

*Celebrating The Life
of*

Richard M. Hazel

Sunrise
August 20, 1924

Sunset
December 21, 2014



Saturday, December 27, 2014 -2:00 p.m.

WOODY "HOME FOR SERVICES"

163 Oakwood Avenue
Orange, New Jersey 07050

***Bishop George C. Searight, Officiating
Myron Smith, Organist***

Obituary

Richard M. Hazel a devoted husband, father, grandfather, great-grandfather, uncle and friend entered eternal rest on Sunday, December 21, 2014. He was born on August 20, 1924 in Caswell County, NC.

Richard was the son of the late Bud Hazel, and Hattie Bell Hazel. Richard was raised in Milton, NC and attended the Estell Grammar School. He was a graduate of Caswell County High School.

Richard was a World War II Veteran and served with the United States Army from 1942 to 1945. Richard was united in holy matrimony to Mamie E. Bynum Hazel in August 1954, this union was blessed with three children, Marsha, Belita Carol and Rhonda.

Richard and Mamie relocated to East Orange, NJ in 1964. He was employed at the East Orange Veterans Hospital until he retired.

Richard was predeceased by his parents, Bud Hazel and Hattie Bell Hazel, his wife, Mamie E. Bynum Hazel, one brother, Chancey Hazel, sisters, Janet Hazel Mitchell and Majorie Hazel Skelton; granddaughter, Yvonne Lakeisha Hazel Halloway, niece, Garnett Hazel Mitchell Luck, three nephews, Benny Mitchell, Steven Mitchell and Thomas Mitchell, two great-great grandchildren, Ka'mauri and Kimaara Halloway. Beautiful memories will always be cherished by: his children, three daughters, Marsha of West Orange, NJ, Belita Carol of Newark, NJ and Rhonda of Bristol, PA; five grandchildren, Simone Henderson, Sharron Mallette, Faith Scott, Emauel Scott and Christian Scott; great-grandchildren, Jamaar, Rashon, Nazir, Anaya, Danielle and Gerrod; two great-great grandchildren, Jordan and Za'Miyah; and a host of nieces, nephews and friends.

Order of Service

Organ Prelude.....Myron Smith

Seating of The Family.....The Funeral Director

Invocation

Scripture Readings

Old Testament - Psalm 91:1.....Belita Hazel

New Testament - John 14:1-6.....Elder Rhonda Scott

Prayer of Comfort.....Elder Inga Brockington

Solo.....“Blessed Assurance”.....Tyrone Dunlap

Remarks.....Family and Friends (Two Minutes Please)

Acknowledgements and Obituary.....Valerie Rice

Solo.....Tyrone Dunlap

Eulogy.....Bishop George C. Searight

Senior Pastor - Abundant Life Family Worship Church

New Brunswick, New Jersey

Committal

Recessional.....Clergy and Family

Interment (Private)

Brigadier General William C. Doyle Veterans Memorial Cemetery

Wrightstown, New Jersey

Afterglow

*I'd like the memory of me
To be a happy one,
I'd like to leave an afterglow
Of smiles when day is done.
I'd like to leave an echo
Whispering softly down the ways,
Of happy times and laughing times
And bright and sunny days.
I'd like the tears of those who grieve
To dry before the sun
Of happy memories that I leave behind,
When the day is done.*

-Helen Lowrie Marshall

Acknowledgement

*We the family of **Richard M. Hazel** wish to thank each of you for every expression of love and kindness during the passing of our loved one. Words of encouragement, visits, cards, we thank "God" for the Veterans Memorial Home, the staff that supported Richard through this tough time. May God continue to shower His blessings upon each one of you.*

The Family

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