

In Loving Memory of



John Melvin Perry

Sunrise

February 11, 1948

Sunset

March 20, 2012

The Obituary

John Melvin Perry was born in Bellevue Hospital, New York City on February 11, 1948, the second child of John and Laura Perry. He passed away peacefully on Tuesday, March 20, 2012 at his home in Mesquite, Texas.

John was raised in East Harlem, New York and received his elementary and high school education in the New York City Public School System. John excelled in school at an early age and set his sights on the field of engineering. His love of sports was expressed through participation in various community groups and The Boys' Club of New York, but his focus was always on '*all things electronic*'.

Upon graduating from Evander Childs High School, John attended the Milwaukee School of Engineering, earning a Bachelor of Science Degree in Electrical Engineering. John began his engineering career in the military, during his service as an Officer in the United States Army. After his military service, he relocated to New Jersey, where he worked with PSE&G.

In the 1970's, John relocated to further his career. He moved to the Dallas-Fort Worth area of Texas where he enjoyed a long, successful career at Texas Instruments until his passing. In Dallas, he met and married his wife, Ella Marie Jackson. Their union produced one child, Laura Marie.

John is predeceased by his wife, Ella Jackson Perry; father, John Richard Perry; older brother, William Perry; sister, Delilah Perry and younger brother, Francis Perry. He is survived by his mother, Laura Perry; daughter, Laura Marie Perry; younger brother, Carl Perry; younger sister, Constance Perry; niece, Amina Perry; nephews, Omoleye Perry and Adeyinka Perry; brothers-in-law, Eugene Jackson and Wayne Jackson; and a host of friends.

Lovingly Submitted, The Family

Order of Service

Rev. Edward Culvert, Officiating

Service

Wednesday, April 4, 2012 - 7:00 p.m.

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Rev. Edward Culvert, Officiating

Rev. Dr. Eric Turner, Organist

PreludeOrganist

Processional.....Rev. Edward Culvert & Family

Hymn (It Is Well).....Congregation

~Scripture Reading~

Psalm 23

Prayer of Comfort.....Rev. Edward Culvert

Musical Tribute (A Closer Walk With Thee).....Soloist

~Life Reflections (3 - 5 Minutes)~

~Acknowledgements & The Obituary~

Musical Tribute (Precious Lord).....Soloist

The Eulogy.....Rev. Edward Culvert

~ The Final Glimpse~

The Benediction

Recessional

Interment

Calverton National Cemetery

Calverton, New York

Love Lives On

*Those we love are never really lost to us.
We feel them in so many special ways ~
through friends they always cared about
and dreams they left behind.*

*In beauty that they added to our days ~
in words of wisdom we still carry with us
and memories that never will be gone.*

*Those we love are never really lost to us
for everywhere their special loves lives on.*



Acknowledgement

The family wishes to thank everyone for their condolences
and best wishes during our time of bereavement.



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