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Harold Louis Walls
August 15, 2026

November 9, 1953
birth

June 1, 2026
death

GATHERING

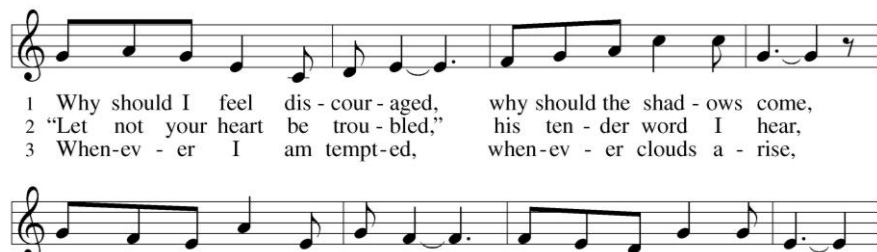
PRELUDE

GREETING AND WELCOME

- P** The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God,
and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.
- AU** **And also with you.**
- P** When we were baptized in Christ Jesus,
we were baptized into his death.
We were buried therefore with him by baptism into death,
so that as Christ was raised from the dead
by the glory of the Father, we too might live a new life.
- AU** **For if we have been united with him in a death like his,
we shall certainly be united with him in a resurrection like his.**

PROCESSIONAL HYMN

"His Eye Is on the Sparrow"



1 Why should I feel dis - cour - aged, why should the shad - ows come,
2 "Let not your heart be trou - bled," his ten - der word I hear,
3 When - ev - er I am tempt - ed, when - ev - er clouds a - rise,

why should my heart be lone - ly and long for heav'n and home,
and rest - ing on his good - ness, I lose my doubts and fears;
when song gives place to sigh - ing, when hope with - in me dies,



when Je - sus is my por - tion? My con - stant friend is he:
though by the path he leads me but one step I may see:
I draw the clos - er to him, from care he sets me free:

his eye is on the spar - row, and I know he watch - es me;
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Refrain

I sing be - cause I'm hap - py, I sing be - cause I'm free,
for his eye is on the spar - row, and I know he watch - es me.

Text: Civilla D. Martin, 1860–1948
Music: SPARROW, Charles H. Gabriel, 1856–1932

PRAYER OF THE DAY

- P** Let us pray.
- O God of grace and glory,
we remember before you today our brother, Harold Louis.
We thank you for giving him to us to know and to love
as a companion in our pilgrimage on earth.
In your boundless compassion, console us who mourn.
Give us your aid, so we may see in death the gate to eternal life,
that we may continue our course on earth in confidence
until, by your call, we are reunited
with those who have gone before us;
through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

AU **Amen.**

WORD

POEM

"In Memories of"

by Harold Combs

READINGS

*Each scripture reading will end, "Word of God. Word of life."
Please respond **"Thanks be to God."***

First Reading

Isaiah 25:6-9

Second Reading

Revelation 22:1-5

Gospel

John 13:31-35

SERMON

MUSICAL REFLECTION

"Dancing in the Sky"

by Dani and Lizzy

THE PRAYERS

*Each petition will end "God of mercy,"
Please respond **"hear our prayer."***

LORD'S PRAYER (1789)

**All Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name,
thy kingdom come,
thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread;
and forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us;
and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory,
forever and ever. Amen.**

REMEMBRANCES

SENDING

HYMN

"Soon and Very Soon"

(hymn) 439

FAREWELL AND COMMENDATION

- P** Harold, our companion in faith,
we entrust you to God.
Go forth from this world in the love of God who created you,
in the mercy of Jesus who died for you,
in the power of the Holy Spirit who receives and protects you.
- All May you rest in peace and rise in glory,
where pain and grief are banished,
and life and joy are yours forever.**
- P** Into your hands, O merciful Savior,
and in the sure and certain hope of the resurrection
we commend your servant, Harold Louis.
Acknowledge, we humbly beseech you, a sheep of your own fold,
a lamb of your own flock, a sinner of your own redeeming.
Receive him into the arms of your mercy,
into the blessed rest of everlasting peace,
and into the glorious company of the saints in light.
- P** Rest eternal grant him, O Lord;
All and let light perpetual shine upon him.

BLESSING

- P** The risen Christ give you all joy and peace in believing
that you may abound in hope.
Almighty God, Father, † Son, and Holy Spirit
bless you now and forever.
- All Amen.**
- Let us go forth in peace.
- All In the name of Christ. Amen.**

POSTLUDE

The congregation is invited to gather for lunch and mutual conversation and consolation.

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SERVING TODAY

Pastor Melissa Pohlman	<i>presiding</i>
Abigail Pribbenow	<i>assisting minister</i>
Josalyn Thomas, <i>niece</i>	<i>reader</i>
Harold Combs, <i>son</i>	<i>remembrances</i>
Iyani	<i>soloist</i>
Joel Bolen	<i>organist</i>
Mark Kieffer	<i>sound operator</i>

THANK YOU

Harold's family would like to thank you for your thoughts and prayers. The memories that you have shared with us, along with your presence here today, have been greatly appreciated.

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✠ Harold Walls

1953 – 2026



With profound love and cherished memories, we celebrate the life of Harold Louis Walls who peacefully departed this life on June 1, 2026, in Sacramento, California at the age of 72.

He was born on November 9, 1953, in Minneapolis, Minnesota. Harold lived a full life with purpose, laughter, and love, after retiring he embraced life to the fullest. Truly living his best life while enjoying California's beautiful weather.

Harold was a devoted family man and a successful limousine company owner and a true automotive enthusiast. Cars weren't just a hobby they were a part of who he was. He could identify nearly any car from the style of their taillights or headlights.

He also found joy in grilling (Anything beef, LOL) He loved his beef ribs. His favorite meal was steak and lobster.

Harold's greatest pride was his family. He leaves behind his beloved only child Harold Louis Combs who will forever carry on his father's love, wisdom and legacy.

He is also lovingly remembered by his dear sister Barbara Ann Thomas; his cherished nieces, Tyra Thomas and Mrs. Kia Noble; his wonderful nephew Floyd Madison; and his beloved grandkids Jamaal Gooding, Ajanae Overstreet, Kalebb Combs, Kourtlin Combs, and Kahmani Combs, along with a host of great-great nieces, cousins and family and friends that were blessed to know him.

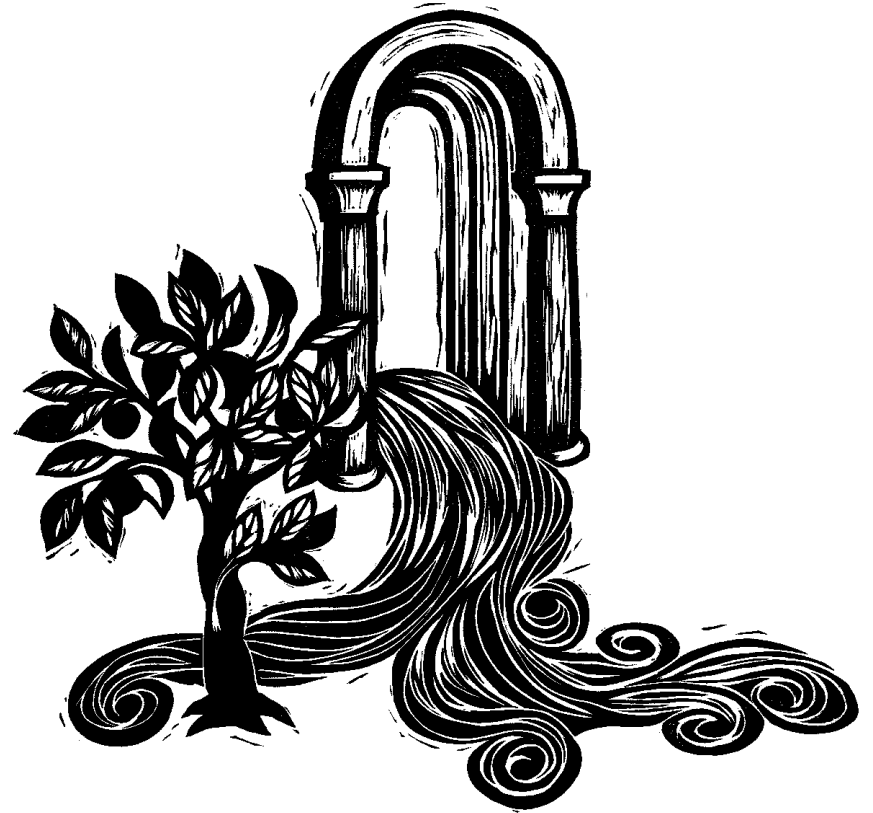
Though our hearts are heavy with his passing we find comfort in the memories he created, the lessons he taught, and the love he gave away so freely. Harold's legacy lives on through his family, the lives he touched and the countless stories that will continue to be shared in his honor.

He will be deeply missed, forever loved and never forgotten.

Rest peacefully Skeeter. Your journey on earth is complete,
but your love and legacy will live forever.

Rest eternal grant him, O Lord; and let light perpetual shine upon him.

*Following the service and fellowship time today you are invited
to continue the Celebration of Harold "Skeeter" Walls.
Details will be announced during the fellowship time.*



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