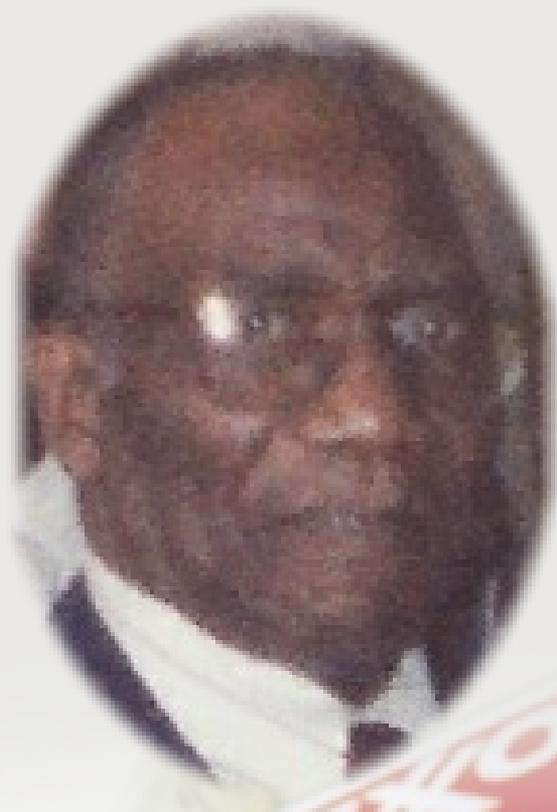


*Homegoing Celebration for*



***Clyde Beamon, Sr.***

**Sunrise**

August 29, 1927

**Sunset**

December 18, 2013

**Service**

Friday, December 27, 2013 - 12:00 Noon

**GILMORE MEMORIAL LOOK & LIVE MINISTRY**

68 Haledon Avenue

Paterson, New Jersey

***Elder Patrick Farrar, Officiating***

## *Reflections of Life*

**Clyde Ellis Beamon, Sr.** was born in Trotville, North Carolina on August 29, 1927 to the late Willie Beamon and Sarah Freeman.

Clyde received his education in North Carolina. The family migrated North and as time went on, he became the owner and operator of Beamon's Broadway Exxon Paterson for many years.

He was married to Evelyn (Mason) Beamon from 1947 until her passing in 1964. From this union seven children were born, Clyde, Jr., Juanita, Dorothy, Christopher, Kevin, Norman, and Audrey. Years later he married Harriet (Perry) Beamon. From this union there was one step and adopted son. Years after Harriet's passing, he married Margaret V. Ruth Beamon. From this union there were four stepsons and one stepdaughter.

Clyde was preceded in death by his sisters, O'Dessa Nelson, Willie Lee Beamon-Sims, and one brother, Joseph Beamon.

He departed this life on Wednesday, December 18, 2013 at the Preakness Healthcare Center Wayne.

Clyde leaves to cherish fond memories: three daughters, Juanita Beamon, Dorothy Reardon and Audrey Beamon; four sons, Clyde (Mary) Beamon, Jr., Christopher Beamon, Kevin (Joan) Beamon, and Norman Beamon; three sisters, Julia Suber, Donna Lawton and Carolyn Jackson; one brother, Frank Beamon; thirteen grandchildren, ten great grandchildren, and one great great grandchild; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, friends and extended family members.

# *Order of Service*

Prelude

Processional

Scripture Readings

Old Testament

New Testament

Prayer of Comfort

Selection ..... Minister Derrick Barry  
Evelyn Barry  
Audrey Beamon

Acknowledgements  
and Reflections

Poem ..... Leslie Beamon

Reflections of Life

Selection

Eulogy ..... Elder Patrick Farrar

Recessional

**Interment**

Cedar Lawn Cemetery  
Paterson, New Jersey

# *Footprints*

*One night a man had a dream. He dreamed he was walking along the beach with the LORD. Across the sky flashed scenes from his life. For each scene, he noticed two sets of footprints in the sand; one belonged to him, and the other to the LORD. When the last scene of his life flashed before him, he looked back at the footprints in the sand. He noticed that many times along the path of his life there was only one set of footprints. He also noticed that it happened at the very lowest and saddest times in his life. This really bothered him and he questioned the LORD about it. "LORD, you said that once I decided to follow you, you'd walk with me all the way. But I have noticed that during the most troublesome times in my life, there is only one set of footprints. I don't understand why when I needed you most you would leave". The LORD replied, "My precious, precious child, I love you and I would never leave you. During your times of trial and suffering, when you see only one set of footprints, it was then that I carried you".*

*-Mary Stevenson*

## *Acknowledgement*

*The family wishes to express their sincere thanks and appreciation for the acts of kindness and words of encouragement during their time of bereavement.*

*A special heart felt thank you to Roderick Steven (Suggie) Ruth for your extraordinary care of our father. God bless you.*

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