

In Loving Memory of



Retired Captain
Robert M. Embrey

Sunrise
November 22, 1946

Sunset
June 10, 2014

Service
Tuesday, June 17, 2014 - 11:00 a.m.

SALEM BAPTIST CHURCH
132 W. Kinney Street • Newark, New Jersey

Obituary

Robert Michael Embrey came into this world on November 22, 1946. The first born of the late George and Lorraine in Clarksburg, West Virginia.

Robert attended Morton Street School and Broadway Junior High in Newark. He had a passion for the arts and attended Arts High School. He excelled in music and art with the love for opera. His favorite opera was the Mikado. In 1964, he graduated from high school and enrolled at the Newark School of Fine and Industrial Arts.

Robert was always service oriented. As a young man, he was a camp counselor with the Newark Boys Club. He served his country in the Air force during the Vietnam War. He was stationed in Da Nang, the Philippines and SAC in New Hampshire. He was honorably discharged in 1971.

Following in his father's footsteps, Robert joined the Newark Police Department in 1972. He entered the ranks as a Patrolman successfully holding all ranks in between including Sergeant, Detective Sergeant and Lieutenant. Also, he was a Commanding Officer and East District Executive Officer. In October 2010, Robert retired with Certified Rank of Captain.

Police and Civic Organizations; VFW, Vietnam Vets of America, American Legions, F.O.P., S.O.A., Bronze Shields, Essex County Retired Police and Fire Fighter. Adjutant at American Legion Post #152.

In June 2000, he was united in marriage to Mary Rose Watters.

He is survived by: one sister, Janice Marie of Berkley, California; two brothers, Pierre Christopher of Stewartville, NJ and David Edward of Las Vegas, Nevada; two nephews, two nieces; and a host of cousins.

May 6th Robert was admitted to St. Barnabas Hospital in Livingston, New Jersey. On Tuesday, June 10th, Robert went home to be with the Lord.

The Embrey Family

Selection

“We Have Come Into His House”

We have come into HIS house
and gathered in HIS name to worship HIM
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Order of Service

Prelude

Processional Clergy & Family

Selection

Scripture Readings

Old Testament - Isaiah 40:28-31

New Testament - Rev. 21:1-4

Prayer of Comfort

Solo

Acknowledgement/Remarks

Obituary

Solo

Eulogy

Benediction



Interment

William C. Doyle Veteran Cemetery
Wrightstown, New Jersey



Winter Comes
Always too soon,
Before our hearts are ready
To let go

Let us hold closely,
Through the dark and cold,
The memory of summer,
And the promise,

Let the memory
And the promise
Shine within us.

Good-bye comes
Always too soon,
Before our hearts are ready
To let go.

Let us hold closely
Through the dark and cold
The memory of His presence,
And the promise.

Let the memory
And the promise
shine within us.

Deborah Cooper

Acknowledgement

The family wishes to express their sincere thanks and appreciation for all acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy that was shown to them during this time of bereavement.

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