

In Loving Memory of



Reginald K. Davis

Sunrise
June 21, 1952

Sunset
December 1, 2019

Service

Thursday, December 12, 2019 • 11:00 a.m.

COTTON FUNERAL SERVICE
1025 Bergen Street • Newark, New Jersey

Obituary

Reginald Kenneth Davis affectionately known as “Uncle Reggie” to friends and family, was born on June 21, 1952 to the late Edward Davis, Sr. and the late Pearl Thompson Davis in Newark, New Jersey.

Reginald’s formative years were spent between Charlotte, North Carolina and Newark, New Jersey, with the majority of the time spent in Newark, New Jersey, along with his siblings, Kwame Davis, Randolph Davis, and Wanda Davis-Dill as well as his late siblings, Ronald Davis, Mydelia Florence, and Olivia Davis.

Reginald was educated in the public and private schools of Newark, where he attended 18th Avenue School from kindergarten to 3rd grade, Queen of Angels School from 4th to 8th grade, and Essex Catholic High School through graduation. Reginald continued his studies at Ramapo College where he obtained a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Communications and a minor in Dance.

After college Reginald began a career in Early Childhood Education that spanned 10 plus years. He was a strong lead teacher for Grace West Early Childhood Daycare Center and Scudder Child Daycare Center. He loved all of his students and was committed to their educational and personal development. His communication skills were further exemplified when he began a career in property management. Reginald managed a number of housing properties throughout the greater Newark metropolitan area until he retired.

Reginald was a social, active man, who was deeply involved in the fine arts for the majority of his life. He enjoyed reading, dancing, and singing. Throughout his life, Reginald developed many life-long friendships. Inspiring creativity and dedication in others were his lifelong goals. He brought joy into the lives of many and did so on a regular basis, especially his two nieces Courtney and Caitlyn Dill, who he helped raise. Though he did not have biological children, he loved his nieces like they were his own.

Reginald is survived by his siblings, Kwame Davis, Randolph Davis, and Wanda Davis-Dill. He is also survived by a host of other relatives and friends.

Order of Service

Processional

Selection

Scripture Reading
Old Testament
New Testament

Prayer of Comfort

Selection

Remarks
(Two minutes each please)

Acknowledgements and Obituary
Courtney Dill

Selection

Eulogy
Rev. Edward Allen

Recessional

INTERMENT

Evergreen Cemetery
Hillside, New Jersey

***Repast to follow 133 7th Ave. • Newark, NJ
in the community room***

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

The family of **Reginald K. Davis** wishes to extend our sincere gratitude for all acts of kindness and sympathy shown to us at our time of bereavement. God bless you all for your thoughtfulness and concern.

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