

Home Going Service
for
Samuel W. Hairston

Sunrise
March 8, 1949

Sunset
November 21, 2014



Service

Friday, November 28, 2014

Viewing - 10:00 AM

Service - 11:00 AM

MARANATHA BAPTIST CHURCH

112-42 Springfield Blvd. • Queens Village, New York 11429

Pastor A'Kim Beecham, Pastor

Obituary

Samuel W. Hairston, born to the late Samuel and Adeline Hairston, March 8, 1949. Samuel "Sam" lost his battle with a long illness on Friday, November 21, 2014.

Sam attended school in Danville, VA, until his family migrated to Brooklyn, New York; where he graduated from George W. Wingate H.S.

Sam gave his life to Christ at a very young age at the Jones Chapel Baptist Church of Danville, VA.

He held several jobs, New York Telephone Co., Dewey Ballantine Law Firm and the NY Stock Exchange, before retiring from Pitney Bowes in 2006.

Sam leaves to celebrate his life three sisters; Dorothy (Joe), Gaynell and Rosalyn; brother-in-law, Norwood Keaton all of New York City: one Uncle, Randolph Hairston (Ann) of Danville, VA and one Aunt, Vera Davis of Augusta, GA. He also leaves a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. His daughter Demetrius, sister Ruth and brother Ralph preceded him in death.

Order of Service

Processional

Hymn

Prayer

Scripture Reading

Selection

Eulogy

Benediction

Recessional

Interment

Springfield Cemetery
Queens, New York

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

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the many expressions of love, concern and kindness shown
to their family during this hour of bereavement.*

May God Bless and Keep You!

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