## To Those I Love

To those I love and those that love me, When I am gone, release me, let me go I have so many things to see and do You mustn't tie yourself to me with tears Be happy that we had so many years. I gave you my love, you can only guess How much you gave me in happiness I thank you for the love you each have shown But now it's time I travel alone So grieve for a while for me if you must Then let your grief be comforted by trust. It's only for a while that we must part So bless the memories within your heart I won't be far away, for life goes on So if you need me, call and I will come Though you can't see me or touch me, I'll be near And if you listen with your heart you'll hear All my love around you so soft and clear And then, when you must come this way alone I'll greet you with a smile and say, "Welcome Home."

-Author unknown

### Acknowledgements

Perhaps you sent a lovely card or sat quietly in a chair. Perhaps you sent a floral piece If so, we saw it there. Perhaps you spoke the kindest words as any friend could say. Perhaps you were not there at all just thought of us on that day. Whatever you did to console our hearts, We Thank You, Whatever the part.

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# Sgt. John Albert

Sunrise January 1, 1932

In Loving

Memory

of

Sunset December 24, 2012

<u>Service</u> Saturday, January 5, 2013 - 10:00 a.m.

### **Cotton Funeral Service**

1025 Bergen Street Newark, New Jersey

# Order of Service

Musical Prelude

Processional

Opening Hymn

Scripture Reading Old Testament New Testament

Prayer of Comfort

Selection

Acknowledgement / Resolutions

Remarks (2 minutes please)

Obituary Selection

Eulogy

Recessional

Interment Rosehill Cemetery Linden, New Jersey

# Obituary

**John Robert Albert** was born January 1, 1932 in Elizabeth, New Jersey, son of the late Nelson and Thelma Albert. He departed this life on Monday, December 24, 2012 at Trinates Hospital in Elizabeth, NJ.

John was educated in Roselle Public education system. He attended and graduated from Lincoln Elementary School and Thomas Jefferson High School in 1950.

John took his first full time job in 1950 as a checker for Jersey Central Railroad in Jersey City, New Jersey, along with part time employment as a bartender at several different locations. In 1954, he became a manager at the Savoy Lounge located in Elizabeth, NJ. In 1974, John became a Union County Correctional Officer, were he received several accommodation and retired as a Sgt. in 1995.

As a young man, John found a love for many things such as fishing, hunting, bowling and playing pool. His favorite love was for his family. He always put them first. He did a lot of traveling with them and did what ever it took to please and make them happy. His favorite pass time was singing. John had a beautiful voice that he shared it with many.

John lived a happy full life and if you knew him, you know he did it all his way.

John was preceded in death by his brother, Nelson C. Albert, Jr. and stepfather, Leroy Williams.

He is survived by his daughter, Nicole Albert; two grand kids, Christian Gittens and Paris Womack; niece, Sandanna C. Jones; three nephews, Nelson and Derrick Albert, Antonio Jones; sisterin-law, Alice Jones; aunt, Ruth J. Ruffin; cousins, Vincent, Kareen Wepprecht and Marci Richardson; eight great niece and nephews; life long friend, Rose Harrison; and a host of loving friends.