



In  
Loving  
Memory  
of

**Alphonso Pinks**

Sunrise: December 9, 1979

Sunset: August 22, 2019

Service

*Saturday, September 7, 2019 - 4:00 p.m.*

**UNITY FUNERAL CHAPELS, INC.**

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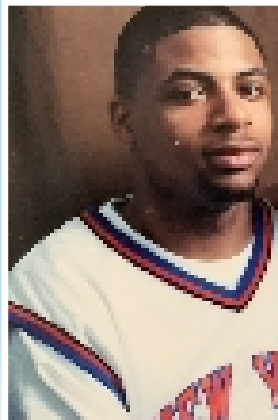
# Obituary

*Alphonso Pinks, Jr. passed away on August 22nd, 2019 at Montefiore Hospital in the Bronx.*

*Alphonso Pinks, Jr. was born to Alphonso Pinks, Sr. and Alzada Harris on December 9th, 1979 in New York City at Metropolitan Hospital. He was educated in the New York City Public Schools. At the time of his passing he was employed by Verson Building Service Corporation where he took great pride in his work.*

*Alphonso Pinks, affectionately called "Al" was also known by greeting everyone with blessings. He enjoyed listening to reggae, rap and R&B music. He also enjoyed sports, reading, and spending time with family and friends.*

*He leaves to mourn: his parents, mother, Alzada Harris and her husband, Richard Harris; his father, Alphonso Pinks and his wife, La'shawn Pinks; Alphonso Pinks, Jr.'s wife, Valentina Pinks; his children, Nina Marie Pinks, Alphonso Sabali Pinks and Zion Pinks; his sister, Ebony Pinks; brothers, David Pinks, Nahiem Harris and Malik Pinks; sister-in-law, Alexandra; his step-sisters, Shawntae Lorick, Shakeema Harris, and Malika Jackson; step-brother, Cahiem Harris; god-sister, Shawntaya Richardson; nieces, Mia and Kylie; nephews, Hasan, Qwan, Nahiem, Lance, Cahiem and Caziaah; aunts, Henriette Benton, Lora Johnson, June Benton, Jacklyn Benton Clark, Mary Pinks, Deborah Pinks, Donna Pinks and Elraina Benton; uncles, John Benton and Lenny Pinks; and a host of nieces, nephews and friends.*



# Order of Service

Processional

Selection - "Jesus Will".....Alaura Johnson

Scripture Readings.....Lora Johnson

Old Testament - Ecclesiastes 3:1-4

New Testament - John 14:1-3

Prayer

Selection - "Silver and Gold".....Alaura Johnson

Acknowledgements

Remarks

Obituary.....Christina Pinks

Selection - "I Won't Complain".....Dante Hawkins

Eulogy.....Rev. Ron Sullivan

Committal

Viewing Recessional - "Precious Lord".....Dante Hawkins

## Final Disposition

*Oxford Hills Crematory  
Chester, New York*

**REPAST**

**Community Room**

**2101 Lexington Avenue, New York, NY**

# I'm Free

*Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free  
I'm following the path God laid for me  
I took his hand when I heard Him call  
I turned my back and left it all.*

*I could not stay another day.*

*To laugh, to love, to work or play.  
Tasks left undone must stay that way,  
I found that peace at the close of day.*

*If my parting has left a void,  
Then fill it up with remembered joy.*

*A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,  
Oh, yes these things I too will miss.*

*Be not burdened with times of sorrow,  
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.*

*My life's been full, I savored much.*

*Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.*

*Perhaps my time seemed all too brief,  
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.*

*Lift up your heart and share with me,  
God wanted me now, He set me free!*

*-author unknown*

## Acknowledgement

*During this time of sorrow our friends and family will always  
remember your kindness and sympathy. May God continue to  
shower you with his blessings.*

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