



In Loving Memory of
Edward E. Marks

Sunrise
June 30, 1932

Sunset
November 29, 2010

Tuesday, December 7, 2010 - 10:00 a.m.

UNITY FUNERAL CHAPELS, INC.
2352 8th Avenue
New York, New York 10027

Minister Marion Reaves, Officiating

Obituary

Edward Marks was born on June 30, 1932 in Pulaski, Tennessee to Solon Marks and Mortense Black. He departed this life on Monday, November 29, 2010 at the Bronx Veteran Affairs Hospital after a courageous battle with cancer.

In his early years, “Eddie” as he was often called, was the star player of the Bridgeforth High School State Champion Basketball team. In 1951 naturally there wasn’t many other sports to play other than basketball, especially when you are 6’8.

After high school he joined the US Army where he was a corporal for five years. He later served in the US Navy earning a honorable discharge in 1962.

After serving his country Eddie worked in the textile industry for over thirty years until his retirement.

Eddie leaves to cherish his memory: his loving wife of twenty-three years, Maryann Marks; sons, Monty, Anthony and Mickell Marks of NYC, Efreem Marks of New Jersey and Lawrence Harris of Boston, MA; daughters, Jeanette Marks of Peachtree, GA, Lisa Marks and Phyllis Moore of NYC and Beverly Harris of Clinton, MA; daughter-in-law, Monica Marks of NYC; grandsons, Thomas Marks of New Jersey, Trevor and Taylor Marks of Peachtree, GA, Marvin, Isaiah and Isaac Moore of NYC and Justin Harris of CT; granddaughters, Nikeia and Sharon Marks of NYC, Danielle Harris of Columbia, SC; great grandson, Ronald, Jr. of Columbia, SC; sisters-in-law, Matilda Harris, Bernice Eanes, Christine Howell and Mammie Cauldwell all of NYC and Paulette Dewitt of Durham, NC; god daughters, Karen Robinson of Mass and Lynette Youngblood of Ohio; best friends, Godfrey Long and William Lee.

Eddie you will be deeply missed. We pray that your soul will Rest In Peace.

~Maryann and the Family

Order of Divine Worship

“For every thing there is a season, and a time for every purpose under the heaven a time to be born, and a time to die...”

Ecclesiastes 3:1-2

Processional

Prayer of Comfort Minister Marion Reaves

Scripture Reading Minister Marion Reaves

Solo Beverly Harris

Reading of Obituary Christina Burz

Solo Sandra Singleton

Reading of Poem Phyllis Moore

Reflections Open to everone

Solo Beverly Harris

Eulogy Minister Marion Reaves

Committal

Viewing

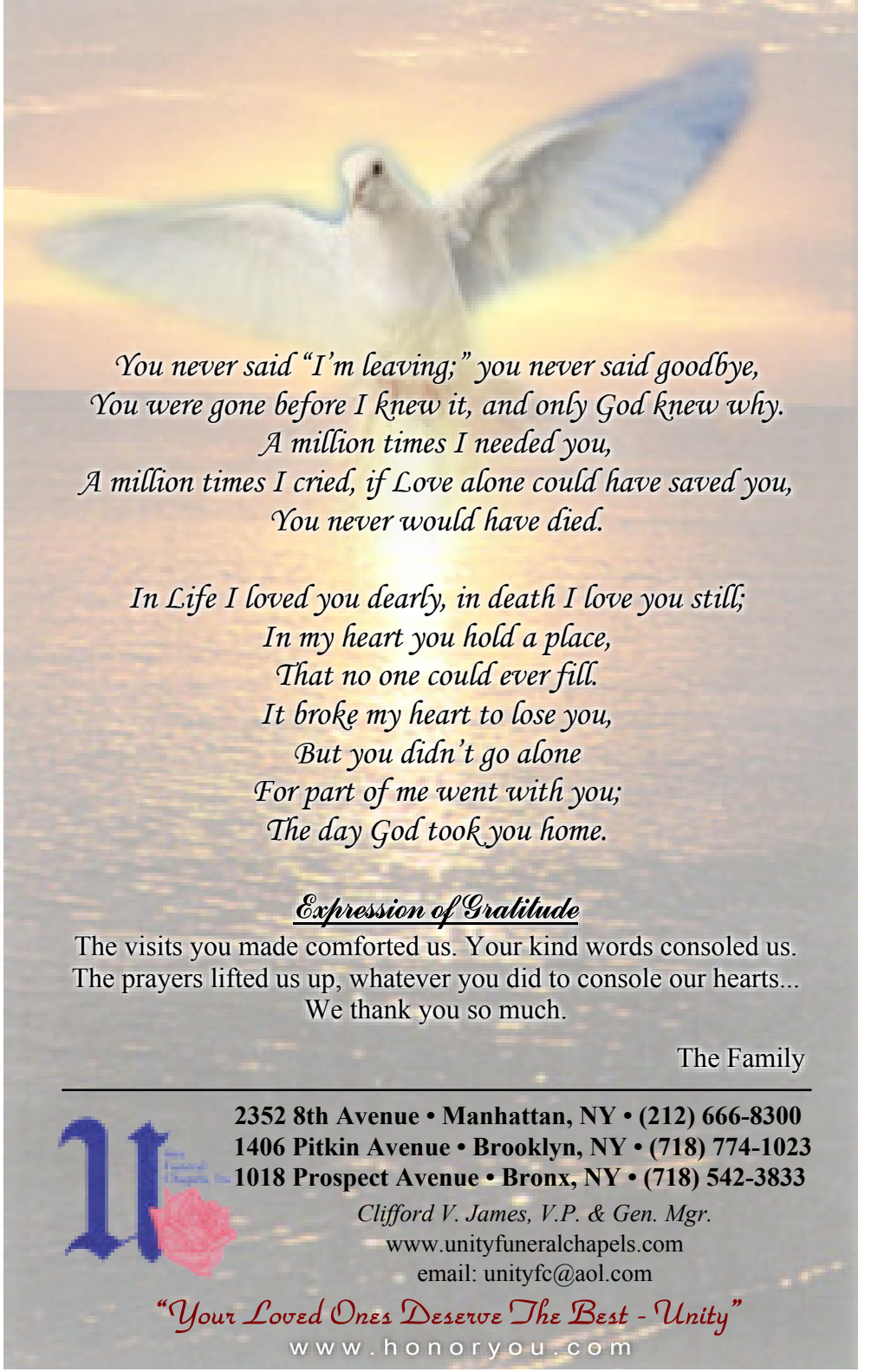
Recessional

Edward Marks Final Earthly Resting Place

Calverton National Cemetery

Calverton, New York

The family will receive friends for fellowship immediately following the committal at either 250 W. 100 Street Apt #1100 New York, NY 10025 Or 1721 Grand Avenue Apt #3C Bronx, NY 10453.



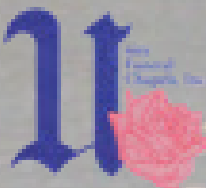
*You never said "I'm leaving;" you never said goodbye,
You were gone before I knew it, and only God knew why.
A million times I needed you,
A million times I cried, if Love alone could have saved you,
You never would have died.*

*In Life I loved you dearly, in death I love you still;
In my heart you hold a place,
That no one could ever fill.
It broke my heart to lose you,
But you didn't go alone
For part of me went with you;
The day God took you home.*

Expression of Gratitude

The visits you made comforted us. Your kind words consoled us.
The prayers lifted us up, whatever you did to console our hearts...
We thank you so much.

The Family



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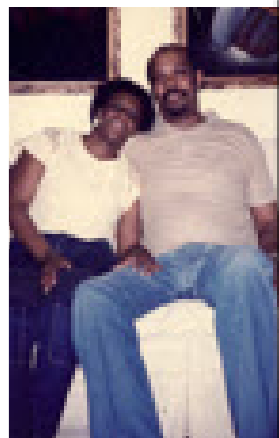
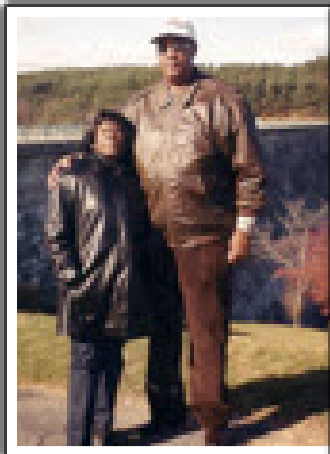
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*You slipped away so quietly perhaps it was for the best
We know that God will grant you Sweet peace and rest.
He gently closed your eyes and took you in his care
Sometimes it's hard to understand
Why these things have to be
But God has his own plans beyond our sights to see.*

~Your Loving Wife, Maryann

