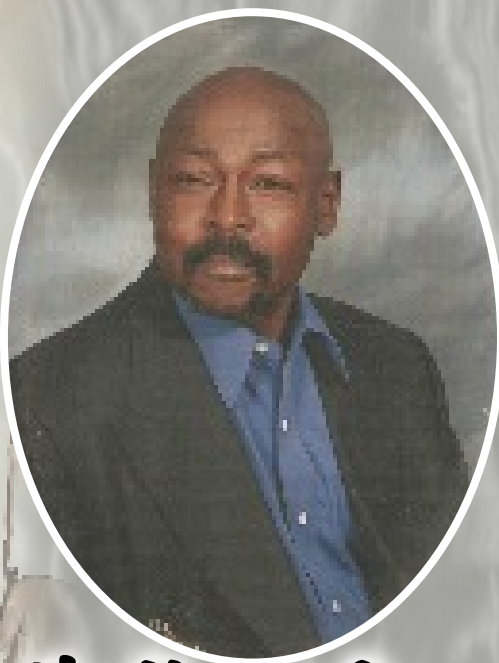


**In Loving Memory of**



**Vincent Hafley, Sr.**

**Sunrise**  
*May 16, 1948*

**Sunset**  
*May 5, 2013*

**Service**

Thursday, May 9, 2013 - 11:00 a.m.

**Cotton Funeral Service**

1025 Bergen Street

Newark, New Jersey

**Rev. Anthony Hawthorne, Officiating**

**Mark Antonio Fugate, Organist**

## *Obituary*

**Vincent Hafley, Sr.** was born on May 16, 1948 to the late Joseph, Sr. and Bessie Mae Hafley in Newark, New Jersey. He entered into eternal rest on May 5, 2013.

Vincent was educated through the Newark School system and later went to Bloomfield Tech to acquire the carpentry trade. He was employed by the Carpenters Local Union 253 for over forty years before he retired. He met and married Loretta Webster and through their union were blessed with two daughters, Loretta and Michelle and two sons, Vincent, Jr. and Joseph III. After their union, he met and married Sandra Crawford and they were blessed with two daughters, Pamela and Kimberly and became a stepfather to Derrick, Durren and Darrius Brooks.

Vince was a loving, warm hearted man who was always willing to help those in need and offered kind words of advice. He was the type of person who cannot be replaced in the hearts of those he touched with his beautiful spirit. He was very special to everyone in his life. He loved the Lord and was a member of New Hope Baptist Church since he was a young boy.

Vincent leaves to cherish his memory: his companion of twenty-seven years, Nathelia "T" Brown; two sons, Vincent, Jr. and Joseph III; two stepsons, Durren and Darrius Brooks; son-in-law, Sadiq Abdullah; three daughters, Michelle, Pamela and Kimberly; sixteen grandchildren; six great grandchildren; and a host of other relatives and friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Joseph, Sr. and Bessie Mae Hafley, his brother, Joseph, Jr., his aunt, Rose Bass, his stepson, Derrick and eldest daughter, Loretta.

# *Order of Service*

Processional

Selection

Scripture Readings

Prayer

Solo  
Joy Brown

Acknowledgements

Remarks

Obituary

Solo  
Joy Brown

Eulogy  
Rev. Anthony Hawthorne

Committal

Viewing

Recessional

## **Interment**

Rosehill Cemetery  
Linden, New Jersey

## **Repast**

*Immediately following the interment family  
and friends are invited for a repast at  
18 Bruen Ave. • Irvington, NJ 07111*



## Psalm 23

*The Lord is My Shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures; He leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul. He leadeth me in the path of righteousness for His name's sake. Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil; for Thou art with me; Thy rod and Thy staff they comfort me. Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies. Thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life; and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.*

### Acknowledgement

Perhaps you sent a lovely card or sat quietly in a chair.

Perhaps you sent a floral piece If so, we saw it there.

Perhaps you spoke the kindest words as any friend could say.

Perhaps you were not there at all just thought of us on that day.

Whatever you did to console our hearts, We Thank You, Whatever

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