Celebrating the Life of

Jermaine Jason Johnson

February 24, 1986 - May 9, 2014

Wednesday, May 21, 2014 - 9:00 - 11:00 a.m.

BRONX MIRACLE GOSPEL TABERNACLE 821 Burke Avenue - Bronx, NY 10467 Pastor Rev. Dr. Keith Elijah Thompson, Officiating

Eulogy

It is with great sadness that I stand before you today to remember the life of a son, grandson, brother, nephew and friend, Jermaine Johnson whose life was cut short. Losing someone you love is never easy, but when their life is taken away at such a young age it is more difficult.

**Jermaine Jason Johnson** was born on February 24, 1986 in Spanish Town, St. Catherine Jamaica to parents Anita Morgan and Delroy Johnson.

Jermaine migrated to the United States at age seven (7) years, where he went to school at Albert Lennon Middle School then moved onto New Rochelle High and Mount Vernon High.

Jermaine cared so much for people around him and was the type of person who was always willing to give a helping hand to those in need.

Jermaine was very family oriented and always talked about his family. No matter what was happening in the family he would always say, "they are my family, leave them alone." Whenever he found himself backed in a corner, the only person he would run to was his grandmother, Ms. Rosie (mamma).

Jermaine is survived by his girlfriend, Sepel; mother, Anita; father, Delroy; grandmother, aunts, uncles, brothers, sisters and other relatives and friends.

Order of Service

Opening Sentences Pastor Rev. Dr. Keith Elijah Thompson
Opening Hymn "When We All Get To Heaven"
Prayer for the FamilyPastor Rev. Dr. Keith Elijah Thompson
First Lesson - Psalm 47 Pauline Bourne (aunt)
Selection Ura Evans (grandmother)
Second Lesson - 1 Corinthians 15:50-58 Judy Morgan (aunt)
Eulogy Donna Heron (aunt)
RemembranceAndre Johnson (brother)
Tributes Short Comments (2 min. Each)
Offertory Hymn "The Lord's My Shepherd" (In Aid of The Bronx Miracle Gospel Tabernacle Women's Dept)
Sermonic Selection "When The Roll Is Called Up Yonder"
Sermon Pastor Rev. Dr. Keith Elijah Thompson
Prayer For The Bereaved Family Mary Lou
Benediction Pastor Rev. Dr. Keith Elijah Thompson
Recessional Hymn "I'll Fly Away"

<u>Interment</u> Kensico Cemetery Valhalla, New York

When We All Get To Heaven

Sing the wondrous love of Jesus, Sing His mercy and His grace; In the mansions bright and blessed He'll prepare for us a place.

## Chorus:

When we all (When we all) get to heaven, What a day of rejoicing that will be! (What a day of rejoicing that will be!) When we all (When we all) see Jesus, We'll sing and shout the victory. (shout, and shout the victory)

While we walk the pilgrim pathway Clouds will overspread the sky; But when trav'ling days are over, Not a shadow, not a sigh. [Chorus]

Let us then be true and faithful, Trusting, serving ev'ry day; Just one glimpse of Him in glory Will the toils of life repay. [Chorus]

Onward to the prize before us! Soon His beauty we'll behold; Soon the pearly gates will open; We shall tread the streets of gold. [Chorus]

The Lord's My Shepherd

The Lord's my Shepherd, I'll not want; He makes me down to lie In pastures green; He leadeth me The quiet waters by.

My soul He doth restore again, And me to walk doth make Within the paths of righteousness, E'en for His own name's sake.

Yea, though I walk in death's dark vale, Yet will I fear no ill; For Thou art with me, and Thy rod And staff my comfort still.

My table Thou hast furnished me In presence of my foes; My head Thou dost with oil anoint, And my cup overflows.

Goodness and mercy all my life Shall surely follow me; And in God's house forevermore, My dwelling place shall be.

When The Roll Is Called Up Yonder

When the trumpet of the Lord shall sound, and time shall be no more, And the morning breaks, eternal, bright and fair; When the saved of earth shall gather over on the other shore, And the roll is called up yonder, I'll be there.

Refrain:

When the roll is called up yonder, I'll be there.

On that bright and \*cloudless morning when the dead in Christ shall rise, [\*sabbath] And the glory of His resurrection share; When His chosen ones shall gather to their home beyond the skies, And the roll is called up yonder, I'll be there.

Let us labor for the Master from the dawn till setting sun, Let us talk of all His wondrous love and care; Then when all of life is over, and our work on earth is done, And the roll is called up yonder, I'll be there.

I'll Fly Away

Some glad morning when this life is over I'll fly away To a home on Gods celestial shore I'll fly away

> Chorus I'll fly away, oh glory I'll fly away in the morning When I die hallelujah by and by I'll fly away

When the shadows of this life have gone I'll fly away Like a bird from prison bars has flown I'll fly away

Chorus

Just a few more weary days and then I'll fly away To a land where joys shall never end I'll fly away

Chorus I'll fly away oh glory I'll fly away in the morning When I die hallelujah by and by I'll fly away I'll fly away



IF I Should Go Tomorrow

If I should go tomorrow It would never be goodbye, For I have left my heart with you, So don't you ever cry. The love that's deep within me, Shall reach you from the stars, You'll feel it from the heavens. And it will heal the scars. Anon

## Acknowledgement

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