

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

Perhaps you sent a lovely card or sat quietly in a chair.
Perhaps you sent a floral piece If so, we saw it there.
Perhaps you spoke the kindest words as any friend could say.
Perhaps you were not there at all just thought of us on that day.
Whatever you did to console our hearts, We Thank You, Whatever the part.

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In Loving Memory of



Jerome L. Rogers

August 17, 1969 - July 29, 2019

Service

Saturday, February 1, 2020 - 1:00 p.m.

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Order of Service

Welcome.....Dr. Tyrone Lance Knighton
Prayer of Comfort
Poem.....Jaiheer Joseph Rogers
Words of Comfort and Reflections (two minutes only)
Obituary.....Sajah Soniya Mcclean
Acknowledgements.....Safiya Khadijah Rogers
Eulogy.....Dr. Noreen Daniels-Knighton

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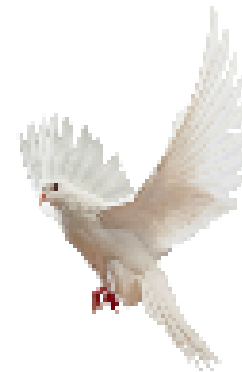
*To be held at Flaming Grill & Supreme Buffet
293 Ferry Street • Newark, New Jersey 07105 @ 3:00 p.m.*



Obituary

Jerome (nee Khalil) Lamont Rogers, of Newark, New Jersey, passed away July 29, 2019 at the age forty-nine. He is survived by his parents, Joseph Lewis Rogers and Evelyn Marie Rogers, his siblings, Malisah Dorthia Rogers, Marcus Paul Rogers, and Safiya Khadijah Rogers, nephews, Jamal Abdul Johnson, Jaiheer Joseph Rogers, Nathan Samuel Rogers and nieces, Sajah Soniya Mcclean, Sanyu Olive Mcclean, and great nieces, Amattala Mohammed, Genesis Jazelle Rogers and a host of family and friends.

Jerome was born on August 17, 1969, Newark, New Jersey. He attended the Newark school system. Jerome spent most of his work life in restaurant and hospitality where he developed knowledge and insight of the restaurant and hospitality business. As a worker, he received more than thirty (30) certificates and accommodations for his work performance. Jerome was also a talented artist. He showed passion for comedy by continuing to perform in front of family or on stage. His objective was to get others to laugh.



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