

Memory of

Samuel Moore, OSr.

Sunrise April 16, 1934



<u>Reflections of Eife</u>

The gates of heaven opened allowing **Samuel Moore** (also known as Joe) to receive his God given rest on August 18th in the year of our Lord 2015.

Samuel Moore was born the youngest of thirteen children to Joseph and Fannie Moore on April 16, 1934 in Charleston, South Carolina. He received his education in the Charleston school system and at the age of seventeen, Samuel enlisted in the U.S. Army. From 1951 to 1954, he served in the Korean War. Upon his discharge he migrated to New York City. During the late 1950's, he met Ruby Cooper and they were married on July 6, 1959. On December 24, 1960, Ruby Moore gave birth to their son, Samuel Moore, Jr.

Samuel was affectionately known as "Joe" to his family and friends and basically can be described as dapper, charismatic and suave. He was an avid lover of all kinds of sports. He loved to talk and talk and talk and talk about any topic.

He worked various jobs until he gained employment at The New York City Parks Department for more than twenty-five years. He retired from the Parks Department in 1996.

After becoming a widower, God did not leave him comfortless and sent him a mate that he met and married. Marian Sharpe, whom he affectionately called her, "his shorty". They adopted each other's life and formed a blended family.

He leaves to cherish his memory: his loving and devoted wife; two sons, Chris and Paul Sharpe of NYC; his sister, Elizabeth Mayes, of Charleston, SC; five granddaughters and five grandsons; and a host of nieces, nephews and friends; the sparkle that lit his eyes was his first granddaughter, Renee Moore; he adopted their devoted cat, Shaboo who was found in the hallway of their apartment complex.

Sleep on dear Joe and take your rest, we all love you, but God loves you best.

<u>Service</u> Thursday, August 27, 2015 - 10:00 a.m.

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Presiding - Rev. Kellie Y. Wofford Pastor St. Mark AME Zion/Poughkeepsie, NY Bobby Arrington, Organist

Recessional



The Healer

If your Heart is very heavy,

and you find it hard to smile, just find a quiet corner

and talk to God a while.

Fou only have to Whisper, and call to Seim by name, See has the power,

if you believe,

to gently ease your pain. He keeps the cure no secret

that **heals** your **heart** and mind, the healing that He gives to us is just "A Matter of Time."

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Acknowledgement

The family acknowledges with deep appreciation all acts of kindness extended to them during this bereavement hour. May God bless you for all your thoughtfulness and concern.

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