

Service
Tuesday, October 8, 2019 ~ 12:00 noon
St. Matthew Baptist Church
159 East Ninth Avenue
Roselle, New Jersey 07203
Bishop Wayne L. Johnson, Eulogist

## Order Of Service

Organ Prelude

Hymn of Praise....#394- "We Are Often Tossed & Driven"

Scripture Readings:

Old Testament: 23rd Psalm

New Testament: I Thessalonians: 4:13-18

Prayer of Comfort

Solo......".....Wanda
White

Reflections (Limit 2 minutes)

Acknowledgement of Condolences......Martha Washington

Obituary.....LaMar Giles

Solo....."Stand By Me"Sandra Giles

Eulogy.....Bishop Wayne L. Johnson

Final Viewing

Recessional

### **Interment**

Rosehill Cemetery Linden, New Jersey

Services Entrusted To:

#### G.G. Woody Funeral Home, LLC

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## Reflections of Life

John Leroy Giles was born on May 15, 1956 in Farmville, Virginia, son of John R. Giles, Jr. and the late Sallie Dailey. He was the youngest of the twin boys. The family lived in New Jersey since 1958. His public education was fostered in Linden, New Jersey where Leroy graduated from Linden High School. Many of his teachers still remember how well-mannered he was and spoke very highly of him.

He was employed by Meals on Wheels in Linden, New Jersey. Previously, Leroy worked for J.B. Williams in Cranford.

Nothing compared to the pride and exuberance of being a dad to his sons, daughters and grandchildren. Leroy also spent some time communicating with family and friends on the internet. Leroy enjoyed cooking and was quite capable in the kitchen. He was also an avid sports fan and his favorite teams were the Los Angeles Lakers and Oakland Raiders. He really loved comedy and always enjoyed a good joke. He could have you rolling in laughter.

Most of all, he had a quiet devotion to God.

On Sunday, September 29, 2019, Leroy departed this life. He was known to be a friendly, loving and caring man and will be sorely missed.

Leroy leaves to cherish his precious memories, his father, John R. Giles, Jr.; two daughters: Trina Rodriguez of Massachusetts and Ariel Giles of South Carolina; two sons: Michael Giles and Ashton Giles; three brothers: Vincent, Richard (Eleanor) and Leon (Charlotte) of New Jersey; grandchildren: DaShawn, Fabian, Brent, Dream and Rein; and a host of loving nieces, nephews, cousins and friends, who will miss him dearly.

Humbly submitted, The Family







# Gentle Giant

He was kind, the gentle giant
Who cared and loved.
His smile would illuminate,
He never had to say a word.
He is the son, the father, the
nephew, the uncle,
The cousin & friend who
understood that
Family is love & togetherness...It
never ends.

God created many things, (ruler of this land.)

With love & care, you Uncle are loved

You rest now without pain, we'll carry on your name.
Oh & I promise Uncle
I'll keep score of every game.

~ Esham Giles

#### <u>Pallbearers</u>

Richard Giles II Esham Giles Dashawn Richardson Vincent Giles II Muhammad Giles Fabian Giles

## 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.
Legald not stay another day

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.

<u>Acknowledgement</u>

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

The family of the late **John Leroy Giles** wishes to acknowledge with sincere appreciation, every thought and act of kindness expressed to us during this time of bereavement.

May God continue to richly bless you.