

In Loving Memory of

GIANTS



Antonio L. Baldwin

“Potts”

Sunrise
October 26, 1958

Sunset
November 4, 2015

Service

Thursday, November 12, 2015 - 11:00 a.m.

CHRISTIAN LOVE BAPTIST CHURCH

830 Lyons Avenue

Irvington, New Jersey 07111

Rev. Sharlene Ferrell, Officiating

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Reflections of Life

Antonio Lonnell Baldwin aka (Potts) the youngest child of the late Margaret Potts and Lawrence and Violet Baldwin was born in Newark, NJ on October 26, 1958. Antonio departed this life after a long illness at home surrounded by some of his many loved ones.

Antonio, affectionately known as “Lonnie” and “Potts” completed his early education in Newark. He was a graduate of Irvington Technical High School with training in tool and dye. In 1977, Lonnie enlisted in the US Navy and had a rank of PC3 prior to his discharge in 1981.

Lonnie returned to Newark for a brief time after his Navy discharge before moving his family to Jacksonville, Fla. Lonnie’s last return to Newark was in the late 90’s when his father became ill. They were able to spend a lot of time together building and fixing any and everything.

After searching for a church home, Lonnie became a member of the Christian Love Baptist Church family in 2005. Lonnie held the position of Armor Bearer to the late Rev. Ronald B. Christian and attended services faithfully until his illness.

Lonnie enjoyed spending time with his very large family and others. In his passing, Lonnie leaves to mourn and cherish many precious memories: his children: sons, Ardell Smith, James (Tony) and Tarrek Baldwin; daughters, Niemah Chavies-Hinton and Daaiyah McCray; a very special son-in-law, Kason; and two grandchildren, Kiya and Nyla; his siblings, Lucille McNally (John), Barbara Potts, Raafi Muhammad (Sharilyn), Theodore Potts (Starla) Lawrence Potts, Regina Bey (Salome) and Lornetta Folk; his Naval family and a host of other relatives and many, many friends.

Order of Service

Opening Hymn

Scripture Readings.....LT. Darell Houseton
Old Testament - Isaiah 25:6-9
New Testament - Romans 6:3-9

Prayer of Comfort.....Deacon Irvin Brown

Selection.....Bob Richardson

Military Presentation.....Navy Honor Guard

Lonnie Remembered.....(please limit remarks to 2mins)

Acknowledgements and Obituary.....Deacon Kenneth Hinnant

Selection.....Bob Richardson

Eulogy.....Rev. Sharlene Ferrell
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The Road to Eternity

Life is but a stopping place,
A pause in what's to be,
A resting place along the road,
to sweet eternity.

We all have different journeys,
Different paths along the way,
We all were meant to learn some things,
But never meant to stay...
Our destination is a place,
Far greater than we know.
For some, the journey's quicker,
For some, the journey's slow.
And when the journey finally ends,
We'll claim a great reward,
And find everlasting peace,
Together with the Lord.

Special Note: From Tony and Tarrek, we love you and miss you.

Acknowledgement

*The family of the late **Antonio L. Baldwin** 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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