



In Loving Memory of
Ellis Allen

Sunrise
April 17, 1929

Sunset
February 11, 2020

Service

Saturday, February 22, 2020 • 6:00 p.m.

NEW A.M.E. ZION CHURCH
153 Lawrence Street, Paterson, New Jersey
Rev. Dr. Odinga Maddox II, Officiating

Reflections of Life



Ellis Allen was born in Accomack County, VA on April 17, 1929. He was the son of the late Bedie and Bertie (Bagwell) Allen, the tenth of their twelve children. He received his early education in the Accomack County public schools. Ellis married Frances (Parker) and from that union two daughters, Stephanie and Brenda were born. Ellis relocated to Paterson, NJ in 1956. He later married Frances (Robertson) and four beautiful children were born Gary, Jerome, Bruce and Alicia Allen.

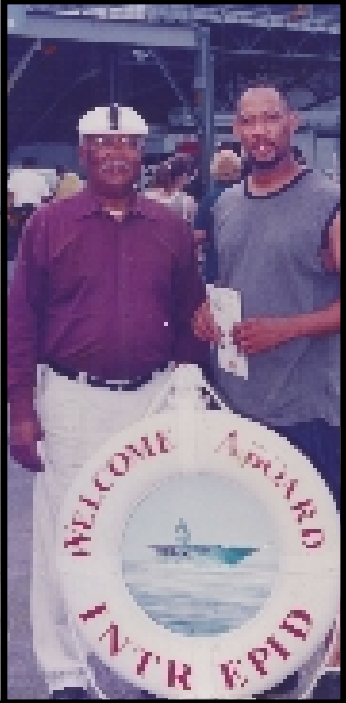
Ellis was employed by Impact Sanitation Company for more than fifty years and retired as a foreman. Ellis was known and respected by many people in the city of Paterson whenever you needed something he knew just where to go and who to speak with from his years of work. Ellis was a lover of animals and could be seen sitting in his yard with his beloved pets Simba and Tommy. He also enjoyed gardening and loved to share the fruits of his labor. He was well known for his vegetable garden and shared his tomatoes with anyone who stopped over to visit. He was a man of few words but when he spoke he spoke with distinction and was to be listened to. He was always willing to lend a hand to any family member in need and was a favorite uncle to many of his nieces, nephews and friends.

He is predeceased by two children, Gary Allen and Brenda Brothers, a son-in-law, Henry Haygood, siblings, Howard Allen, James Allen, Leander Allen (Mabel), Solomon Allen, Shelly Allen, Mary Mason, Helen Bundick, Alice Allen, Blanche Parks, and Hazel Bailey.

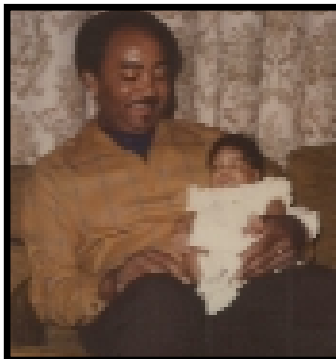
Ellis departed this earth on Tuesday, February 11, 2020.

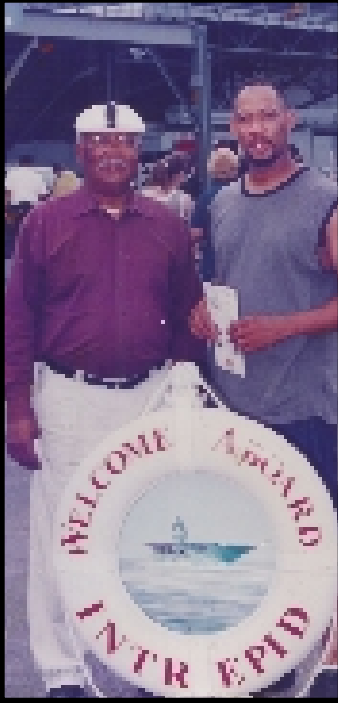
He is survived by his loving wife, Frances Allen; his children, Jerome Allen (Margaret), Fairfield, CA, Bruce Allen (special friend Gertha Quick), Paterson, NJ, Alicia Allen, Paterson, NJ, Stephanie Haygood, Bethany, DE, Claudette Flores, Clifton, NJ; grandchildren, Michelle Brothers, Kiana Allen, Michael Duggans, Nyasia Allen, Jerome Allen Jr., Hollis Duggans, Candance Flores and Andrea Alston; great grandchildren, Jayla Allen, Ayden Allen, Amiya Mason, Darius Jones; sister, Sue Pullin, Dublin, GA. He is also survived by a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.











The Chain Will Link Again

*Little did we know that morning,
God was going to call your name.
In life we loved you dearly,
in death we do the same.
It broke our hearts to lose you,
you did not go alone.
For part of us went with you,
the day God called you home.
You left us beautiful memories,
your love is still our guide.
And although we cannot see you,
you are always by our side.
Our family chain is broken,
and nothing seems the same.
But as God calls us one by one,
the chain will link again.*

-Author unknown

Acknowledgement

The family of the late **Ellis Allen** wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation the many expressions of love, concern and kindness shown to our family during this our time of bereavement. May God Bless and Keep You!

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