

Leroy
And
Lillian



The Last Request

*Please don't say that I gave up, just say that I gave in.
Don't say I lost the battle, for it was God's war to lose or win.
Please don't say how good I was, but that I did my best.
Just say I tried to do what's right, to give the most I could,
not do less. Please don't give me wings or halos, that's for God to
do I want no more than I deserve, no extras, just my due.
Please don't give flowers, or talk in real hushed tones.
Don't be concerned about me now, I'm well with God; I've made
it home. Don't talk about what could have been, it's over and it's
done. Just see to all my family's needs, especially the little ones.
When you draw a picture of me, don't draw me as a saint.
I've done some good, I've done some wrong,
so use all your paint. Not just the bright and light tones, use some
grey and dark In fact, don't put me down on canvas, paint me in
your heart. Don't just remember good times, but remember all the
bad. For life is full of many things, some happy and some sad.
But if you must do something, then I have one last request-
Forgive me for the wrongs I've done, and with the love that's left,
Thank God for my soul's resting, thank God for I've been blessed.
Thank God for all who loved me, praise God who loved me best.*

Acknowledgement

The family of **Leroy Lott** 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.

www.honoryou.com

Homegoing Service
Celebrating the Life Of



Leroy Otis Lott, Sr.

Sunrise
January 22, 1928

Sunset
May 30, 2013

Service

Saturday, June 8, 2013 - 10:00 am

Greater Mt. Moriah Baptist Church

24 East 14th Street
Linden, NJ 07036

Rev. Ronald A. Green, Sr., Pastor

Life Reflections

Leroy Otis Lott, Sr. was born on January 22, 1928 in Jacksonville, Florida, son of Bessie Stepney Lott and Roy Lott. He was educated in the Jacksonville, Florida and Jesup, Georgia Public School Systems before he moved to Elizabeth, New Jersey at the age of 15. He would eventually settle in Linden, New Jersey.

Leroy met his wife, Lillian Coleman in Elizabeth, New Jersey and on February 13, 1943, they were joined in holy matrimony. This union was blessed with 5 children, Emma Jane, Herman Clifford, Leroy Otis, Jr., Alan George and Ricky Bernard.

Leroy had been employed as a Superintendent for Finklestein and Morgan Realty at the 1100 Grand Concourse - Bronx, New York location and retired in 1993 after 36 years of dedicated service. He had previously worked for Volco Copper and Brass Company in Kenilworth, New Jersey.

In 1978, he began attending Greater Mt. Moriah Baptist Church in Linden, New Jersey and continued faithfully until his passing.

Leroy was known for his cigars and his Cadillac. He was a devoted father and grandfather. He adored his wife, Lillian who he called "Mama" and loved her cooking. Leroy was a sharp dresser, loved his clothes, suits and hats and enjoyed driving to Savanna, Georgia. Leroy Lott lived his life and did everything he wanted to do, He was a very proud man. We will miss him and he will never be forgotten.

Leroy Otis Lott, Sr. departed this life on Thursday, May 30, 2013 at his Linden home at the age of 85. He was predeceased by his parents, Bessie and Roy Lott; 2 sons, Herman Clifford Lott and Leroy Otis Lott, Jr.; a daughter, Annis Lott a nephew, Jessie Jones, Jr. and a son-in-law, Arthur Hall.

He leaves to cherish fond memories, his beloved wife, Lillian Coleman Lott; a daughter, Emma Jane Hall of Savannah, GA; 2 sons, Alan George Lott (Jessica) of Miami, FL and Ricky Bernard Lott (Sandra) of Linden, NJ; an adopted son, Alfred Banks; 11 grandchildren, Lewis Hall and Nicole, Rashonda, Trenel, Stacha, Asudeez, Tiffany, Ashena, Robin, Allan, Jr. and Ricky Bernard Lott, Jr.; 17 great grandchildren; 6 great great grandchildren; a sister, Diane Jones of Linden, NJ; 2 nieces, Tiajuana Sterling and Taisha Jones; his dog, COCO and a host of other relatives and friends.

Lovingly and Sorrowfully,
The Family

Order Of Service

Processional

Organ Prelude

A Parting View

Hymn

Scriptures

Old Testament

New Testament - Revelation 21:3-4

Prayer of Comfort

Hymn

Words of Comfort

Acknowledgement of Condolences

Obituary

Poem

Hymn

Eulogy.....Rev. Ronald A. Green, Sr.

Recessional

Interment

Rosedale Cemetery
Linden, New Jersey

Pall Bearers

Family and Friends of **Leroy Lott, Sr.**

Services Entrusted To:

G.G. Woody Funeral Home, LLC

206 East Eighth Avenue • Roselle, NJ 07203

www.ggwoodyfuneralhome.com

"Where Our Sympathy Expresses Itself Through Sincere Service"