In Loving Memory of

Stanley Copeland

Sunrise: December 2, 1953 Sunset: December 4, 2018

<u>Service</u> Saturday, December 15, 2018 - 10:00 a.m. **UNITY FUNERAL CHAPELS, INC.** 2352 8th Avenue • New York, NY 10027

<u>Obituary</u>



Stanley Copeland, age 65, died of heart complications on December 4th, 2018, in Fairview Nursing & Rehabilitation Center, Queens, New York. Stanley Copeland was born on December 2nd, 1953 in Montgomery, Alabama, to parents, Narcissus and Eugene Copeland.

He graduated from Charles Evan Hughes in 1965. Stanley worked in the 32nd Precinct for a short while and then enlisted himself in the U.S. Army in 1972. After serving, he returned home to be closer to his family, where he became well known in his community as "Stan the Man" or "Uncle Stan". To the ladies, he was known as "Too Sweet".

He enjoyed drawing and entered his artwork in a show where he and his brother sold a few of their paintings. One of his pictures hung in 1199 Recreation Center for some time before they closed to

renovate it. He collected comic books, tried to sing, but no talent in that. Lol. He loved to watch movies with you and spoil the plot because he watched it already. His family and friends will always remember him as a smooth-talking, Goldie PIMP sounding, Pepsi drinking, Oreo eating, ponytail wearing, hoarder having, Maguiver acting, Stan the Man. The dude in the car that looks like a dresser.

Stanley Copeland is survived by: his daughter, Tamika Lovell Edmond, of Cheryl Edmond; his brother, Eugene Copeland; his three sisters, Gwendolyn Tate, Crystal Copeland, and Terri Copeland; his sisters-in-law, Tina Clarrett and Teresa Tate; his god brothers, Gary Peterson and Wayne Faust; his nephew, Clinton Tate; two nieces, Anastasia Harris and Kenisha Clarrett; his great-nieces, Tanasia and Tiana Harris, and Nubia and Shayla Jade Tate; and his great-nephews, Christian Copeland and Amir Coleman. He is preceded in death by his mother, Narcissus Copeland; his father, Eugene Copeland; and his baby-brother, Rodney Copeland.

Order of Service

| Processional | The Family |
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| Opening Prayer | Pastor Jay Gooding Fellowship Tabernacle, Bronx, NY |
| Selection | LeCora Okeagu aka Ms. Coco |
| Scripture ReadingsLeCora Okeagu aka Ms. Coco Old Testament - Proverbs 4:7 New Testament - Romans 6:23 | |
| Obituary Reading | Kenisha Copeland |
| Card Reading | Gary Peterson |
| Reflections | Crystal Copeland Bernadette Simmons |
| Selection | LeCora Okeagu aka Ms. Coco |
| Eulogy | |

<u>Interment</u>

Mt. Holiness Memorial Park Butler, New Jersey

Reception to follow at Riverside Landings (1199) Community Room. Coco chair-person of A-building will officiate. All are welcome to attend and celebrate Stanley Copeland's life. In Loving Memory of

A Letter From Heaven

When tomorrow starts without me, And I'm not here to see, If the sun should rise and find your eyes, filled with tears for me.

I wish so much you wouldn't cry, the way you did today, While thinking of the many things, we didn't get to say.

 know how much you love me, as much as I love you,
And each time you think of me,
know you'll miss me too.

When tomorrow starts without me, don't think we're far apart, for every time you think of me, I'm right there in your heart.

<u>Acknowledgement</u>

The family would like to thank Pastor J. Gooding for a beautiful service, and everyone in attendance, Family, and Friends.

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