

In Loving Memory of
Corey D. Acoff



Sunrise: June 1, 1969 - Sunset: February 3, 2020

Service

Thursday, February 13, 2020 • 12:00 Noon

GREATER ABYSSINIAN BAPTIST CHURCH
88 Lyons Avenue • Newark, New Jersey

Obituary

Corey Damon Acoff was born in Newark, NJ to Thomasine and Hobbie Fletcher on June 1, 1969. He attended Maple Avenue Annex and Maple Avenue Elementary School. He was a member of the Good Neighborhood Baptist Church in his youth and was baptized at age thirteen by the late Reverend Teabout.

In 1987, he graduated from Weequahic High School. Corey attended Essex County College and enjoyed history immensely. You could ask Corey anything about World War I, World War II, and Vietnam and he could tell you from beginning to end. Corey worked at Newark Beth Israel for ten years and worked for Verizon as a Facilities Technician for thirteen years. He retired in 2013, but he loved his job and was always a hard worker.

Corey loved movies, video games, and music. His favorite television show was “Sanford and Son”, and his favorite movies were “Long Hot Summer”, “Titanic”, and “The Ten Commandments”. Corey loved to drive and was quick to get up and drive down south to visit family and friends.

Corey was preceded in death by his grandparents, Emma and Jimmie Acoff; and Elizabeth Fletcher and S.T. Simpson. Corey is survived by his parents, Thomasine and Hobbie Fletcher; sister, Sonya Fletcher; niece, Chanel Mayo; nephew, Jaiden Fletcher; godchild, Tarin Blanding; as well as a host of aunts, uncles, and cousins who loved Corey deeply.

Order of Service

Processional

Scripture Reading.....Old Testament/New Testament

Prayer of ComfortMs. Rhonda Campbell

Solo.....Mrs. Trina Campbell-Drew

Reflections and Remarks (2 minutes)

Selection.....Pastor Alfred Dingle

Poem.....Ms. Chanel Mayo

Acknowledgements.....Mrs. Alethea Dixon

Reading of Obituary.....Mrs. Alethea Dixon

SoloPastor Alfred Dingle

Closing Prayer.....Pastor Alfred Dingle

Recessional

INTERMENT

Evergreen Cemetery
Hillside, New Jersey

Pallbearers

Cory Acoff
Earnest Vincent Acoff Jr. (Pooh)
Anttwine Foster

David Acoff
Kyle Aronce
Darryl Talyor

REPAST

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Afterglow

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



Expression of Thanks from the Family

It has been a comforting blessing to each of us. God bless you all for your acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy in our great loss. We sincerely appreciate the token of love you have provided and means so much to our family. ... We deeply appreciate your kind expression of sympathy in our time of great sorrow.

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