A Celebration of the Life

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Sunrise October 17, 1945

Sunset May 7, 2012

Samuel Allen "Mike" Williams

Saturday, May 12, 2012 - 10:00 a.m.

COTTON FUNERAL SERVICE 1025 Bergen Street • Newark, NJ

Rev. Jason Guice, Officiating

<u>Obituary</u>

Samuel Allen "Mike" Williams was born October 17, 1945 in Carthage, NC to the late George and the late Lucille (Adams) Williams. He departed this life suddenly on May 7, 2012 at Newark Beth Israel Medical Center in Newark, New Jersey.

Samuel and his family relocated to New York where he was educated in the New York Public School System.

Samuel was employed as a Foreman at the Wilson Pipe Fitting Company in South Plainfield, New Jersey until his retirement in 2007.

Samuel had a love for peppermint candy, the sci-fi channel and most of all driving 2 miles an hour down the street just to profile and smile. He always loved to say something is "Out of Sight" and that's a bad "Motor Scooter". He instilled into everyone's life the importance of education. He always said you were "Nothing without your education."

He leaves to cherish his memory: his loving wife of forty-four years, Stella Williams; son, Victor Sr.; daughter, Shanté; grandchildren, Kanaea, Victor Jr., Khabirah, Najee and Akin; great-grandson, Jamaul, Jr.; sister, Betty J. Williams; aunt, Classie Watson; mother-in-law, Annie V. Moore; sister-in-law, Mary (James) Reaves; brothers-in-law, Roderic, Reizden, Redel Andre (Brenda) and Reuel Moore; god-sisters, Louise (Henry) Hutchinson and Ida B. Williams; nieces, Charla, Ja'Meda, LaQuanda and Danielle; nephews, Troye Sr., Jami, Torrin, Craig, Reuel, Zachary, Anthony, Christopher and Sean; great-nieces, Criscia, Jhen'Ille, Zuri, Trinty, Denise, Mauri, Janan and Tori; great-nephews, Vincent, Jihad, Donzell, Troye Jr., Travon, Rion, Jassan, Izaire and Jzavier; dear cousins, Belinda, David, Teddy, Yvonne and Tori W.; and a host of other relatives and dear friends. He was preceded in death by his son, Samuel Jr.; daughter, Carnetha and grandson, Khabir.

<u>Order of Service</u>

Processional
Musical Prelude
Selection
Scripture Reading Old Testament - Psalm 23 New Testament - John 14:1-6
Prayer of Comfort Rev. Jason Guice
Selection
Poem Breya Knight
Acknowledgements of Cards and Obituary Ja'Meda A. Reaves
Remarks (2 minutes please)
Selection
Eulogy Rev. Jason Guice Hopewell Baptist Church
Recessional

Interment

Evergreen Cemetery Hillside, New Jersey

Repast will be held immediately following the service at: 99 Smith Street • Irvington, New Jersey

Pall Bearers and Floral Bearers Relatives and Friends

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

Acknowledgement

The Family of **Samuel Allen "Mike" Williams** acknowledges with great appreciation the many kind deeds and comforting expressions of sympathy extended to them in their time of sorrow. May God bless each of you.

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