

In Loving Memory of



Carl Olufemie Johnson

Sunrise
January 15, 1967

Sunset
March 27, 2011

Service
Wednesday, March 30, 2011 - 6:00 p.m.

ROY L. GILMORE FUNERAL HOME, INC.
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Rev. Lawrence Saunders, Officiating
Ms. Bernice Watkins, Organist

Obituary

On January 15, 1967, in Monrovia, Liberia, **Carl Olufemie Johnson** was born. He was the son of Carolyn Poole Johnson and Radcliffe Akhigbade Johnson. In December of 1969, Carl was brought to America to live.

He resided in the Bronx, NY where he received his secondary education. Carl proudly earned his G.E.D. in April of 1993. As a young man, he worked in several positions in home improvement and maintenance.

Carl was a client, as well as an employer for Pathways For Housing. He took advantage of their services to become independent and self-sustaining. These years were some of his finest hours. Carl also received tremendous support from his group at Jamaica Presentation where he established numerous friendships.

Carl knew and loved our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. He was baptized in St. Charles Church in Sierra Leone on December 24, 1967. He was a loving son, brother and father. His friends and co-workers often spoke of his kindness and likeable personality.

One of Carl's a.k.a. Grand Ski greatest pastimes was dee-jaying away at home, trying to buy the biggest speakers possible or providing music for family and friends.

Carl is survived by his mother, Carolyn Poole Johnson, St. Albans, NY; father, Radcliffe, Akhigbade Johnson, Powder Springs, GA; sister, Tiffany Chimere Johnson, St. Albans, NY; son, Brandon Carl Battle; uncles and aunts, Robert and Pauline Poole, Bronx, NY, Alphonso and Lorraine Gilmore, Fallsburg, NY, Linda and Charles Graham, Hartsville, SC; grandfather, Heyward Gilmore, Woodridge, NY; cousins, Derrell Poole, Darlene Sanders, Kristi Gilmore and Courtney Graham; and a host of close relatives and friends.

Order of Service

Processional

Prayer of Consolation Pastor

Scripture Reading

Old Testament

New Testament



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Poem

Reflections *family and friends*

Acknowledgements

& Thank You's

Eulogy Rev. Lawrence Saunders

Viewing

Benediction

Recessional

Interment

Rockridge Cemetery
Monticello, New York

Serenity Prayer

*GOD, grant me the
Serenity to accept the things
I cannot change,
Courage to change the things
I can, and the
Wisdom to know the difference.*



Acknowledgements

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the many expressions of love, concern and kindness shown
to their family during this hour of bereavement.*

May God Bless and Keep You!

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