



Sunrise April 8, 1950 Sunset June 8, 2011

# Howard Jeffery Henton

Service

Thursday, June 16, 2011 - 11:00 a.m.

#### Mt. Pilgrim Missionary Baptist Church

163 Autumn Street Passaic, New Jersey Rev. W.L. McDowell, Pastor

# Reflections of Life

**Howard Jeffery Henton**, son of Lindsay and Lucy Henton was born and raised in Passaic, New Jersey on April 8, 1950.

Jeffery was educated in the Passaic Public School system. During that time he had an extraordinary love for baseball. For a period of time, he was employed with Septa Transit System in Philadelphia, PA, and a truck driver for many years after.

Jeffery was a member of Mt. Pilgrim Missionary Baptist Church in Passaic, NJ and served faithfully as a member of

the Mt. Pilgrim Missionary Mass Choir until his health would no longer allow him to attend church on a regular basis. Jeffery was passionate about singing on the Mass Choir and everyone loved to hear him strike out with a song.

Jeffery loved to make people laugh and enjoyed life to the fullness. He was not a stranger to anyone who he met. Jeffery would always make his presence known as one of the sharpest dressers around the Passaic community. He loved to look and smell good at all times. He was a person with a huge personality that was so contagious that everywhere he went, someone knew him. The most important people in his life were his daughters. He loved his girls so much, he would brag about them every opportunity he would get.

In the latter years of his life, Jeffery gave his life to the Lord. Although his health would not allow him to fellowship and worship in church, his relationship with God was solidified and deepened as a result and he joyfully expressed his love for Jesus.

Jeffery was called home to be with the Lord on Wednesday, June 8, 2011.

He leaves to cherish his precious memories: his beloved daughters, Ms. Qiana Henton of Montclair, NL and Ms. Latova Henton of

Henton of Montclair, NJ and Ms. Latoya Henton of Columbia, SC; one sister, Loretta Bazemore of East Orange, NJ; one brother, Lindsay Henton of Fort Lauderdale, FL; one uncle, John Jackson Jr.; and a host of nieces and nephews, and a multitude of other family members and friends, all of whom will miss him.

Lovingly Submitted, The Family

## <u>Order of Service</u>

Scripture Readings Old Testament New Testament

Prayer of Comfort

Words of Comfort

Selection

Acknowledgements



#### **Interment**

Arlington Cemetery Kearny, New Jersey



### Miss Me, But Let Me Go

When I come to the end of the road and the sun has set for me, I want no rites in a gloom



filled room, Why cry for a soul set free?

Miss me a little-but not too long,
and not with your head bowed low.

Remember the love that we once shared,
Miss me-but let me go.

For this is a journey that we all must take,
And each must go alone.

It's all part of the Master's plan,

A step on the road to home.

When you are lonely and sick at heart, Go to the friends we know. Laugh at the things we use to do Miss me-but let me go.



-author unknown

#### <u>Acknowledgement</u>

We are deeply appreciative of every kindness extended to us in the loss of our loved one. Your prayers have sustained us. Your hugs have helped us. Your presence has made the difference and we, the family thank you.

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