

Obituary

Claude Abner, Sr. was born September 27, 1935 in New York City to Elizabeth Burr, who would later marry and take the name Elizabeth Davis. He was raised by Nazarene "Naz" and David Henry Toomer in Augusta, GA. After high school, he attended Paine College where he participated in both track and football. Shortly after college he enlisted into the Navy. There he would travel around the world while serving our great nation.

After his four years of service, he came home to Harlem, NY, where he lived with his aunt, Carrie Toomer, who was also like a mother to him. Soon after, he met Anna Louise Spence who became his wife. They had three beautiful children who they raised in the Bronx. He also had a vibrant career starting from his youthful years as a studio DJ to his later years as a successful salesman.

He was a caring and loving father who is survived by: his children, Laraine Diane and Marvin Jackson, Claude, Jr. and Norma Abner and Andrew Lem Abner; his grandchildren, Jazmine Candace McKenzie, Daphany Anna Sanders, Mohagany Shermaine Jackson and Jordan Claude Abner; his siblings, Charlie, Gloria, Donald and Roberta; his family and friends, Al and Jean Jackson; cousin, Lemuel; aunt, Hazel; and his very special friend, Juanita Williams.

Order of Service

Processional

Selection

Scripture

Prayer

Selection

Acknowledgements

Remarks

Obituary

Eulogy Elder Jerome Threatt

Selection

Committal

Viewing

Recessional

Interment

Calverton National Cemetery Calverton, New York

To Our Father

We will always have you in our hearts and souls. We realize that you were the best father a child could ever have. You were not only there for us, but also there for many other family and friends. So many people looked up to you, it's incredible that you have touched so many other peoples' hearts. You instilled in us true values and love that we will carry with us through the rest of our lives and pass on to our children as you have done. May you rest in peace we will always love you forever.



Acknowledgement

The family wishes to express their deep appreciation and sincere thanks for your kindness during a time of sorrow.

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