Homegoing Celebration



Deacon Hartley Blake

May 4, 1952 – October 27, 2026

Saturday, November 21, 2026

Viewing 9:00–11:00 AM · Service 11:00 AM

Creston Avenue Baptist Church

Bronx, New York

IN LOVING MEMORY

Remembering Hartley

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Today we give thanks for Deacon Hartley Blake, who was from Jamaica. We remember his faith in Jesus and the care he showed his family. His family remembers him with love and gratitude.

Hartley was preceded in death by his parents, Kenneth and Louise Blake, and his brothers Leonard Harrison and Ralph Blake.

He is lovingly remembered by his sisters, Marjorie Dale, Olive Jordan, Opal Valerie Salmon, and Annette Smith, and his brothers, Altiemond Blake, and Trevor Blake. He also leaves behind his sisters-in-law, Norma Blake, Carol Blake and June Blake.

Also 14 nieces, 9 nephews, a host of cousins and other relatives, countless friends and his cherished church family.

HOMEGOING CELEBRATION

Order of Service

- **Prelude and Family Processional**
- **Welcome and Opening Prayer**
  Rev. Marcia E. Stanley, Officiating Minister
- **Scripture Readings**
  Psalm 23 · Stephanie Bivins
  John 14:1–3 · Opal Valerie Salmon
- **Congregational Hymn**
- **Acknowledgments and Obituary Reading**
- **Guest Musical Selection**
  Cheryl Rochester, Times Square Church
- **Eulogy**
  Tanisha Blake-Allen
- **Family Tribute**
  “Precious Memories” · June & Tanisha
- **Special Tribute**
  A Song to Remember
- **Message of Comfort and Hope**
  Rev. Marcia E. Stanley
- **Closing Prayer and Benediction**
- **Recessional**

Graveside committal follows the church service.

WITH GRATITUDE

Thank You



Thank you for your prayers, your kindness, and for being here to celebrate Hartley's life with us. The memories you've shared have brought our family comfort.

The Family of Hartley Blake

Graveside Committal

Immediately following the church service

Final resting place · Valhalla, NY

Scripture Reading • Prayer of Committal • Final Blessing

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