

*In Loving Memory of*



*Lewis Henry Coleman Sr.*

*“Joe”*

September 24, 1936 - January 3, 2012

*Service*

Tuesday, January 10, 2012 - 12:00 Noon

**NEW SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH**

207-209 Broadway

Paterson, New Jersey

*Rev. Louis Norris, Officiating*

## *Reflections of Life*

**Lewis H. Coleman Sr.**, a son given by the Lord to the late Carrie Lou Paris and Romie Coleman was born in Hot Coal, West Virginia on September 24, 1936. He passed away at St Joseph Hospital in Paterson, NJ, on January 3, 2012. Today we rejoice in the knowledge that he has passed the barrier of time as we know it and is forever at home with the Savior. Affectionately known as “Joe” he was a devoted husband, father, grandfather, and a friend. Joe has been a resident of Paterson for over fifty years.

He was married to Rosa L. Coleman. They’ve been together and married for more than fifty years. They experienced the changing scenes of life in the joyous and fruitful companionship, which the Lord had entrusted to them.

Joe was a machinist and retired from General Electric after close to thirty years of service. He then worked for various other machine shops in Totowa for close to fifteen years. His last work assignment before his passing was with Securitas Security agency where he worked for nineteen years.

In his young adulthood, Joe served a stint in the United States Army and also was a member of the former Private Cellar Club.

He was predeceased by sisters, Sylvia, Geraldine, Carrie Ann, brothers, James and Zach.

He leaves behind to cherish his memories: wife, Rosa; one son, Lewis H. Coleman Jr.; four grandchildren, Jurod, Jamar, Marquis and Kaala Coleman; one great grandchild, Jamar Coleman Jr.; one daughter-in-law, Veronica (Shennett) Coleman; a god daughter, Flora Powell; and a host of nieces, nephews, great nieces, great nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends.

# Order of Service

Call to Worship

Hymn

Invocation

Scripture Reading

New Testament - Psalm 91

New Testament - Psalm 23

Prayer of Comfort

Acknowledgements/Obituary

Solo ..... “It’s So Hard To Say Goodbye”

Poem ..... Miss Me but Let Me Go

Solo ..... “At The Cross “

Remarks

Eulogy ..... Reverend Louis Norris

Recessional



## **Interment**

Arlington Cemetery

Kearny, New Jersey

*Repast*

*Riverview Towers Recreation Room*

*145 Presidential Blvd. • Paterson NJ*

# *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 and every one of us  
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. And  
bury your sorrows in doing good deeds  
Miss me-but let me go.*



## *Acknowledgement*

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