

A CELEBRATION OF LIFE



LEROY WATSON SR.

Sunrise
September 27, 1945

Sunset
June 15, 2020

Tuesday, June 23, 2020 - 10 AM

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LIFE'S JOURNEY

On Monday, June 15, 2020 our Heavenly Father called to rest **Leroy Watson, Sr.** Leroy was born to Leon Watson and Cleopatra Watson Lee.

Leroy received Christ at an early age. Leroy graduated from Townsend Park High School in Pine Bluff, Arkansas. After high school he worked for the Pine Bluff water company until he moved to New York where he was employed at L L African American House as a salesman, he also worked at Fedex. He later retired from Belmont Metals, Inc. in Brooklyn, NY.

He loved to build and fix things. Some people would call him “Mr. Fix It”. He loved fashion and he was always a sharp dresser, so much so he would take clean clothes to work to change before he rode the train home. He loved to collect pictures and art. He had a love for old down-home music, but his favorite thing to do was cook and fellowship with friends and family.

He was preceded in death by his father Leon Watson, his mother Cleopatra Watson Lee, his stepfather Eddie Lee, his sons Walter Watson and Samuel Postell, brother Jesse Lee Watson, and his sisters Charlene Smith and Earselean Smith.

He leaves to cherish his memory his loving wife Caroline Watson, son Leroy Watson Jr., daughters Tonya Aryette Bateman, Kim Marie Watson, Michelle Evette Watson Livings, his stepdaughter Lisa Merchants, Sisters Jessie Watson Burns, Edna Lee Faggett (Wallace), and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

“Earth has no sorrow that Heaven can’t heal”

“Those who have sorrow, pain, and crying here on earth can be comforted knowing that there will be a day when we will feel none of these things – in Heaven.”

ORDER OF CELEBRATION

Musical Prelude

Processional

Song of Praise

Family Comfort Through Scriptures

Old Testament - Ecclesiastes 3:1-4

New Testament - Psalm 23

Family Comfort Through Prayer

Words of Encouragement

Song

Tributes

(Limit to 3 minutes)

Family

Friends

Co-workers

Obituary

Read in Silence

Reading of Resolutions/Reflections

Song

Eulogy

Recessional

Interment

Forest Green Memorial Park

Morganville, New Jersey

To Our Dad,

The days have come and gone, but we will never forget your wonderful smile, that voice saying "You are not alone."

Forever love your 3 girls
Michelle, Kim, Tonya

A Better Place

There's a place I've never seen, beyond this world we know.

A place I've only heard of but someday hope to go-

It's not on any map there are no roads to take me there.

But it's a place of perfect peace where hearts are free from care and though I understand some may be saddened when I leave

One day, we all will meet again- That's what I believe...

When it's time to travel there I will think I'll wear a smile.

I'll say good-bye to those I love, but only for a while.

Knowing there are others who have traveled there alone. Who cannot wait to greet me and whisper "Welcome Home"

From Edna

Acknowledgement

Your expressions through prayers, phone calls, visits, and all other acts of kindness serve to provide strength for our family.

With heartfelt appreciation we thank you and pray that God will shed His blessings upon each of you. Please continue to pray for us as we do for you.

The Leroy Watson Sr. Family

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