



Saturday, February 28, 2015 - 11:00 a.m.

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S'm Free with My Brother

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 his call, I turned my back and left it all.

I could not stay another day, To laugh, to love, to work, to play. Tasks left undone must stay that way, I've found that peace at the close of the day.

If my parting has left a void, Then fill it with remembered joy. A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss, Ah 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.

<u>Reflections of Eife</u>

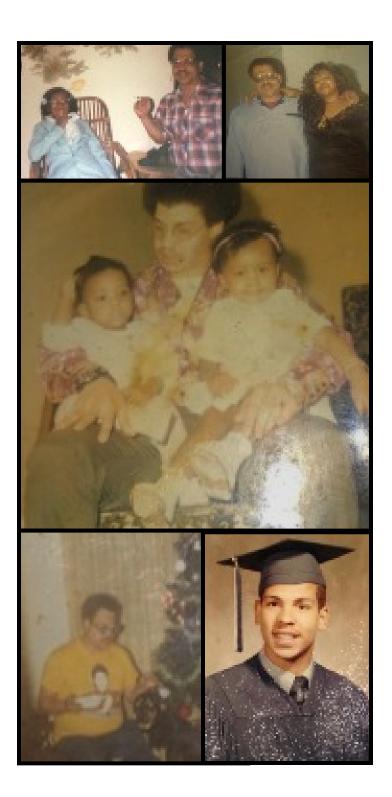
John Saunder Cox was born February 7, 1950 to the late Josephine Lewis and Hugh E. Cox at St. Joseph Hospital in Paterson, New Jersey. The family raised John in Paterson, New Jersey.

John attended school in Paterson School District and graduated Eastside High School. John and Junior were lifeguards at Costello Pool and the YMCA in Paterson, NJ. He also received numerous awards in gymnastics. He was the first male to go to the state competition. John severed our country by joining the United States Air Force 1971.

John was a family man he loved his family. He taught his nieces and nephews how to swim. He loved being involved especially with their education.

John peacefully transitioned from this life to his eternal life on Thursday, February 12, 2015. He was proceeded in death by his twin brother Hugh E. Cox Jr. His mother Josephine Lewis, father Hugh E. Cox Sr., grandmother Louise Strickland, Sister Yvonne Cox Daniels, Aunt Shirley Garland, Brother-in-law Robert A Pettus, and niece Jacqui "Tee Tee" Pettus.

John leaves to cherish his memories and to celebrate his life, his loving devoted sisters Linda Cox Pettus and Mary Cox Spruill. Nephew Zette Daniels. Nieces Yvette Kurwin (Jerome), Josette Daniels, Chantrell (Victor) Pettus Gunter, Nyree (Doug) Reed. Special Cousin Matthew Robinson. And a Host of nieces and nephews and family and friends.



<u>Order of Obervice</u>

Prelude

Processional

Selection

Scripture Reading Old Testament New Testament

Prayer of Comfort

Selection

Acknowledgements & Remarks

Selection

Reflections of Life

Words of Comfort Rev. Doris Carter

Recessional

Interment

Cedar Lawn Cemetery Paterson, New Jersey

Brother

I hold onto our memories The ones that are so dear To try to keep you always close Now you are not here You were called, it was your time But it is so true You have left a legacy There was no one like you You were very special And I want to say I feel lost in many ways You are not here today But I will never forget you And I know I have been blessed To have you for my Brother Because you were the best...

Love Linda and Mary

Acknowledgement

The family of the late **John Saunders Cox** 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!

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