

Celebrating the Life of Trevor Rochester Harriott

April 8, 1952 - January 11, 2015



*Viewing - 10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
Saturday, January 31, 2015 - 11:00 a.m.*

ETERNITY FUNERAL SERVICES
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*Minister Jan Webster, Officiating
Tyrone Patrick, Organist*

Obituary

Trevor R. Harriott

The bond of family and friendship has been broken, a man of integrity, respect, generosity, commitment, loyalty, kindness, caring, loving, honest, trustworthy, always willing to help, humble and a gentle soul was **Trevor Rochester Harriott**. Born in the district of Lincoln, Manchester, Jamaica West Indies on April 8, 1952 was the first child for Violet Roach and Clinton Harriott and the first grandchild to Wilbert and Caroline Roach. He was nurtured by his grandmother and cousin Winnie Palmer.

He attended the Huntley Primary School for his formative education where he excelled in academia and showed a flare for the Arts and Culture by winning first prize for dance ensemble in the then popular Jamaica Festival Competition. He then went on to Beaumont Comprehensive College for his secondary education where he studied accounting. After graduation, he was employed at the Jamaica Sugar Research in Mandeville as a Laboratory Technician and during that period of time he accompanied the department Manager on an assignment to British Columbia, Canada. Upon his return to Jamaica he was employed as a Laboratory Technician at the University of the West Indies in Kingston.

In 1979, he migrated to the United States and joined his mother, stepfather and three siblings in Queens, New York but soon decided that New York was not for him. Based upon that decision he relocated to Chicago, Illinois and embraced his passion for accounting where he joined the Howard Johnson Hotel. During his tenure at the hotel he rose to the position of Night Auditor until the franchised changed owners. He then joined Don's Fish Market in Skokie, Illinois as the accountant where he worked until he became ill, and thereafter relocated to Florida.

Mayo Angelo said it best "if you learn something, teach it; if you get something, give it". Trevor epitomized this quote in so many ways. This was evident in his ability to help anyone in dire need just by listening and exemplified by his willingness to assist anyone and everyone who was faced with any adversity. He would go above and beyond to ensure that their situation was taken care of, always making you feel welcome and comfortable and should you visit – he rolled out the red carpet. He understood the frailties of humans and always saw the good in others whereby he never expressed a negative thought about anyone even in his own dilemma. Trevor loved life and embraced each day as if it was the last and reminded you that "Life is for the living; So live it up well!"

Now, Trevor has transitioned and he would want us to be happy and merry with laughter and frivolities recalling moments spent with him. Therefore, let us celebrate the life of Trevor Rochester Harriott in his true style.

Trevor is predeceased by his mother, father, stepfather and brother. He is survived by his brothers, Warren and Wendell, niece and nephew, aunts, cousins, goddaughter

Order of Service

Prelude “To God Be The Glory”

Prayer of Comfort Minister Jan Webster

Hymn “Blessed Assurance”

Scripture Readings

Old Testament Psalm 23:1-6
Brandon Rowe

New Testament John 14:1-6
Carmen Tomlinson

Musical Selection

Tributes short comments (2 min. each)

Obituary Charlton Bagot (friend)

Sermonic Hymn “What A Friend We Have In Jesus”

Sermon Minister Jan Webster

Benediction Minister Jan Webster

Closing Hymn..... “Just A Closer Walk With Thee”

Final Viewing.....*Eternity Funeral Services Director*

Interment

*Kensico Cemetery
Valhalla, New York*

Blessed Assurance

Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine!
Oh, what a foretaste of glory divine!
Heir of salvation, purchase of God,
Born of His Spirit, washed in His blood.

Refrain:

*This is my story, this is my song,
Praising my Savior all the day long;
This is my story, this is my song,
Praising my Savior all the day long.*

Perfect submission, perfect delight,
Visions of rapture now burst on my sight;
Angels, descending, bring from above
Echoes of mercy, whispers of love.

Perfect submission, all is at rest,
I in my Savior am happy and blest,
Watching and waiting, looking above,
Filled with His goodness, lost in His love.



What A Friend We Have In Jesus

What a Friend we have in Jesus,
All our sins and griefs to bear!

What a privilege to carry
Everything to God in prayer!
O what peace we often forfeit,
O what needless pain we bear,
All because we do not carry
Everything to God in prayer!

Have we trials and temptations?
Is there trouble anywhere?
We should never be discouraged,
Take it to the Lord in prayer.
Can we find a friend so faithful
Who will all our sorrows share?
Jesus knows our every weakness,
Take it to the Lord in prayer.

Are we weak and heavy-laden,
Cumbered with a load of care?
Precious Savior, still our refuge—
Take it to the Lord in prayer;
Do thy friends despise, forsake thee?
Take it to the Lord in prayer;
In His arms He'll take and shield thee,
Thou wilt find a solace there.

Just A Closer Walk With Thee

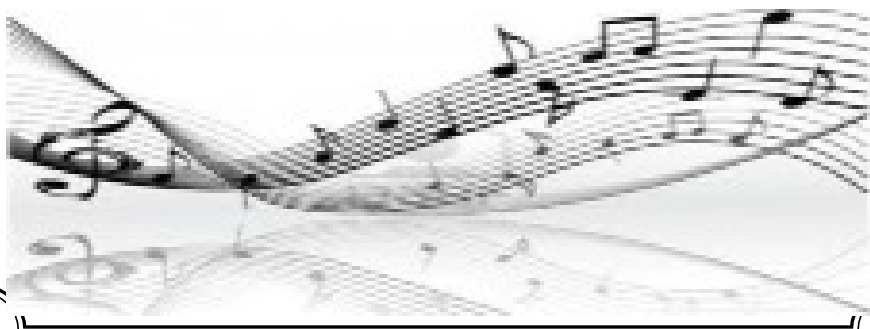
I am weak, but Thou art strong;
Jesus, keep me from all wrong;
I'll be satisfied as long
As I walk, let me walk close to Thee.

Refrain:

Just a closer walk with Thee,
Grant it, Jesus, is my plea,
Daily walking close to Thee,
Let it be, dear Lord, let it be.

Through this world of toil and snares,
If I falter, Lord, who cares?
Who with me my burden shares?
None but Thee, dear Lord, none but Thee.

When my feeble life is o'er,
Time for me will be no more;
Guide me gently, safely o'er
To Thy kingdom shore, to Thy shore.



Afterglow

I'd like the memory of me
to be a happy one.
I'd like to leave an afterglow
of smiles when life is done.

I'd like to leave an echo
whispering softly down the way,
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 when life is done.





Pallbearers

Warren Williams (brother)
Lansfield Robinson (cousin)
Howard Leslie (friend)

Audley Brown (friend)
Charlton Bagot (friend)
Brandon Rowe (friend)

Acknowledgement

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