

Sunrise June 12, 1935

Sunset June 29, 2011

Howard Wilson, Sr. "Barbeque Man"

Q.M.

<u>Service</u> Friday, July 8, 2011 - 7:00 p.m.

CHRIST TEMPLE BAPTIST CHURCH 38 Hopper Street • Paterson, New Jersey

Rev. Dr. Gregory C. Turner, Officiating

<u>Reflections of Life</u>

Howard "Barbeque Man" Wilson, was born on June 12, 1935 in Laurinburg, North Carolina to the late Henry and Mary (Curry) Wilson.

Howard was educated in the local schools in North Carolina and Paterson, had resided here in Paterson, NJ for the last sixty-six years

He was employed as a packer for Haband, Wyckoff, NJ. He was also employed at the Steele Construction Co., Totowa, NJ. Howard was also known for his love for cooking. He cooked for family, businesses and friends.

He was an Army veteran. He was also a member of the Christ Temple Baptist Church, Paterson, NJ where he served until his health failed.

He was predeceased by his wife, Jean Saunder Wilson, sisters, brother, daughters, son, niece and nephew, devoted friend, Agnes Sisco, Evelyn Knight, Jimmie "TJ", James Ell Wilson, Frank McLaurin, Ronald McLaurin, Donnie McClendon, Carl Southerland, Sr., Debra, Delores, Calvin Curry, Earl Clanton; Rashid, Sr., Picola, Mary and Patricia.

He departed this life on Wednesday, June 29, 2011.

He leaves to cherish precious memory: his daughters, Josephine "PeeWee" Wilson of Richmond, VA, Teshonna "Shon" Brimley of Paterson, NJ, Gail Clanton (Sammy) of Petersburg, VA, Evelyn Harris of Troy, VA, Bernice (Daniel) Cole of High Springs, NC, Bernadine Ali of Paterson, NJ and Chiquita McRae of Paterson, NJ; sons, Howard Wilson Jr. of Trenton, NJ, Van Wilson of Paterson, NJ, Ricky Southerland, Bruce McLaurin of Florence, SC; devoted grandsons, Danis "Grasshopper" Wilson, Dyron McClendon and Quashawn Smith of Petersburg, VA; brothers, Roy Wilson Sr. of Laurinburg, NC and King Wilson of Paterson, NJ; sisters-in-law, Georgia McLaurin, Annie Clanton and Julie Taylor; aunts, Mary and Dottie Black; uncle, James Wilson of Laurinburg, NC; devoted nieces, Sissy, Shirley, Babe, Brenda and Emma Jean; the members of the Horse Shoe Crew; and a host of other relatives and friends.

<u>Order of Service</u>

Processional

Hymn "Father Can You Hear Me"

Word of Life Proclaimed Rev. Dr. Gregory C. Turner

Recessional

<u>Interment</u> William C. Doyle Veteran Cemetery Arneytown, 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

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

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