

*Home Going Service for*  
**Claudius Fransecho**

*Hackett*



*Sunrise*  
*October 20, 1955*

*Sunset*  
*June 2, 2012*

*Service*  
*Saturday, June 9, 2012 - 10:00 a.m.*

**SACRED HEART R.C.C.**  
115-20 221st Street • Cambria Heights, NY

*Father Patterson, Officiating*

## *Obituary*

**Claudius Fransecho Hackett** was born to Ella and Eric Hackett October 20, 1955 in John's Hall, Clarendon Jamaica, West Indies. Eric Hackett is now deceased.

Claudius Hackett attended John's Hall All Age School in Clarendon.

He moved to the United States in 1986 and met Sharon Yvonne. Sharon and Claude were united in Holy Matrimony on June 20, 1987. Claude and Sharon were married for twenty-five years. They would have celebrated their Silver wedding anniversary this June. Through this union they had two children, Claudius Jr. and Imani.

Claudius worked for Lutheran Medical Center in Brooklyn for close to ten years and was loved by his co workers.

Claudius' love for his wife and children was a beautiful thing to see, a strict Dad but he did it with kindness and generosity. Claude's friends could count on his friendship, generosity, loyalty and honesty. There were several things that Claude was known for but the most outstanding things were his love of playing his music in his home, his cooking of jerk pork, and the Saturday soup pot. During his illness, his wife Sharon was the strength that held him together. Her love for her husband was there for all to see and the love that they shared was a joy to behold.

He leaves to cherish: his wife, Sharon Hackett; son Claudius Hackett, Jr; his daughters, Imani Hackett and Malika Covington; stepchildren, Damien Covington and Alia Hudgins Poe; grandchildren, Autumn, Kobe, Chole and Kinana; mother, Ella Hackett; brothers, John Hackett of Cuba, Joeseph Hackett of Canada and David Hackett of Jamaica; four sisters-in-law, four-brothers-in-law, many nieces, nephews, cousins, and a host of great friends, too many to mention.

# *Outline Of The Rite*

## Introductory Rites

Greeting  
Sprinkling with Holy Water  
[Placing of the Pall]  
Entrance Procession  
[Placing of Christian Symbols]  
Opening Prayer

## Liturgy of the Word

Readings  
Homily  
General Intercessions

## Liturgy of the Eucharist

## Final Commendation

Invitation to Prayer  
Silence  
[Signs of Farewell]  
Song of Farewell  
Prayer of Commendation

## Procession To

The Place of Committal

### **Interment**

Springfield Cemetery  
Springfield Gardens, New York

*Repast immediately following the interment at  
Sacred Heart RCC 115-20 221st Street • Cambria Hearts, NY.*

### **Pall Bearers**

- Claudius Hackett, Jr.
- Keith Coleman
- Patrick Goldson
- Michael Powell
- Lenford Gabriel
- John Hackett

# *I'm Free*

Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free  
I'm following the path God laid for me  
I took his hand when I heard Him call  
I turned my back and left it all.

I could not stay another day.

To laugh, to love, to work or play.  
Tasks left undone must stay that way,  
I found that peace at the close of day.

If my parting has left a void,  
Then fill it up with remembered joy.  
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,  
Oh, yes these things I too will miss.  
Be not burdened with times of sorrow,  
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.  
My life's been full, I savored much.

Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.  
Perhaps my time seemed all too brief,  
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.  
Lift up your heart and share with me,  
God wanted me now, He set me free!

*-author unknown*

## *Acknowledgements*

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the many expressions of love, concern and kindness shown to  
their family during this hour of bereavement.*

*May God Bless and Keep You!*

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