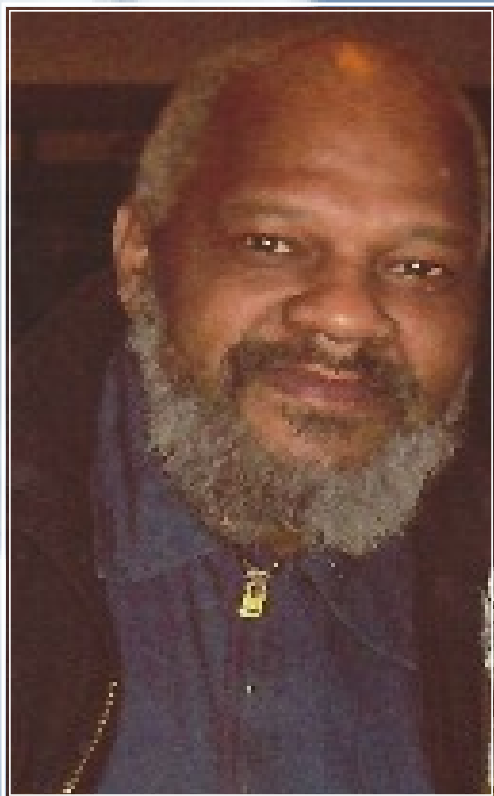


*In Loving Memory of*



*Derrick Perry*

*Sunrise*

*November 3, 1962*

*Sunset*

*January 16, 2015*

*Service*

*Thursday, January 29, 2015 - 12:00 Noon*

***Perry Funeral Home***

*34 Mercer Street • Newark, New Jersey 07103*

## Obituary

Today we pay tribute to the life of **Derrick Perry**, also known as Sahfadeeah of Sahf", by his family and friends. Derrick Perry was born on November 3, 1962 to Babegene Perry and the late William Beale. He was the second oldest of seven children. On January 16, 2015 the Lord called Derrick home.

**Derrick Perry** was educated in the Newark Public Scholl System, and from there he went on to attend Job Corps. He graduated with a trade in Building Maintenance. Derrick worked many jobs. He was a devoted employee. He was employed by Kearny Steel Company for many years, until he became ill.

**Derrick** loved to sing and listen to *oldies but goodies* music with family and friends. He was a family oriented man. To know him was to love him. Even when he was at his sickest he would visit with family and friends. He had a great love and respect for children. Derrick enjoyed playing basketball with his brothers and friends.

**Derrick** was preceded in death by his father, William Beale, his grandfather, Billie Perry, as well as two aunts, Daphine and Annette.

**Derrick** leaves to mourn his passing and cherish his memories: his mother, Babegene Perry; his grandmother, Bertha Perry of Newark, NJ; two daughters, Jackie Rogers and Latisha Faines; three grandchildren, Arieana, Ta'jun and Tiyanna Files (Newark, NJ); six siblings, Calvin Perry, Adrienne Perry, Zakee Perry (Newark, NJ), Tosha (Paul) Jones, Rahiem Perry (Fort Lauderdale, FL) and Tiya Perry; and a host of special aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. He also leaves behind his companion of the home, Cynthia Lindsay, and his good friend, Terry.

# *Order of Service*

Selection

Scripture Readings.....Deacon David King

Old Testament - *Psalms 27:1-4*

New Testament - *II Timothy 1:5-7*

Poem.....Latrice Sanders

Prayer of Comfort.....Deacon David King

Selection

Acknowledgements

Obituary.....Quadeedah Wilder

Eulogy.....Nahgi Perry and Rev. Dr. Berard Wilks

~**Interment**~

Evergreen Cemetery  
Hillside, New Jersey

# *"They Say"*

*They say, "I'm sorry for your loss."*

*They say, "Everything is going to get better."*

*They say, "He is in a better place now."*

*I have heard these words so many times.*

*They say, "God called him home."*

*They say, "He is not suffering anymore."*

*They say, "He was a great person."*

*These are things I already know.*

*I feel their love in every word of*

*Comfort they impart and know that*

*Each word is spoken from deep*

*Within the heart.*

*But all the words of comfort though*

*Kind, sincere and true*

*Can't take away the emptiness*

*I'm feeling without you.*

*-Latrice Sanders*

## *Acknowledgement*

*The family of **Derrick Perry** would like to thank everyone  
For their acts of kindness rendered towards them in their time of  
Deepest sorrow. Whether you sent a card, called or thought of them,  
May God bless you in a special way.*

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