & Jamil. The ladies look like and reflect dad in behavior. Mr. Aldwin, well done. You were good and you were faithful.*

Nicole & Sharmaine Fisher

One Love 🇺🇸 ❤️

Nicole - November 20, 2025 at 12:26 AM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Aldwin Emmanuel Toppin.



November 19, 2025 at 08:54 PM



“ Rest in peace to Uncle Aldwin. I only remember meeting him once when I was little but I will forever cherish that moment and I offer my deepest condolences and thoughts and prayers to his wife, kids, grandkids and siblings. We will miss you. Rest up easy

Andre Toppin Jr. - November 19, 2025 at 06:24 PM



“ Andre C. purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Aldwin Emmanuel Toppin.



Andre C. - November 19, 2025 at 06:21 PM



“ Andre C. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Aldwin Emmanuel Toppin.

Andre C. - November 19, 2025 at 06:21 PM

TF

“ The Wynter Family purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Aldwin Emmanuel Toppin.



The Wynter Family - November 18, 2025 at 12:52 PM

TF

“ The Wynter Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Aldwin Emmanuel Toppin.

The Wynter Family - November 18, 2025 at 12:52 PM

YW

“ Sending my sincere condolences to the Toppin family. Love you Camille ❤️

Yolanda Thomas-Wright

Yolanda Wright - November 18, 2025 at 11:58 AM

CT

Love you back Yo-yo

Camille Toppin-Alphelon - November 18, 2025 at 12:46 PM

CT

“ Love you forever Daddy...



Camille Toppin-Alphelon - November 17, 2025 at 06:00 PM