

In Loving Memory of



Sunrise
July 7, 1988

Sunset
July 26, 2020

Service:
Saturday, August 15, 2020 - 4:00 pm

MCCALL'S BRONXWOOD FUNERAL HOME

4035 Bronxwood Avenue • Bronx, New York 10466

Pastor Jay Gooding, Sr., Officiating
Rev. David Jenkins, Organist

Obituary

A beautiful 7-pound 6-ounce baby entered the world at Kingston Public Hospital located in Kingston, Jamaica. **Kemar Anthony Soloman** was born July 7th 1988 to proud parents Aretha Johnson and Kenneth Soloman. Kemar lived in Jamaica until he was 3 with his parents, he then migrated to Brooklyn, New York where he lived with his mother, uncle and grandmother.

Kemar attended Christopher Columbus High School where he was very active and involved in many clubs and was definitely a scholar. He enjoyed reading, dancing, drawing, singing and spending time with his younger sister Ashley. Kemar was always a fashionista and he loved to give everyone advice on what they should and should not wear.

In his early 20s Kemar became a part of the ballroom scene where he won many awards and trophies for his creativity and drive. Kemar lit up a room as soon as he entered and was truly a ray of sunshine.

Kemar was an amazing son, grandson, a great friend and an even better brother to his sisters Ashley, Ameria and Aamani. Kemar Soloman departed this life on July 26, 2020 to go rest in the arms of our savior Jesus Christ.

He leaves to cherish his memory: his mother, Aretha Johnson; his grandmother, Epsie Sewell; his sisters, Ashley Kelly, Ameria Clark and Aamani Fellows and his beloved friends and family.

Kemar is gone but definitely not forgotten not forgotten and his memory lives on within us every day with a kind gesture and a warm embrace. Kemar's death reminds us to live our truth and be who we are fearlessly.

Order of Service

Organ Prelude
Rev. David Jenkins

Processional

Invocation
Pastor Jay A. Gooding, Sr.

Selection
Rev. David Jenkins

Scripture Readings
Old Testament
New Testament
Pastor Jay A. Gooding, Sr.

Prayer Of Comfort
Pastor Jay A. Gooding, Sr.

Selection
Rev. David Jenkins

Reading Of Obituary

Selection
Rev. David Jenkins

Eulogy
Pastor Jay A. Gooding, Sr.

Committal & Benediction
Pastor Jay A. Gooding, Sr.

Remarks By Funeral Director

Final Viewing

Recessional

Disposition

Ferncliff Cemetery
Hartsdale, New York

When I Must Leave

When I must leave you for a little while
Please do not grieve and shed wild tears
And hug your sorrow to you through the years
But start out bravely with a gallant smile
And for my sake and in my name
Live on and do all things the same
Feed not your loneliness on empty days
But fill each waking hour in useful ways
Reach out your hand in comfort and in cheer
And I in turn will comfort you
And hold you near
And never, never be afraid to die
For I am waiting for you in the sky!
-Helen Steiner Rice

Acknowledgments

The family would like to express their deep appreciation and sincere thanks for all acts of kindness shown to them during their time of bereavement.

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