

Celebration for the Life of



Roosevelt Jackson

March 18, 1941 – September 26, 2014

Friday, October 3, 2014 - 12:00 Noon

CARNIE P. BRAGG FUNERAL HOME

256 Rosa Parks Blvd.

Paterson, New Jersey

Rev. Frederick H. LaGarde, Officiating

Reflections of Life

Roosevelt Jackson was born on March 18th, 1941 in Conway, South Carolina. He was the fifth oldest of nine children born to the late James T. Jackson and Lula Mitchell Jackson.

After completing his education in the Conway, South Carolina school system, he relocated to Paterson, New Jersey where he met and married his wife of fifty years, Juanita Jackson who suddenly passed away on Valentines Day, February 14, 2013.

Roosevelt retired from both Marcal Paper Mill and Wonder Bread Co. more than a decade ago.

Roosevelt departed this life, on September 26, 2014 at the Hospice of New Jersey located in Wayne New Jersey. He succumbed to cancer, and he fought a tough battle, until the Angels called for him sooner than we plan, and we as mourners will brave the bitter grief that comes. Our God saw you weary and called you home, no longer enduring earthly pain, but embracing Jesus at Heaven's door.

Roosevelt was predeceased by his parents James T. Jackson, and Lula Mitchell Jackson, brothers Reginald Jackson, Wilbur Jackson, Theodore Jackson and Daniel Jackson.

Roosevelt leaves to cherish his memory, one daughter Angela Jackson- Dockery, three sons Michael (Ramonita) Jackson, Donnell (Lori) Jackson, and James (Barbara) Jackson all of Paterson New Jersey, sisters Luella Gagum of Paterson, New Jersey and Edna Worth of New York City, brothers Manuel Jackson of Paterson, New Jersey and James T Jackson of Columbus Mississippi, ten grand children and ten great grandchildren, three sister-in-laws, Martha Byrd of Wadesboro, North Carolina, Peggy McWilliams of Camden Alabama, and Emily Jackson of Columbus Mississippi and one brother-in-law, Eddie McWilliams, of Camden Alabama and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Order of Service

Prelude

Processional

Selection

Scripture Reading

Old Testament

New Testament

Prayer of Comfort

Selection

Acknowledgements & Remarks

Selection

Reflections of Life

Eulogy

Rev. Frederick H. LaGarde

Recessional

Interment

Fair Lawn Cemetery
Fair Lawn, New Jersey

I'm Free

Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free
I'm following the path God laid for me
I took his hand when I heard Him call
I turned my back and left it all.

I could not stay another day.

To laugh, to love, to work or play.
Tasks left undone must stay that way,
I found that peace at the close of day.

If my parting has left a void,
Then fill it up with remembered joy.

A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,

Oh, yes these things I too will miss.

Be not burdened with times of sorrow,

I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.

My life's been full, I savored much.

Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.

Perhaps my time seemed all too brief,

Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.

Lift up your heart and share with me,

God wanted me now, He set me free!

-author unknown

Acknowledgement

The family of the late **Roosevelt Jackson** wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation the many expressions of love, concern and kindness shown to their family during this hour of bereavement. May God Bless and Keep You! The Jackson family would like to extend a special thank you to grandchildren Sierra Jackson and Michael Hedgeman for the countless hours spent on extended for the care of their father and also to those who we forgot to mention.

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