

CELEBRATING THE LIFE OF



ANTHONY BERNARD HOWARD-LAWRENCE

SUNRISE

August 20, 1987

SUNSET

March 8, 2012

Service

Thursday, March 15, 2012 - 11:30 a.m.

Second Baptist Church

200 Locust Street

Roselle, New Jersey

Rev. James E. Moore, Sr., Pastor
Bishop Wayne L. Johnson, Eulogist

Life Reflections

Anthony Bernard Howard-Lawrence was born on August 20, 1987 in Elizabeth, New Jersey to Beverly and Anthony Lawrence. Anthony received his education in Roselle Public school system and graduated from Abraham Clark High School in 2006, Anthony attended Union County Vo-Tech in Scotch Plains.

Anthony was employed with Department of Public Works of Roselle and Union Hospital.

Anthony played football in High School. He also was the assistant coach to Coach Eugene Brown for the freshmen basketball team.

Affectionately known as “Big Ant,” he had a big heart, fun loving and would do whatever he could for you. He was very loyal and devoted to his mother. Ant loved music but was best known for his dancing. He loved to dance he was light on his feet and would shut a party down.

On March 8, 2012, Anthony departed this earthly life and moved to his home in heaven.

He leaves behind to cherish his memory and kind spirit his parents, Beverly and Anthony Lawrence; one brother, Andre Howard-Lawrence; maternal grandmother, Maxine Howard; paternal grandmother, Hortense Lawrence; three uncles, Glynn Howard, Garry Howard (Cheryl), and Ronald Lawrence; aunt, Michele Lawrence and a host of aunts, uncles, cousins, other relatives and dear friends.

Sorrowfully submitted,
The Family

Order Of Service

Rev. James E. Moore, Sr., Pastor, Officiating

Organ Prelude

Processional

A Parting View

Invocation Rev. James E. Moore, Sr.

Scriptures

Old Testament: Psalms 27

New Testament: John 14:1-7

Hymn

Prayer of Comfort

Solo Rev. James E. Moore, Sr.

Reflections Tonyia Courtemanche
Malika Abdus Salaam
Tahiyah Johnson
Benny Johnson

Solo Faith Tyler

Words of Comfort

Acknowledgements and Condolences

Solo Rev. Eric Drake

Eulogy Bishop Wayne L. Johnson

Benediction

Recessional

Interment Rosehill Cemetery, Linden, New Jersey

Services Entrusted To:

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Pall Bearers

Anthony Bernard Howard-Lawrence's Friends

TO THOSE I LOVE & THOSE WHO LOVE ME

When I am gone, release me, let me go
I have so many things to see and do
You mustn't tie yourself to me with tears
Be happy that we had so many years.

I gave you my love, you can only guess
How much you gave me in happiness
I thank you for the love you each have shown,
But now it's time I traveled alone.

So grieve for me if grieve you must,
Then let your grief be comforted by trust.
It's only for a while that we must part,
So bless the memories within your heart.

I won't be far away, for life goes on,
So if you need me call and I will come
Though you can't see or touch me, I'll be near
And if you listen with your heart, you'll hear
All of my love around you, soft and clear.

And then when you must come this way alone,
I'll greet you with a smile and say "Welcome Home."

Acknowledgement

The family of **Anthony Bernard Howard-Lawrence** acknowledges with sincere appreciation every thought and act of kindness expressed to us during this our hour of bereavement. We will always keep you in our prayers. May God continue to richly bless you.