

In Loving Memory of



Gilbert Wall

July 31, 1940 - April 17, 2020

FRIDAY, MAY 15, 2020

SERVICE: 11:00 AM

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163 Oakwood Avenue • Orange, New Jersey 07050

INTERMENT

Evergreen Cemetery

Hillside, NJ

Obituary

Gilbert Wall also known as Muhammad to some, 79, of Morristown, NJ died at Arbor Glen Center Genesis Healthcare in Cedar Grove, New Jersey on Friday, April 17, 2020. Mr. Wall was born on July 31, 1940, to the union of the late David and Evelyn Wall in Morristown, NJ. Gilbert is one of fourteen siblings. He attended and graduated from Morristown High School.

Gil, as he was affectionately known, relocated to East Orange, NJ in the early 1960's, where he met and married Shirley Cooke. Together, they raised three children. Upon his wife's death, he fathered another beautiful daughter. Gil worked as a tax preparer for many years, he attended Rutgers Business School, he attended dental, he caddied on the golf course and was a true advocate for education.

Gil (Muhammed) was a follower of the Nation of Islam, he attended various mosques in Newark and East Orange, NJ.

He was an avid golfer and big fan of the game, he also enjoyed watching a good basketball or football game. He loved reading and spending time with his children and grandchildren. Gil was no stranger to many, he was loved by everyone he encountered. He always provided a shoulder to lean on, an ear to hear and ongoing advice and support. He was very outgoing, loved the outdoors, he loved music and a good party, he always gave words of encouragement and loved educating people on Black history. He was confident to many will truly be missed by all.

Gilbert leaves to cherish his memory daughters: Kim Jean of East Orange, NJ, Allison Brown of West Orange, NJ, Nahkeekah Wall of East Orange, NJ. Sons: Gilamark Wall of Miramar, FL, Steven Scott of California. Grandchildren: Juan Wall of South Carolina, Keith Jean of East Orange, NJ, Nigel Brown of Jersey City, Elijah Brown of West Orange, Vanessa Wall of Florida and Jasmine Wall of Pemberton, NJ. Sisters: Bernice Melton of Morristown, NJ, Elizabeth Mincey of Morristown, NJ. Brothers: Eddie Wall of Sparta, NJ, Bradley Wall of Florida and a host of dear friends.

Gilbert was preceded in death by wife, Shirley Wall and recently, his brother, Robert Wall and sister, Elsie Wall.

Legendary quote from our dad, our father, your brother or friend is, "TIME WAITS FOR NO ONE."

Legacy of a Warrior

A father a grandpa, a friend too.

This is the legacy we have from you.

You taught us love and how to fight,
you gave us strength, you gave us might.

You taught us the art of being resilient
with a powerful mind.

A stronger person would be hard to find,
and in your heart, you were always kind.

You fought for us all in one way or another.

For all of us, you gave your best,
now the time has come for you to rest.

So, go in peace, you've earned your rest.

Your love in our hearts, we'll eternally keep.

Thanks for teaching us all how to be a warrior.



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!

Acknowledgement

Thank you for your kindness and sympathy at a time when
it was deeply appreciated.

*The family of
Gilbert Wall*

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