
Home Going Service for
Charles Earl Jones

Sunrise

September 27, 1953

Sunset

April 15, 2011



Service

Saturday, April 23, 2011 - 11:00 a.m.

ROY L. GILMORE FUNERAL HOME, INC.

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Pastor Pearline Horton, Officiating
Michael Williams, Organist

Obituary

Charles Earl Jones was one of five children. He was born on September 27, 1953 to John Henry Jones and the Late Mamie Jones in Raleigh, North Carolina. Charles moved to Brooklyn, New York in 1957 with his family. At a young age, it was there where he became an active member of Noah's Ark Baptist Church. In 1971, he and his family moved to Staten Island. Charles departed his life on April 15, 2011 after years of battle with cancer.

Charles enjoyed working and caring for his family. He loved his job as a truck driver. Charles started driving trucks when he was just 18 years old. He worked at Dynamic Marketing Incorporated in Brooklyn for many years until he retired in September of 2008. He missed driving so much that he later returned to the trucking industry to drive for Penske Trucking Company. Not too long after, Charles became ill. He was preceded in death by his loving mother, Mamie Marie Jones and his beloved sister, Dorothy Jones.

Charles leaves behind his memory to cherish by: his beloved Silvia; father, John Henry Jones; two sons, Reggie Brooks, Charles Brooks, and Cory Jones; one daughter, Faith Brooks; nine grandchildren; one great grandchild; two brothers, Clyde and Buriel Jones; one sister, Glory Peoples; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins; along with countless friends and family whom were blessed to have crossed paths with him.

Charles loved listening to old school classic R&B music. One of his favourite artists was Al Green. He enjoyed baking cakes, repairing cars and houses, laughing, spending time with his family, and travelling.

He touched the lives of many with his smile and generosity. He maintained his contagious sense of humour and easy going, calm attitude all the way to the end.

Charles's spirit was a treasured jewel that will be deeply missed.

Order of Service

Processional

Prayer of Consolation Pastor Pearline Horton

Scripture Reading

Old Testament

New Testament

Solo Karen Chaneyfield

Obituary Dr. Sheila Tomlin-Reid

Reflections family and friends

Acknowledgements & Thank you's

Solo Karen Chaneyfield

Eulogy Pastor Pearline Horton

Viewing Funeral Director

Benediction

Recessional

Interment

Rosehill Cemetery
Linden, New Jersey

I'm Free

Don't grieve for me, for now I'm Free,
I'm following the path God has laid for me;
I took, His hand when I heard him call
I turned my back, and left it all.

I could not stay another day
To laugh, to love, to work, to play;
Tasks left undone must stay that way.
I found that peace at the close of the day.

If my parting has left a void,
Then fill it with remembered joy,
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss;
Ah yes, these things I too will miss.
Be not burdened with times of sorrow
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.
My life's been full, I favoured much,
Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.

Perhaps my time seemed all too brief,
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief
Lift up your heart and peace to thee
God wanted me now; He set me free.

Acknowledgements

*The family wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation
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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