Celebration for the Life of



Alphonso Williams

July 28, 1940 - March 1, 2014

Saturday, March 8, 2014 - 9:00 am

CARNIE P. BRAGG FUNERAL HOME

256 Rosa Parks Blvd.
Paterson, New Jersey
Rev. Gregory Turner, Officiating

Reflections of Life

Alphonso (Monk) Williams was born on July 28, 1940 in Hartsville, South Carolina.

After leaving home fifty years ago, he made Paterson his new home. While there, he served as a machine operator at Paterson at Paterson Bleachery Inc. for over thirty-five years. After his time was up there, he later continued his employment as a cement mixer at Boiardi Products for twelve years until he retired in 2012.

He was a very lively person who often stretched the truth at times. For all those who knew him personally you know he loved his stocking cap and cigars. But with all that being said, he was a very nice and well liked individual who didn't mind giving a helping hand.

He is preceded in death by his parents, Mrs. Bertha and Mr. James Williams, son Charles Marshall Williams, grandson, Brandon Maurice Jackson, three brothers, Jonie Lee Williams, James Jr. Williams, and Herbert Williams, three sisters, Bertha Mae Williams, Margaret Green and Sarah McCoat.

Alphonso (Monk) Williams departed this life on Saturday, March 1, 2014.

He leaves to cherish his memories: wife Amelia Williams, two sons, Alphonso Williams Jr., and Levern Al Sims; two daughters, Miracle McBride and Rita Bacus; devoted friend, Ms. Anette McBride; one brother, Robert (Carrie) Williams; three sister-in-laws, Shirley Williams, Julia Sims, Ernestine Sims and Robbie Mae Manigo; one brother-in-law, Clarence Sims of South Carolina; nine grandchildren, sixteen great grandchildren as well as a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, family and friends.

Order of Service

Prelude

Processional

Selection

Scripture Reading Old Testament New Testament

Prayer of Comfort

Selection

Acknowledgements & Remarks

Selection

Obituary

Eulogy Rev. Gregory Turner

Recessional

Interment

St. Peters Cemetery Garfield, New Jersey Heartache overwhelming Emotions Distraught Trying to piece together This tragedy he fought.

The painful moments we share With love binding us all Each one here to lift If another should fall.

Youth is so pure
His innocence unbroken
Words we all want to
Will never be spoken.

A unique bond with us all That nothing can break Not anger, time Nor painful heartache.

Not to see you is horrid Not to talk is a shame But to lose you forever We'll never do again.

Nurturing and caring Love and understanding We've each given him From the very beginning.

We can't give anything else After love and material things God lifted you to heaven And gave our angel....his wings.

In loving memory of Mr. Alphonso Williams

<u>Acknowledgement</u>

The family of the late **Mr. Williams** would like to express their deepest appreciation and sincere thanks for all their acts of kindness.

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