

*In Loving Memory of*



*Roy Lee Baker*

Sunrise: August 30, 1954 - Sunset: March 16, 2019

*Service*

Sunday, March 24, 2019 ~ 2:00 pm

**G. G. Woody Funeral Home**

206 East Eighth Avenue

Roselle, New Jersey 07203

Bishop Fetson Leak, Eulogist

## *Life Reflections*

*Roy Lee Baker* was born on August 30, 1954 in Aberdeen, Mississippi, son of Ezell and Eula Fuller Baker. Roy was one of eleven children. He lived in New Jersey since 1968. In 1978, he married Joann Garris.

Roy was employed as a Forklift Driver at White Rose Company in Avenel, retiring in 2016. Previously, he was employed by Eddie R. Baker Company for EBCO Construction Company through the late 1970s and early 1980s. As a laborer, he was a great help to his brother's company.

He was an avid New York Mets fan.

On Saturday, March 16, 2019, Roy Lee Baker departed this life at Ashbrook Care and Rehab Center in Scotch Plains at the age of sixty-four.

He was predeceased by his father, Ezell Baker; sister, Geneva Baker and brother, Ezell Baker, Jr.

Roy leaves to cherish precious memories, his wife, Joann Garris Baker; mother, Eula Baker; five stepchildren: Kenny Garris (Carol), Annie Garris (Michael), Gregory Garris, Jeffrey Garris and Tina Garris; six sisters: Narzell High, Earlean Wright, Annie Debose, Peggie Jones (Vincent), Shirley Baker and Geraldine Clark (Billy); two brothers: Eddie Baker (Cheryl) and Excell Baker (Beverly); and a host of nieces, nephews, dear relatives and friends.

### *God Saw You Getting Tired*

God saw you getting tired when a cure was not to be.

So He wrapped His arms around you,  
and whispered, "Come unto me."

You didn't deserve what you went through,  
and so He gave you rest.

God's garden must be beautiful, he only takes the best.

So when I saw you sleeping, so peaceful and free from pain.

I could not wish you to come back, to suffer that all again.

Humbly submitted,  
The Family

# Order Of Service

Organ Prelude

Scriptures.....Chanita Tanner

Old Testament:

New Testament:

Prayer of Comfort

Remarks (Limit 2 minutes).....Family and Friends

Acknowledgement of Condolences

Obituary

Solo.....Cheryl Baker

Eulogy.....Bishop Fetson Leak

Recessional

**Cremation**

Rosehill Crematory  
Linden, New Jersey

*Immediately following the Service, Family and Friends  
are invited to a Repast located at  
John F. Kennedy Community Center  
796 Hazelwood Avenue in Rahway, New Jersey.*

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*"Where Our Sympathy Expresses Itself Through Sincere Service"*

**Pallbearers**  
**Family and Friends of Roy Lee Baker**



**Acknowledgement**

The family wishes to express their sincere gratitude and thanks to those who have shown their support in our time of loss. We are grateful for your prayers.