

*Celebrating The Life of*

# **James Wallace Robinson**

*Sunrise*  
*November 21, 1949*

*Sunset*  
*September 3, 2016*

A portrait of James Wallace Robinson, an older man with a grey beard and mustache, wearing a white hat and a red shirt. He is smiling and has his hands clasped in front of him.

*Monday, September 12, 2016 - 11:00 a.m.*

## **WOODY “HOME FOR SERVICES”**

163 Oakwood Avenue

Orange, New Jersey 07050

*Pastor Nathaniel Bullock, Officiating*

*Larry Norman, Organist*

# Obituary

**James W. Robinson**, age sixty-six, passed away at his home, on Saturday, September 3, 2016. He was born on November 21, 1949 in Roper, NC, the son of James and Jessie Pearl Robinson.

He was a 1960's graduate of West Side High School Newark, NJ and attended Minnesota State University, Mankato, Minnesota receiving a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Psychology in the 1980's. He worked as a Mental Health and Treatment Adherence Counselor and spearheaded the very first outreach program of NJCRI in Newark, NJ, which became an asset to the community and a much needed program to improve community outreach services. James inspired people to admit even the toughest truths to themselves, and to develop plans to improve their quality of life. James never took any wooden nickels that life so often offers the naïve.

James was one of the last soldiers to be drafted into the military, and served three tours of duty during the Vietnam War from 1971 to 1974 receiving an Honorable Discharge.

James leaves to cherish his memory: his beloved wife, Ennis Robinson; two daughters, Sabre Burroughs and Tamika Robinson; five sons, Nigel Robinson, Ahmeen Burroughs, Dushant Robinson, Jason Folsom and Ki Newhouse; three sisters, Karnell Norman, Sandra Dunbar and Amelia Robinson; two brothers, Ronell Norman and Larry Norman. He is also survived by five grandchildren a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

# Order of Service

Organ Prelude .....	Larry Norman
Seating of the Family .....	The Funeral Director
Solo .....	“The Lord’s Prayer” -Larry Norman
Prayer of Comfort .....	Pastor Nathaniel Bullock
Scripture Readings	
Old Testament - Ecclesiastes 3:1-8 ...	Deacon Timothy Williams
New Testament - Matthew 5:1-12 .....	Deacon Marvin Bullock
Solo .....	“Yes He Will” - Larry Norman
Remarks .....	Family and Friends (two minutes please)
Acknowledgements & Resolutions .....	Carnell Norman
Obituary .....	Amelia Robinson
Solo .....	“It Is Well With My Soul” - Tyrone Dunlap
Eulogy .....	Pastor Nathaniel Bullock First Baptist Church • Kenilworth, NJ
Recessional .....	Clergy & Family

**Interment**  
*Graceland Memorial Park  
Gallop Hill Road  
Kenilworth, New Jersey 07033*

## *Repast*

*Following the Interment family and friends are invited for a repast at  
First Baptist Church, 225 North 8<sup>th</sup> Street • Kenilworth, NJ 07033*

# 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

*The family of **James Wallace Robinson** would like to take this opportunity to express our sincere appreciation for the many thoughtful acts of kindness, support and concern extended to us during our time of bereavement. Thank you and may God richly bless you.*

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