

*Celebration Of
The Life
of*

We little knew that day,
God was going to call your name.

In life we loved you deeply,
In death, we do that same.

It broke our hearts to lose you.
You did not go alone.

For part of us went with you.
The day God called you home.

You left us beautiful memories,
Your love is still our guide.

And although we can not see you,
Our family chain is broken.

And nothing seems the same.
But as God calls us one by one,
The chain will link again.

~ The Family

Pall Bearers

- Mark
- Bernard
- Tyron
- Kashi
- James
- Tyrell



A friend is a gift you give yourself.

*A Man that hath a friend must show
himself friendly and there is a friend
that sticketh closer than a brother.*

Acknowledgements

The family of **Robert Washington** acknowledges with sincere appreciation every thought and act of kindness expressed to us during this our hour of bereavement. We will always keep you in our prayers. May God continue to richly bless you.

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Robert Edward Washington

"Skeeter"

Sunrise
July 28, 1920

Sunset
November 16, 2010

Funeral Service

Monday, November 22, 2010 - 11:00 a.m.

BETHLEHEM MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

1002 Rivington Ave. • Roselle, New Jersey

Rev. Milton A. Byrd, Pastor

*The Loving Hands That
Fed Us On Earth
As It Is In Heaven*



*For there were those who
said. We, our sons and our
daughters are many: Therefore
we take up corn for them that
we may eat and live.*

*Change
of
Address*

*Dear Family and Friends,
I want you to know that I have moved. I
received a call from God, the Chief
Architect, who informed me that my new
house is ready and I could move
immediately. Well, my new home is finished
and its such a beautiful sight to behold. It
is located in an exclusive estate area and it
sits behind a beautiful pearly gate.*

*There is peace, joy and happiness here with
no more pain to bear, no strife or discontent.
I could go on exploring around my new
home but I have to get fitted for my wings.
Let me give you my new address because I
highly recommend you make plans to live
here too.*

Robert "Skeeter" Washington
12 Gates to the City Avenue
Godstown, Heaven 77777.

*Oh yeah! Let me tell you this , I don't have
a telephone yet, but first call God. If you
don't have His number, He is listed in the
Good Book on every page. Contact Him.*

Order of Service

Organ Prelude

Processional

Hymn *“God’s Unchanging Hand”*

Scriptures
Old Testament
New Testament

Prayer of Comfort

Reflections Grandchildren

Solo Deon
“Father Can You Hear Me Now”

Words of Comfort

Acknowledgment of Condolences

Life Reflections (Obituary)

Solo Dorothy Johnson
“My Help Cometh From The Lord”

Eulogy Rev. Milton A. Byrd

Recessional

Interment
Rosehill Cemetery
Linden, New Jersey

Robert “Skeeter” Edward Washington, 90, passed away on Tuesday, November 16, 2010 at home. Born in Columbia, South Carolina, he lived in Linden, New Jersey before moving to Roselle sixty years ago.

Robert was a World War II Army veteran and was awarded the American Service Medal, European African Middle Eastern Service Medal, Good Conduct Medal and World War II Victory Medal.

He retired in 1985 as a Chemical Operator for American Cyanamid Chemical Company (now Cytec Industries, Inc.) in Linden, New Jersey after twenty-five years.

“Skeeter” as he was affectionately called by his family, was a member of several bowling leagues throughout Union and Essex counties, where he received numerous awards and trophies. Some of the leagues were USBC League of Linden, ABC Bowling League of Union and the Essex County Bowling League Association. Robert’s average bowling score was 280. He retired from bowling at the age of 89.

In 1984, he was inducted into the Morris and Charles House of Champions. In 1986, he was inducted into the E.C.B.A. and Essex County Veterans’ Hall of Fame. In 1987-88, he was inducted into the Union County Veterans’ Hall of Fame.

He was predeceased by his wife, Dorothy Washington in 2004.

Surviving are three daughters, Yvonne (Lennie) Chavis, Marsha “Peanut” Williams and Avis Johnson; two sons, James (Marsha) Stevens and Ronald (Brenda) Williams; eleven grandchildren, Kashi (Latoya) Chavis, Dadan Chavis, Estoria Williams, Tyrell Williams, Marcella (Mark) Archer, Kim Wright, Melody Payne, Dorothy Johnson, Jasmine, Joi and Jade Stevens; ten great grandchildren, Tyron, Dontay, Tayjuan, Daniel, Stephon, Tyell, Jah’mir, Mikayla, Taj, Calvin; one great-great grandchild, Janaisa.

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My Farewell

*Our family circle has been broken
link has gone from our chain;
But though we are parted for a while,
We know we will meet again.
Sometimes it's hard to understand
why certain things must be, but there
is a reason for it all, beyond our
power to see. The cover of life's book
is closed for one we loved so well;
But the loving deeds of by-gone days
are what the pages tell. The blow
was hard, the shock severe; We never
thought your death was so near. But
only those who have lost can tell
The pain of parting without farewell.*

-Author unknown



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