

In Loving Memory

of

January 3, 1932 - January 19, 2012

<u>Service</u> Thursday, January 26, 2012 - 11:00 a.m.

### Whigham Funeral Home

580 Martin Luther King Blvd. Newark, New Jersey Officiating Pastor: Rev. Grace Parham

<u>Obituary</u>

**Leroy Woods** was born on January 3, 1932 to the late Roosevelt and Sadie McMickel in Lamar, South Carolina.

Leroy was educated in the South Carolina School system. In the early 80's Leroy a.k.a. Man, moved to Brooklyn, New York where he stayed until he moved to Newark, NJ where he resided until he made his transition on January 19th to be with the Lord.

Leroy was soft spoken kind person who loved his family and his friends if there was a party you can believe that he would be on the dance floor whistling while he danced with a smile on his face to the music of his favorite artist James Brown.

He leaves to mourn his passing: one daughter, Linda Burnette Woods of Brooklyn, New York; one son; three sisters, Evelyn McFadden of Newark, NJ, Rose Bradley Brooklyn, NY and Bertha McLemore, Columbia, SC; four brothers, Robert (Geraldine) of Brooklyn, NY, Maybank of Georgia, Larry of Brooklyn, New York and Fred (Stephanie) Darlington, SC; one son-in-law, Nathan Woods; three grandchildren, Shakema, Nathan Jr. and Shawntavia; five great grandchildren, Alexise, Liam, Prince, Sade and Jaylin; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. He will be greatly missed.

#### Psalms 119:89

Lord your word is everlasting; it continues forever in heaven.

<u>Order of Service</u>



#### **Processional of Family**

Scripture Deacon Herman McFadden

Solo

Prayer

Obituary

Remarks

Solo

**Eulogy** Rev. Grace Parham

Prayer



#### **Interment**

Evergreen Cemetery Hillside, New Jersey

The family would like to extend an invitation to fellowship for a repast in celebration of Leroy's life immediately after service at, The Greater Harvest Baptist Church, 541 15th Avenue, Newark, NJ (corner of 13th Street)

# Afterglow

I'd like the memory of me To be a happy one, I'd like to leave an afterglow Of smiles when day is done. I'd like to leave an echo Whispering softly down the ways, Of happy times and laughing times And bright and sunny days. I'd like the tears of those who grieve To dry before the sun Of happy memories that I leave behind, When the day is done.

-Helen Lowrie Marshall

## Acknowledgement

We the family would like to Thank You for celebrating our dear departed life. Your act of kindness will not be forgotten

Mark 11:24

Therefore I tell you whatever you ask for in prayer, believe that you have received it, and it will be yours. In Jesus Name

# Professional Services by: Whigham Funeral Home

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