In Loving Memory

Henry Wayne Kendrick

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Sunrise March 30, 1953

Sunset March 20, 2020

<u>Service</u> Thursday, April 2, 2020 • 12:00 Noon

CARNIE P. BRAGG FUNERAL HOME 256 Rosa Parks Blvd., Paterson, New Jersey *Rev. Dr. Randall M. Lassiter, Officiating Rev. Keith Oden, Organist*

<u>Reflections of Life</u>

Henry Wayne Kendrick was born on March 30, 1953 in Aberdeen, North Carolina.

As a child, the family relocated to Paterson, NJ. He received his education through Paterson Public School System graduating from John F. Kennedy High School.

After completing high school, he enlisted in the United States Marine Corp. and completed his 4 year term from 1972-1976 and received an honorable discharge as a Lance Corporal.

Henry worked at several jobs over the years; Howe Richardson Scale Co, Marcal Paper Co and Barnert Memorial Hospital just to name a few. He then decided to go back to school and enrolled in Bergen Technical School where he received certification in refrigeration. Afterwards, he attended Lincoln Tech and received his diploma as an automotive mechanic in 1994.

Henry started working for the Borough of Teaneck as a mechanic and was there for 25 years. During his time there he was part of the Union Association and Union President. He retired from the Borough of Teaneck in 2016.

Henry was a longtime member of Calvary Baptist Church where he was active in the Men's Auxiliary and was on the Trustee Board. He also participated in and supported their programs.

Henry was a Boy Scout troop leader for Calvary Baptist Church. Often, he loved to go camping and fishing. He enjoyed going to Atlantic City, playing the lottery, and Bingo, planning parties, social gatherings, having cookouts/entertaining family and friends. His favorite sports teams were the Dallas Cowboys and the New York Knicks. He also loved watching the games on his big screen tv along with old Westerns and many of the Law and Order shows. Years ago, he sang with the Men of Umoja Choral Ensemble. Since being retired, he enjoyed Wednesday lunches with his friends.

Henry was called home to rest on March 20, 2020 while at home. He was predeceased by his parents; Henry and Thelma Kendrick, his son; Henry"Man" Kendrick, Jr., one sister; Penelope Wilson, two brothers; Donald Nelson Kendrick and Glen Dale Kendrick.

He leaves to cherish his memory his daughter; Adrina Kendrick of Paterson, NJ, two grandsons; Joshua Kendrick of Lodi, NJ and Jahlil Kelly of Labelle, FL, one brother; Ronald Kendrick, and five sisters; Elaine Williams, Kathleen (Timpson) Jordan, Denva (Eric) Mallett all of Paterson, NJ, Mary (Earl) Johnson of South Bend, IN and Deborah (Warren, Sr.) Savage of Wilmington, DE, one sister-in-law; Delores Kendrick of Yemassee, SC, three aunts; Johnsie Rochester of Southern Pines, NC, Naomi Collins of Sharon Hill, PA, Margorie McNeil of Glen Mills, PA, two goddaughters; Ashley Bankhead of Greater Portland, ME and Whitney Savage of Wilmington, DE, a longtime partner; Lynnel Crawford of Passaic, NJ and a host of nieces, nephews, other family and relatives.

Order of Service

Selection

Scripture Reading Old Testament New Testament

Prayer of Comfort

Selection

Words of Comfort Rev. Dr. Randall M. Lassiter Calvary Baptist Church • Paterson, NJ

Recessional

<u>Interment</u>

Brigadier General William C. Doyle Veterans Memorial Cemetery Wrightstown, New Jersey

The Master Called

I'm sorry I had to leave you. My loved ones, oh so dear. But you see, the Master called me, His voice was very clear! I had made my reservation A heaven bound ticket for one, And I knew that He would call me When He felt my work was done. I know that your hearts are heavy Because I have gone away, But when the Master called me, I knew that I could not stay. Yes, I'm sorry I had to leave you My loved ones, oh so dear, But, you see, the Master called me And, now I'm resting here. Yes, I've crossed on over to glory And to you all I say Just stay in the hands of Jesus And we'll meet again someday.

Hcknowledgement

The family of the late **Henry Wayne Kendrick** 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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