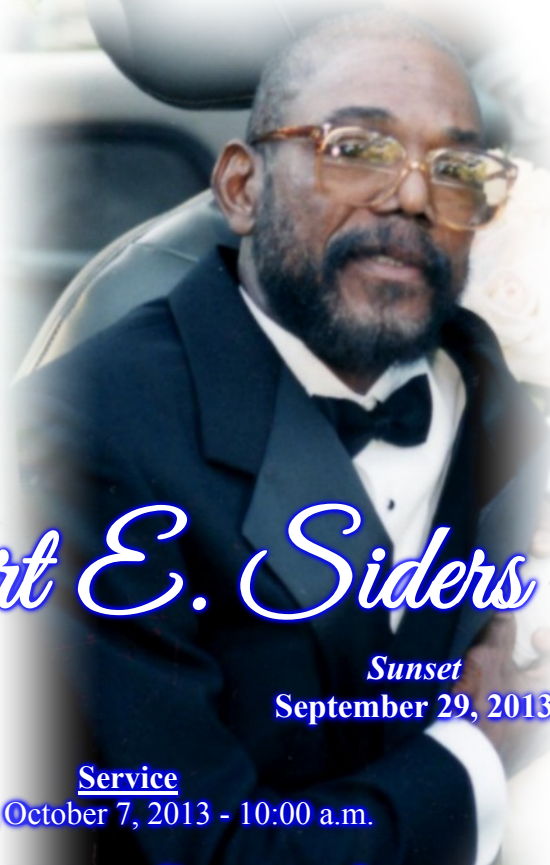


Home Going Service For



Robert E. Siders

Sunrise
September 8, 1945

Sunset
September 29, 2013

Service
Monday, October 7, 2013 - 10:00 a.m.

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Obituary

“Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord forever.” Psalm 23:6.

Robert E. Siders was born on September 8, 1945 in Charleston, South Carolina to the late Sheppard Siders and Alethia E. Coleman Siders. He was the fourth born son of one sister and five brothers. He attended the public schools and Wesley United Methodist Church in South Carolina, and later John Jay High School in Brooklyn, New York. In 1963, he served in the United States Navy and received an honorable discharge in 1981. Robert had a profound love for boxing and basketball. He enjoyed a career at the U.S. Postal Service and New York City Transit Authority where he retired as a bus driver.

In 1967, he married Shirley Lloyd and from that union their daughter, Yolanda C. Siders was born.

Robert E. Siders (68 years old) departed this life Sunday, September 29, 2013 at 7:02 p.m. at the Veterans Hospital in New York City.

He leaves to cherish his memories: three daughters Yolanda C. Siders-Lewis (son-in-law Alfred Lewis), Ebony Webster, Tabbatha McCall, who born his five grandchildren: (two sets of twins and a daughter: Zion K. McCall, Zaron E. McCall, Kenya K. McCall, Amir O. McCall, Azareya K.M. McCall); and four siblings: Celia E. Russell, (“Sister”), Ernest Siders (sister-in-law Ruby Siders), Harry L. Siders, and William E. Siders; and nieces: Shavaughn A. Russell, Novella Russell, Venecia Siders, Valerie Siders, and nephews: Robert E. Russell, Vincent Siders, Corey Siders, and Eric Siders; and Shirley Siders (former wife and beloved friend and her family: LaKeisha Siders, Danielle S. Siders, Daniel R. Siders, (Dashelle C. Siders), Renita A. Horton, Juanita S. Frazier, Estelle B. Carter, Walter A. Frazier, Eugene C. Frazier, Clarence J. Frazier, and other relatives and friends.





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Interment

Calverton National Cemetery
Calverton, New York



“To Those I love and Those Who Love Me”

When I am gone, release me, let go. I have so many things to see and do. You mustn't tie yourself to me with tears, be happy that we had so many years. I gave you my love; you can only guess how much you gave me happiness. I thank you for the love you each have shown, but now it's time I traveled on alone. So grieve a while for me if you must, and then let your grief be comforted by trust. It's only for a while that we must part, so keep the memories within your heart. I won't be far away, for life goes on. So if you need me, call, and I will come. Though you can't see or touch me, I'll be near. And if you listen with your heart, you'll hear all of the love around you soft and clear. And then, when you must come this way alone, I'll greet you with a smile and “WELCOME YOU HOME.”



Acknowledgement

The family acknowledges with deep appreciation all acts of kindness extended to them during this bereavement hour. May God bless you for all your thoughtfulness and concern.

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