Homegoing Service Celebrating the Life Of



Haywood George Jamerson

Sunríse February 14, 1936

Sunset March 14, 2013

Thursday, March 21, 2013 - 11:00 am

St. John the Baptist Church

2018 DeWitt Terrace Linden, New Jersey The Reverend Terrance Blackburn, Rector

Life Reflections

Haywood G. Jamerson was born a "Valentine Baby" on February 14th 1936 in Chimney Rock, North Carolina, to George Haywood and Annie Jamerson. The middle child of three children, he grew up in Asheville, North Carolina until 1952 when the family moved to Bronx, New York.

As a young man, Haywood was inducted into the Army in 1956 as a Med Corpsman and received an Honorable Discharge.

Haywood married Marilyn in 1958 in New York, New York. Out of their union they had one child, Janine Jamerson. Haywood and Marilyn would later divorce

Haywood worked as an Engineer Technician for NBC in New York, New York where he would meet his second wife, Alice Johnson-Jamerson. They had two children together. Phillip Johnson and Erika Jamerson with one stepdaughter, Lisa Fontanes. They would later marry in New Brunswick, New Jersey in 1984.

An active member in the community, Haywood owned two antique stores in Roselle before retiring his business to sell antiques as a hobby from home. Still he would not slow down. He worked part-time as an Aide for Vogel Bus Company.

Haywood was appointed by former Mayor Garrett Smith to the Senior Advisory Committee. A member of Grace Church, he participated in the church choir.

Affectionately given the name "Buddy" by his family, he was just that to his friends and neighbors of Roselle and beyond. Known for riding his bike all over Roselle, he will truly be missed by many.

Haywood is predeceased by his parents, George and Annie Jamerson, younger brother, William Jamerson, sister, Emma Scott and wife, Alice Johnson-Jamerson. He leaves to mourn, his oldest daughter, Janine Jamerson; stepdaughter, Lisa Fontanes; son, Phillip Johnson and daughter, Erika Jamerson; seven grandchildren, Devin and Brannon Morgan, Ruben Fontanes, Alexis Bell, Justin Roberts, Jarred and Jayden Bailey; five great grandchildren and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, in-laws, other relatives and friends.

Lovingly and Sorrowfully, The Family



<u>Interment</u> Graceland Memorial Park Kenilworth, New Jersey

Immediately following the interment, family and friends are invited to the Roselle Community Center 1268 Shaffer Avenue – Roselle, New Jersey where a repast will be served.

Services Entrusted To:

G.G. Woody Funeral Home, LLC

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"Where Our Sympathy Expresses Itself Through Sincere Service"

Pall Bearers

Family and Friends of Haywood Jamerson

God and knowing he is there;
Searching for release,
And finding it through prayer.
Happiness and joy,
And rainbows in the sky,
Feeling God is near
When you begin to cry.
Hope is looking for a dream
That someday will come true;
Waiting on the Lord,
When days are sad and blue
Will bring you peace and light;
Striving for God's Love.

Friend, Larry Emory Johnson

<u>Acknowledgement</u>

The family of **Haywood Jamerson** 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.

Special thanks to Cheryl Johnson, Sylvia Turnage and Marie and his co-workers at Vogel Bus Company for their support and tender loving care.

