

In Loving Memory of



Bobby M. Conover

Sunrise

October 15, 1929

Sunset

March 14, 2011

I am the Resurrection and the Life He who believes in Me even if he die shall live and whoever lives and believes in Me shall never die.

Monday, March 21, 2011 - 11:00 a.m.

COTTON FUNERAL SERVICE

1025 Bergen Street • Newark, NJ

Rev. Robert Gamble, Officiating

Obituary

Bobby Conover, known to family and friends as “Bob,” was born October 15, 1929 to the late John and Lola Conover in Newark, NJ.

Bob was a resident of Hillside, NJ for thirty-seven years. He was educated in the Newark Public School system. He graduated in 1946 from Central High. He met and married the late Lurline Annette Conover in September 1986.

Bob enlisted in the National Guard in 1953 until 1954. Thereafter, he went and joined the Army in 1954 to serve his country, entering as a Private and exiting as a Sergeant E-5. Bob received a good conduct medal with honorable discharge from the Army in 1962. Afterwards, Bob joined the Newark Fire Department Engine Co 12. Bob was the commander of engine truck #5 also working for Angelo Miele & Sons of Newark, NJ as a Sanitation Driver until he retired in 1994.

Bob was a loving husband, father and grandfather. To know him was to love him. Bob enjoyed to vacation. He LOVED to eat and drive. If you rode with him, be prepared to be out all day because you know he was a rider. Bob was a proud Newark native. He was a story teller, and “boy oh boy” did he have stories.

He leaves to cherish his loving memory: children, Ameesha Conover-Hall, Justin Conover, Barbara Ann Johnson, Annette Ware, Jeannette Gamble, Lawrence Anthony Gamble, Felicia Brown, the late Ahmad Muhammad and Robyn Janet Conover; two brothers, the late John and Alfred Conover; in-laws, Verne and Mary Abraham, the late Roseanne West, Jonnie Ray White, Willie Ann Warren and Lois Porcher; twenty-one grandchildren; fourteen great grandchildren; special friend, Rev. Robert Gamble; and a host of other family members and friends.

Order of Service



Processional
Clergy & Family

Scripture Reading
Old Testament
New Testament

Prayer
Pastor Harold E. White, Sr.
of Tempervillie, VA

Solo
Tyroshia Taylor

Obituary & Acknowledgement
Jadette Williams

Remarks
Family and Friends

Eulogy
Rev. Robert Gamble

Viewing

Recessional



Interment

Evergreen Cemetery
Hillside, New Jersey

*Following the interment family and friends are invited
for a repast at 1455 Franklin Street • Hillside, NJ*

Footprints

One night a man had a dream. He dreamed he was walking along the beach with the LORD. Across the sky flashed scenes from his life. For each scene, he noticed two sets of footprints in the sand; one belonged to him, and the other to the LORD. When the last scene of his life flashed before him, he looked back at the footprints in the sand. He noticed that many times along the path of his life there was only one set of footprints. He also noticed that it happened at the very lowest and saddest times in his life. This really bothered him and he questioned the LORD about it. "LORD, you said that once I decided to follow you, you'd walk with me all the way. But I have noticed that during the most troublesome times in my life, there is only one set of footprints. I don't understand why when I needed you most you would leave". The LORD replied, "My precious, precious child, I love you and I would never leave you. During your times of trial and suffering, when you see only one set of footprints, it was then that I carried you".

Acknowledgement

The family of **Bobby Conover**, acknowledges with deep appreciation, all the acts of love and kindness extended to them during this bereavement hour.
God bless you all for your thoughtfulness and concern.

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