## HOME GOING SERVICE FOR

# John Anthony Phillips



Sunrise: August 5, 1961

Sunset: June 8, 2020

#### SERVICE:

FRIDAY, JUNE 19, 2020

Viewing 12:00PM - 1:00PM Service 1:00PM - 2:00PM

#### OWENS FUNERAL HOME

216 Lenox Avenue • New York, NY

Reverend Thomas Ryer, Officiating

# Order of Service

Prelude	Organist
Processional	Reverend Thomas Ryer
Prayer of Comfo	ort
Scripture Readin	ng (Psalm 23)Reverend Thomas Ryer
Selection	Organist
Acknowledgme	ntsMs. Peggy Phillips Wright
Obituary	Sherrae Givens
Selection	Organist
Eulogy	Reverend Thomas Ryer
Final Viewing	Family & Friends

# Obiluary

John Anthony Phillips AKA Scooby, on this day, we take a brief pause to pay tribute and celebrate this earthly home on Monday, June 8, 2020. His work has been on this side and his name has been recorded in the book of life. The trials and tribulations will no longer plague his body and mind. His soul is now at rest and for that very reason we shall rejoice.

John was born on August 5, 1961 in Florence, South Carolina. He was the son of the late Moudiemon and Edith Phillips. He received his education with the New York Department of Education. He was employed at D. J. M. until retirement.

If anybody knew John, he had an infectious laugh and he loved to dress and wear his kangol hats and his jewelry. John was a loving son, father, grandfather, brother, uncle, cousin and friend.

He leaves to cherish fond memories of his devoted children, Sherrie Phillips, Janiqua Givens, Shatice Phillips, Tyann Phillips and John Odell Michael Phillips. His grandchildren, Jamirae Phillips, Jayden Wilkerson, Prince Kinhah Scott and Jia Wilkerson. One living sister Ms. Peggy Phillips Wright, his sister in laws Joann Phillips and Curtis Phillips.

John was preceded in death by his parents, Mr. Moudiemon and Edith Phillips. His three siblings, Mae Helen Phillips, Moudiemon Odell Phillips and Michael B. Phillips.

He also leaves behind his devoted partner Sybil Washington and her children. His aunts Mrs. Louise Isaac, Carrie McMillian (Yank), Ruby Ivey and uncle James Bruce. And a host of family, nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

He will be dearly missed by all who had the pleasure of knowing him.

"For my brother
In Heaven
I hide my tears
When I say your name
But the pain in my heart
Is still the same.
Although, I smile and
Seem carefree,
There is no one who
Misses you more than me"

Your loving sister - Ms. Peggy Wright Phillips

### Psalm 23

The Lord is My Shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures; He leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul. He leadeth me in the path of righteousness for His name's sake. Yea, though 7 walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil; for Thou art with me; Thy rod and Thy staff they comfort me. Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies. Thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over. Swely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life; and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.

### **Acknowledgement**

The Family of the late **John Anthony Phillips** wishes to thank everyone for the prayers, cards, visits, floral arrangements and other kind expressions of love. Your thoughtfulness helped to get us through this difficult period. We will always remember and appreciate your loving support. May God continue to bless all of you.

The Phillips Family

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