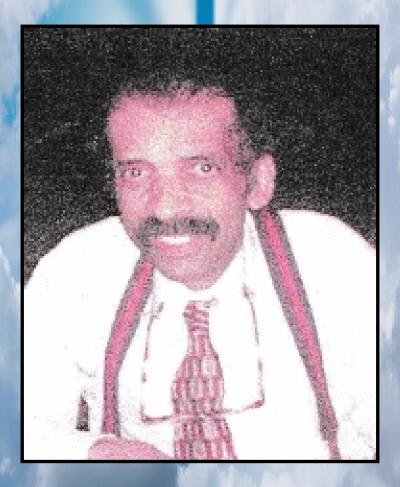
# In Loving Memory of Douglas P. Dabney

Sunrise February 14, 1947 Sunset January 23, 2020



<u>Service</u> Wednesday, January 29, 2020 • 11:00 a.m.

## CHRIST THE KING CATHOLIC CHURCH 768 Ocean Ave. • Jersey City, New Jersey

### <u>Obituary</u>

Douglas P. Dabney was born on February 14, 1947 in Jersey City, NJ at the Margaret Hague Hospital to William and Marie Dabney Smith.

Douglas graduated from P.S. 22 and Lincoln High School in 1967. He later graduated from St. Peters College with a degree in Journalism. He later went on to become a reporter for the Jersey Journal for a few years before moving to Houston, TX. The passing of his mother brought Douglas home to New Jersey for a minute before moving to Philadelphia, PA to work for the Philadelphia Tribune. Afterwards Douglas worked for Urban League as a job developer helping people to get jobs which he loved to do, he loved to help people and party and vacation with his friends, Vaughn and Hank three peas in a pod and the three amigos.

In 2004 Douglas was diagnosed with Parkinsons Disease. In June 2019 he came to live with his sister, Charmaine whom took on the love of becoming his caretaker with his passing on Thursday, January 23, 2020.

Douglas is preceded in death his father, Williams Dabney, his mother, Marie Dabney Smith, his stepfather, Robert Smith, his sisters, Joan Artist, Linda Major Hall, Dianne Ahmad and his brothers, Thomas Dabney, and Richard Dabney.

Douglas leaves to cherish his memory: his brothers, William "Bill" Dabney, Michael Smith and one sister, Charmaine Jeffries; and a host of nieces, nephews, close friends, Vaughn Tripp, Bobby Hankerson, and Janetta Ellis; brother-in-law, Larry Artist.

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### Order of Worship

Reception and Blessing of the Body

Placing of the Pall

Opening Prayer of Consolation

Lord Have Mercy

Hymn of Consolation....."Christ The King Choir "Hush"

1st Reading......Wisdom 3:1-9

2<sup>nd</sup> Reading Romans 8:31b-35, 37-39

Gospel Rev. Estermino

Homily

Prayer of Petition

Communion of Gifts

**Holy Communion** 

Meditation Song..."Something About The Name"......Brenda Goodson

Reading of The Obituary......William Dabney

Final Prayer and Commendation

INTERMENT

Private



I'd like the memory of me
To be a happy one,
I'd like to leave an afterglow
Of smiles when day is done.
I'd like to leave an echo
Whispering softly down the ways,
Of happy times
and laughing times
And bright and sunny days.
I'd like the tears
of those who grieve
To dry before the sun
Of happy memories that
I leave behind,
When the day is done.

-Helen Lowrie Marshall

#### Acknowledgement

The family of **Douglas P. Dabney** 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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