# H Celebration of Life

"For we know that if our earthly house of this tabernacle were dissolved, we have a building of God and a house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens" – II Corinthians 5:1

#### HONORING THE LIFE AND LEGACY OF OUR BELOVED



### TERRENCE DAVID ZIMMERMAN

Sunrise: October 9, 1979 - Sunset: July 24, 2020

#### Service

Saturday, August 8, 2020

Family Hour: 12:00 noon - 3:00 p.m. Celebration Service: 3:00 p.m.

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# Order of Service

"Death is not sad, it is a time for elation – a joyous transition, the soul's migration into a place where the soul is safe and free with God throughout eternity."

### Reverend Juwan Jones, Officiating

OPENING PRAYER	Pastor Stephanie Bethea
OPENING SONG	
SCRIPTURE READING	Pastor Stephanie Bethea
MUSICAL SELECTION	
WORDS OF COMFORT	Friends and Family
ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS/OBITUARY	
MUSICAL SELECTION	
EULOGY	Reverend Juwan Jones
BENEDICTION	

<u>Inurnment</u> Oxford Hills Crematory Chester, New York

# Life's Reflections

Today we assemble to acknowledge and celebrate the new life into which Terrence David Zimmerman has entered, an eternal life in the presence of his God and Lord, his Creator. We will all miss our "Boo- Boo"

Terrence, the youngest child of Patricia Zimmerman and the late David Leland, was born on October 9, 1979. Suddenly, on the afternoon of July 24,2020, God called Terrence to his heavenly home.

Terrence, affectionately known as "Boo- Boo" and "Cat Daddy", was born and raised in Crown Heights in Brooklyn, New York.

He was educated in the New York Public School system and graduated from Vocational High School in Allentown, Pennsylvania.

His mother raised him in a very tight knit community. Everyone was like family, especially his neighbors on Eastern Parkway. As a child, "Boo-Boo" enjoyed playing basketball, bike riding, and swimming.

Terrence was employed as a construction worker. He enjoyed his vocation and was particularly good at putting up sheet rock. It was something that he perfected during his career.

"Boo-Boo loved spending time with his mother, older sister (who he was extremely close to), and nephew (who he affectionately called "Expensive") and enjoyed talking to old neighborhood friends whom he considered family. He would joke that his mom was always concerned about his sister who he called "Lechee", but "Boo-Boo" was definitely his mother's "baby boy".

Terrence leaves to cherish his memories and laughter, his mother Patricia Zimmerman, sister, LaShell Zimmerman ("Lechee"), nephew David Zimmerman ("Expensive"), three great aunts, Maddie Williams-Polynice (Aunt Sally), Barbara Holley, and Cassandra (Babysis) Cheek, four aunts, Teresa Zimmerman (Aunt Hanna), Sharon (Tiny) Murray, Cassandra (Nicky) Zimmerman, and Aunt Rose.

He is also survived by his best friend Tommy, a host of cousins and friends whom he loved dearly. He was preceded in death by his grandparents, father, aunts and uncle. His life ended unexpectedly but he leaves a legacy of love. We love you "Boo-Boo" and will miss you.

### **FOOTPRINTS**

One night a man had a dream. He dreamed he was walking along the beach with the LORD. Across the sky flashed scenes from his life. For each scene, he noticed two sets of footprints in the sand; one belonged to him, and the other to the LORD. When the last scene of his life flashed before him, he looked back at the footprints in the sand. He noticed that many times along the path of his life there was only one set of footprints. He also noticed that it happened at the very lowest and saddest times in his life. This really bothered him and he questioned the LORD about it. "LORD, you said that once I decided to follow you, you'd walk with me all the way. But I have noticed that during the most troublesome times in my life, there is only one set of footprints. I don't understand why when I needed you most you would leave". The LORD replied, "My precious, precious child, I love you and I would never leave you. During your times of trial and suffering, when you see only one set of footprints, it was then that I carried you".

## Hcknowledgements

The family of the late **Terrence David Zimmerman** lovingly acknowledges with sincere appreciation your visitations, communications, cards, and sustaining expressions of sympathy and love during our time of bereavement. We also express our appreciation to all of our family, and friends for holding us together during this very difficult time. We love you all!

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