

In Loving Memory of
Todd Wilson

Sunrise

November 3, 1965

Sunset

August 11, 2014



Service

Saturday, August 16, 2014 - 11:00 a.m.

NEW COVENANT TEMPLE

1805 Amsterdam Avenue • New York, NY

Rev. Donnell Harper, Officiating

Obituary

Todd Wilson was the youngest son of Mrs. Ann Wilson-Morris and the late George Colebrook, Sr. born on November 3, 1965 in Harlem, New York. Full of life since birth, he joined the Lord on August 11, 2014.

Affectionately known as “T.O. or Big Fella” by the multitude of people who loved, cared and respected him. He began his educational journey at P.S. 161, then headed to Adam Clayton Powell Junior High. During school, Todd was best known for walking in one door and leaving out another but he did manage to receive his High School Diploma from Norman Thomas High School.

“T.O.” was known as the Big Brother baby brother. Though he was the youngest of his siblings he was protective over all of them. When he was a teenager he was known as “the bodyguard” to the other kids in the stomping grounds.

Known to his kids as the missing member of Jodeci, “T.O.” could always be remembered for singing in the shower every morning. His children and family will never forget his famous saying, “pineapple jelly sandwich with a pink cupcake on the side”. On his walks back from Walmart he would get back in the house and say, “great grocery bags” because you know Todd wasn’t driving. When he was trying to get a point across he would always say, “you know what I’m sayin”. His brother and son knew he was the true living “Hulk” when “T.O.” managed to catch and secure a falling grand piano.

Todd leaves to cherish in his memory: his mother, Ann Wilson-Morris; his beloved former wife, Stacy Etheridge; his children, Todd Brandon Wilson, Jr., Kalin Bria Wilson; Tyler Deforrest Wilson; stepson, Edward (Lonnie) Etheridge; two grandsons, Cameron Britt and Devante G. Etheridge; his brothers, George Colebrook, Sr., Darren Wilson, Tracy Wilson, Shawn (and his sister-in-law, Claudette) Wilson; his sisters, Robbin Wilson (and brother-in-law, Reginald Reed), Stacy Colebrook; and a host of nieces and nephews that he loved dearly. Our Heavenly Father has welcomed him along with his late brother, Deforrest Wilson and other family and friends that preceded him to the Pearly Gates.

Order of Service

Officiating..... Minister Warrick McCall

Prelude.....Janet Aiken

Processional

Invocation/Prayer of Comfort..... Minister Edna Williams

Congregational HymnMinister Warrick McCall

Scriptures

Old Testament - (Ecclesiastes 3:1-11).....Minister Shelly Harper

New Testament - (Matthew 11:27-30)..... Deacon Tyrone Evans

Cards and Condolences..... Allen Thompson

Remarks..... Derrick Robinson,
Russell Snow,
Anthony Brown

Obituary..... Noelle Hyman

SoloistPat Moore

Eulogy.....Reverend Donnell Harper

Benediction

Recessional

Final Disposition
Oxford Hills Crematory
Chester, New York

A precious one from us is gone
A voice we loved is stilled
A place is vacant in our hearts
Which never can be filled.

There comes a time for all of us
When we must say good-bye;
But faith and hope and love and
Trust can never, never die.

Although the curtain falls at last,
Is that a cause to grieve?
The future's fairer than the past,
If only we believe.

And trust in God's eternal care,
So when the Master calls,
Let's say that life is still more fair,
Although the curtain falls.

Acknowledgement

The family acknowledges with deep appreciation all acts of kindness extended to them during this bereavement hour. May God bless you for all your thoughtfulness and concern.

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