# A Heart Of Gold

A heart of gold stopped beating,
Two shining eyes at rest,
God broke our hearts to prove
He only takes the best,
God knows you had to leave us,
But you didn't go alone,
For part of us went with you,
The day He took you home.
To some you will be forgotten,
To others, just part of the past,
But to us who loved and lost you,
Your memory will always last.



## <u>Acknowledgement</u>

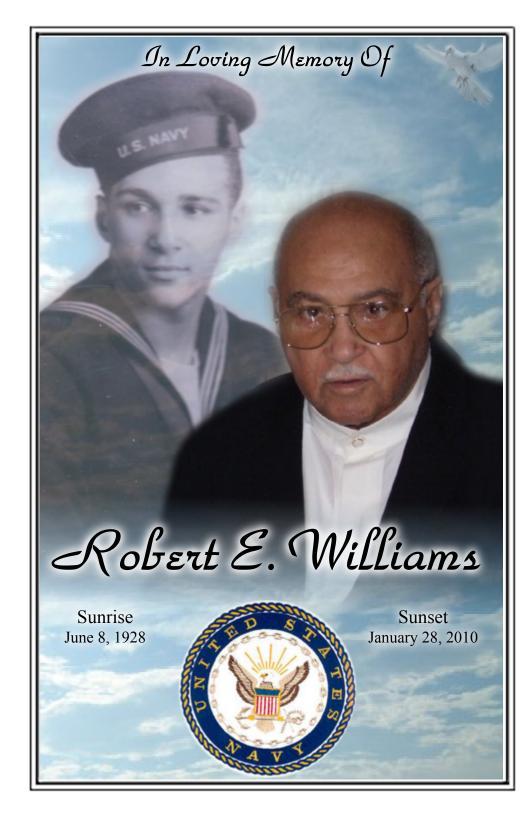
The family of **Robert E. Williams** would like to express their sincere gratitude and appreciation for the many prayers and kindnesses shown during this time of bereavement May God bountifully bless each of you!

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## Obituary

Robert Eugene Williams was born on June 8, 1928 to Ruby V. Jones and the late Virgil Williams in Newark, New Jersey. He was educated in the Newark Public Schools. Bob joined the U.S. Navy at the age of sixteen, in 1944, where he served on the Pearl Harbor Vessel.

On March 13, 1948, Bob wed Queen Esther Johnson. To this union four children were born, Sandy, Robert Jr. (Ida), Vance and Kim (Keith). In 1961, he began working as a Longshoreman at Port Newark where he later became a hiring agent until his retirement in 1999. In 1973, Bob helped found the Local 1233 Federal Credit Union where he served as Treasurer for many years.

Bob loved his "Bible Study" but more than anything he loved his family. Family was everything to him, but he never hesitated to help others as well. Bob was an extremely generous man and there isn't a member of his family who hasn't been the recipient of an act of kindness by him, or teased in a loving way.

Bob was blessed with a loving wife of sixty-one years, Esther Williams, who will forever cherish his memory. Along with his children, he is also survived by his mother, his dear nephew Kenneth H.E Johnson, whom he loved like a son; ten grandchildren, Gary, Lance (Rita), Tasha (Fred), Robbie, Janna (Leon), Lauren, Alana, Katrina, Keith and Katrice; nine great grandchildren, Deshon (Val), Michael, Blair, Tia, Matthew, Daniel, Jayla, Laci and Elijah; daughter-in-law, Lorraine; along with many other loving relatives and friends. He also leaves to cherish his memory his nieces and nephew, Arlene, Aleta, Ruby, Artie Jr., Renee and Mary, from his predeceased brother, Arthur V. Williams.

## Order of Service

Monday, February 1, 2010 - 11:00 a.m.

#### GOOD NEIGHBOR BAPTIST CHURCH

100 Chancellor Avenue • Newark, New Jersey

Rev. Dr. George Blackwell, III - Officiating

**Processional** 

Prayer of Comfort

Old Testament Reading

New Testament Reading

Musical Selection

Acknowledgements

Obituary

Reflections

Musical Selection

The Message
Rev. Dr. George Blackwell, III

Recessional

### **Interment**

Graceland Memorial Park Kenilworth, New Jersey

Following the interment, family and friends are invited to return to the church for the repast.