

*In Loving Memory  
of*

# *Maurice Foster*

*Sunrise*  
March 27, 1946

*Sunset*  
July 21, 2010

## Services

Wednesday, August 4, 2010 - 11:00 a.m.

## **CALVARY GOSPEL CHURCH**

17 Lyons Avenue  
Newark, New Jersey

*Pastor Steven B. Davis, Officiating*

## Obituary

**Mr. Maurice Foster**, was born on March 27, 1946 in Newark, New Jersey to the late Charlie Auburn and Mrs. Christine Williams. He departed this earthly life on Wednesday, July 21, 2010.

Maurice was educated in the Newark Public School system. He proudly enlisted in the United States Army in 1966 and received his Honorable Discharge in 1969. He attended Essex County College, where he majored in Business Administration. He was a brother in Prince Hall Masonic Lodge in Newark, New Jersey.

He was employed at The United States Post Office in Kearny, New Jersey and he retired from Christ Hospital in Jersey City, New Jersey, where he worked as an OR Technician.

Maurice was affectionately, loved and cherished by his family and friends. Family was very important to him. He treasured the times he spent talking with his daughter, LaKisa who preceded him in death, and his granddaughter, Jameia Foster. He was an avid Philadelphia Eagles fan, and he will always be remembered for his love of dogs.

He leaves to cherish his memories: his mother, Mrs. Christine Williams; stepfather, Joseph Lee Johnson; one granddaughter, Jameia Marcella Foster; three sisters, Louise J. Cooper, Gwendolyn Starks and Catherine Johnson (Joe Fullman); and a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

We, the family, humbly submit to the Almighty will of God. Maurice, we are not saying farewell, for we know in the Great getting up Morning we shall meet again, in a moment, in a twinkling of an eye. So we say good night for now. We will see you in the morning when the Great Trumpet Sounds. Sleep on Maurice and take your rest, we all love you much but God loved you best.

Lovingly and Sorrowfully - The Family

*Order of Service*

*Organ Prelude* ..... *Elder Joseph Lewis Jr.*

*Processional*

*Duet* ..... *Gwendolyn Starks and Ronda Davis*

*Prayer of Comfort* ..... *Deacon Hilliard Davis, Sr.*

*Scriptures*

*Old Testament* ..... *Elder William Oatman III*

*New Testament* ..... *Elder Duane Smith*

*Solo* ..... *Mother Virginia Anderson*

*Family Tribute*

*Acknowledgment of Condolences* ..... *Geraldine Matthews*

*Obituary* ..... *Geraldine Matthews*

*Solo* ..... *Missionary Deborah Smith*

*Eulogy* ..... *Pastor Steven B. Davis*

*Recessional*

***Interment***

*New Jersey Veterans Cemetery  
Arneytown, New Jersey*

# *When Tomorrow Starts Without Me*

*When tomorrow starts without me, and I'm not there to see if the sun should rise and find your eyes, all filled with tears for me. I wish so much you wouldn't cry, the way you did today, while thinking of the many things, we didn't get to say. I know how much you love me, as much as I love you, and each time that you think of me, I know you'll miss me too. But when tomorrow starts without me, please try to understand that an angel came and called my name, and took me by the hand and said, "my place was ready, in heaven far above and that I'd have to leave behind, all those I dearly love." But when I walked through heaven's gates, I felt so much at home. When God looked down and smiled at me, from His great golden throne. He said "This is eternity, and all I've promised you." Today for life on earth is past, but here it starts anew. I promise no tomorrow, for today will always last. And since each day's the same way, there's no longing for the past. So when tomorrow starts without me, don't think we're far apart. For every time you think of me, I'm right here in your heart.*

*-Author unknown*

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*May God Bless and Keep You!*

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