

In Loving Memory of

Glenn Tree Hilton

Sunrise
November 28, 1953

Sunset
February 4, 2020

Service

Wednesday, February 12, 2020

Viewing: 9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Service: 11:00 a.m.

Whigham Funeral Home

580 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd. • Newark, New Jersey

Obituary

Glenn Tree Hilton was born on November 28, 1953 in Newark, NJ to the late Coal & Verlena Hilton.

Glenn received his education from West High School where he played multiple sports mostly with him being featured in news papers as the best athlete in football, track & field, & wrestling. After graduating from high school, Glenn enlisted into the U.S. Army where he served as a paratrooper with the 101st Airborne Division out of Ft. Campbell KY. From there he briefly worked as an insurance salesman dressing in suits and Stacy Adams shoes. Yes, he would mention the whole sentence.

For the next 32 years, Glenn worked at Partroy Rubber Company now known as New Pride as a dedicated supervisor foreman never missing a day of work and always on time.

If Glenn was not at work, you could find him at many local basketball games throughout Essex County (he loved basketball) which he shared with his daughters Angie and Stephanie bringing them to every game. Glenn loved sports, you could always hear him cussing, fussing and yelling if his favorite teams were playing: the Boston Celtics "that's 3" as # 33 Larry Bird would shoot, and the NY Giants if you didn't hear him say L.T. #56 is the greatest Linebacker in the NFL a thousand times day, he drove everyone who wasn't a Giants fan crazy with the L.T. talk and you know that we all had to admit he was right, LAWRENCE TAYLOR is the greatest linebacker in the NFL!!!!!!

Glenn also deeply loved his family and friends, he could not stop bragging on his family and close friend's many accomplishments. If you were a part of his family he had a great story about you and only you. He cherished every single one in his tribe and never let a day go by without saying I LOVE YOU! or showing he loved you unconditionally.

I'm sure we all have memories of Glenn playing cards with his sisters, brothers, nieces, nephews and cousins, while going shopping in his house shoes (slippers) and Pajama pants with various family members, family get togethers, washing clothes on Sundays with many friends before any football or basketball games of course, door bells ringing, phone calls, military movies on repeat like Full Metal Jacket, watching old westerns like The Rifleman, NEW JACK CITY watched a hundred times a day and most of all a man who would give you his last dollar and the shirt off his back.

Glenn predeceased by his sister Rita Mathis in 2016.

Glenn leaves to cherish his memory; his beloved wife of 40 years, Linda Hilton; his two daughters, Angela (Chris) Richardson, & Stephanie (Jack) Salazar; three grandchildren, Najee Major, Miles Seaman & Kayla Mcleod-Choice; one great-grand daughter, Kayla Marie Major; mother inlaw Bernice Powell; two sisters, Loretta Hilton & Deaconess Alice Hilton; two brothers, Larry Hilton & Eric Hilton (Lisa); two brothers-in-law, Michael Powell & Louis McClinton (Brenda) and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Order of Service

Processional

Scripture Reading

Michael Powell

Old Testament

New Testament

Prayer Comfort

Doreen Hines (cousin)

Hymn

Obituary

Shieedah West (niece)

Remarks

Selection

Eulogy

Michael Powell

Benediction

Recessional

Interment

Evergreen Cemetery

Hillside, New Jersey



I'm Free


Don't grieve for me, for now I am free,
I'm following the path God laid for me.
I took his hand when I heard his call,
I turned my back and left it all.
I could not stay another day,
To laugh, to love, to work, to play.
Tasks left undone must stay that way,
I've found that peace at the close of the day.
If my parting has left a void,
Then fill it with remembered joy.
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,
Ah 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.

Acknowledgement

The family of **Glenn Hilton** wishes to acknowledge all acts of kindness shown to them during the passing of their loved one. Your thoughtfulness, prayers, food, gifts, phone calls, floral pieces and most of all your presence will always be remembered by us. May God shower each of you with His richest blessings.
~ The Family ~

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