

In Loving Memory of



David "D" Fletcher

Sunrise
August 14, 1939

Sunset
June 17, 2014

Service
Tuesday, June 24, 2014 - 10:00 am
Metropolitan Baptist Church
149 Springfield Avenue
Newark, New Jersey

Obituary



David 'D' Fletcher was born on August 14, 1939 in Camden, SC to Charles and Hannah Fletcher (Nee Baskin).

David grew up in Camden, SC. He was educated in the Camden Public School system and graduated from Jackson High School in 1958. Following high school David went on to meet and marry the love of his life Mary Ann Grant in 1961 in Newark, NJ. There after he later joined the Army in 1962, serving during peace time and he was honorably discharged in 1964. After David's

discharge from the Army he went to work for Exxon Oil as a Truck Driver where he trained many and garnered numerous safety awards. David retired from Exxon in 1993 after more than 24 years of diligent service.

David and Mary were soul mates happily married for 52 1/2 years, and from this union four children were born; Timothy, Ronald, Gloria, and Tanya. David truly loved the LORD. He enjoyed traveling, fishing and spending time with family and friends.

David 'D' Fletcher, passed away on June 17, 2014, and his presence will be greatly missed by all who knew him. David was predeceased by his parents Charles and Hannah Fletcher; his siblings Charles Fletcher and Hannah Jane Shelley; and his son Ronald Fletcher.

David leaves to mourn and cherish his memory his spouse Mary Ann Fletcher of East Orange, NJ; his son Timothy (Trena) Fletcher of East Stroudsburg, PA; his daughter Gloria (Kenneth) Louis of Newark, NJ; and his daughter Tanya (Gregory) Scott of Piedmont, SC; his sister Lillie Bell Bruton of Camden, NJ; his sister Mattie Fletcher of Camden NJ; his grandchildren Marcus David Fletcher, Diamond Scott, Hannah Scott and Grace Scott; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends.

Order of Service

Processional

Selection

Scripture Readings

Prayer

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Acknowledgements

Remarks

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Eulogy

Viewing

Committal

Recessional

Interment

Rosedale Cemetery
408 Orange Road
Montclair, New Jersey

Following the burial, an intimate repast will be held for family and close friends.

When I Am Gone

by Unknown Poet:

When I am gone, release me – let me go
I have so many things to see and do.
You must not tie yourself to me with tears
Be happy that we had so many years. I gave you love,
you can only guess, how much you gave me in happiness.
I thank you for the love each have shown,
but now it is time I travel\ed alone.
So grieve awhile for me if grieve you must,
then let your grief be comforted by trust
It is only for a while that we must part
so bless those memories within your heart.
I will not be far away, for life goes on.
so if you need me, call and I will come.
Though you cannot see or touch me, I will be near
And if you listen with your heart, you will hear
All of my love around you, soft and clear.
Then when you must come this way alone,
I will greet you with a smile and “Welcome Home”

Condolences may be sent to the family or left on David Fletcher's online guest book at <http://memorialwebsites.legacy.com/DavidFletcher/homepage.aspx>

Acknowledgement

Perhaps you sent a lovely card or sat quietly in a chair.
Perhaps you sent a floral piece If so, we saw it there.
Perhaps you spoke the kindest words as any friend could say.
Perhaps you were not there at all just thought of us on that day.
Whatever you did to console our hearts, We Thank You, Whatever the part.

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