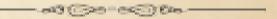


# Celebrating The Life of Nelson DaCosta Moxam

October 4, 1943 - May 8, 2020

### Service Information

Tuesday, June 9, 2020 Service: 8:00 AM - 10:00 AM



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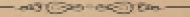
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Bishop Roderick S. Roberts, Officiating Min. Mark Stewart, Organist



Interment

Woodlawn Cemetery Bronx, New York





Laads was the life of the party at his many BBQ's. No matter what color or creed on hot summer days if one should cry for thirst "Laads"

would certainly have something for you to drink. His wife would not hesitate to tell you "Nelly cooked very well." On Friday May 8th at approximately 11:40am after being hospitalized for 1 day Nelson Dacosta Moxam transitioned into glory.

While we know he is at peace and all his struggles and ailments are gone. There is still pain and sadness that remains. Even though he is

gone he left behind a legacy of love, endurance, perseverance and resilience The ways he touched all of our lives will remain and we should keep those memories alive

by sharing them with each other.

Nelson is survived by his wife Joan, two sons Andre and Matthew, three grandchildren, a daughter in law, five sisters, one brother, brother in laws, sister in laws, many nieces, nephews, and a host of

relatives and friends. May your soul rest in peace.

## "How Great Thou Art"

O Lord, my God, when I in awesome wonder Consider all the worlds thy hand hath made, I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder, Thy pow'r throughout the universe displayed;

#### Refrain:

Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to thee; How great thou art! How great thou art! Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to thee; How great thou art! How great thou art!

When through the woods and forest glades I wander,
And hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees;
When I look down from lofty mountain grandeur
And hear the brook and feel the gentle breeze; [Refrain]

And when I think that God, his Son not sparing, Sent him to die, I scarce can take it in, That on the cross my burden gladly bearing, He bled and died to take away my sin; [Refrain]

When Christ shall come, with shout of acclamation,
And take me home, what joy shall fill my heart!
Then I shall bow in humble adoration
And there proclaim,
"My God, how great thou art!" [Refrain]

# "Amazing Grace"

Amazing grace! how sweet the sound,

That saved a wretch; like me!

I once was lost, but now am found,

Was blind, but now I see.

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,
And grace my fears relieved;
How precious did that grace appear
The hour I first believed!

The Lord hath promised good to me,
His word my hope secures;
He will my shield and portion be
As long as life endures.

When we've been there ten thousand years,
Bright shining as the sun,
We've no less days to sing God's praise
Than when we first begun.



### Acknowledgement

The family of **Nelson DaCosta Moxam** acknowledges with great appreciation all acts of kindness, sympathy and love extended to us during this time of bereavement.



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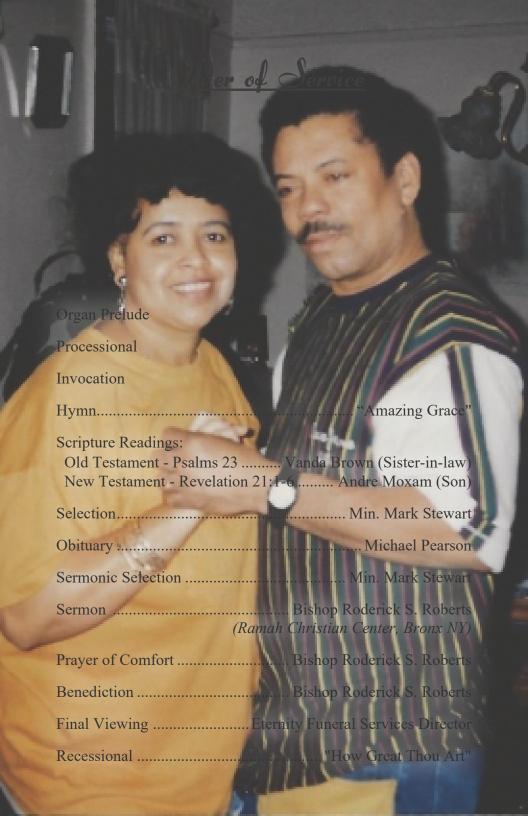
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### Obituary

Nelson Dacosta Moxam was born on October 4th 1943, in Treasure Beach, St. Elizabeth in the island of Jamaica to the late Bertie Moxam and Olga Moxam. He was the third of 10 children. Emilo, Ruben, Bettey, Christopher, Blossom, Jenny, Rema, Joyce, and Kelvin. Ruben, Rema, and Kelvin all preceded him.

He was affectionately called "Nelly" by his wife and family, "Laads" by his friends. Growing up in his community Nelson had a close bond with his siblings. This bond transcended to his friends as he developed a love for playing cricket. He developed into a crafty fast bowler for a team in his community.

As a teenager Nelson had his eyes set on the love of his life Joan (Shine).

He quickly realized he had to start planning for the future. After graduating Sandy Bank Primary "Laads" began earning an income as a conductor. Shortly after he was hired as an electrician at Alpart. He later transferred to the Rivere Bauxite company. Laads was admired and liked by all his peers.

His eyes were always on Shine, thus by extension Nelson was always on her mind. After a few years of courtship Nelson was convinced he had met the Love of his life Joan. On December 15th 1968 they were joined in holy Matrimony ("Forever mine"). Nelson with his inquiring mind became an entrepreneur and started selling fish in his home Parish, he went as far as ST James and Clarendon.

In 1978 he migrated to the United States where he renewed his passion as an electrician. The following year his wife followed. They worked hard to set a foundation for their family. The bond between Nelson and Joan produced two fine sons Andre & Matthew. There are three grandchildren Andre, Kayla, Arion, and daughter in law Monique. Among his many accomplishments his most cherished was that of a husband, father, grandfather, brother ,brother in law, uncle, and friend.