In Loving Memo y of



Terrence Osmond McFarlane

Sunrise June 23, 1951 Sunset August 10, 2020

Memorial Service: Saturday, August 22, 2020 - 4:00 pm

McCall's Bronxwood Funeral Home

4035 Bronxwood Avenue • Bronx, New York 10466

<u>Obituary</u>

"GONE FROM OUR SIGHT, BUT NOT FROM OUR HEARTS"

Terrence Osmond McFarlane was born to Bernice and Osmond Terrence McFarlane (who pre-deceased him) on June 23, 1951. He was the oldest of three children and the family grew up and lived in Brooklyn and Queens, New York in various towns.

He was educated in the New York City Schools Public system and attended Thomas Edison High School in Jamaica, NY from 1964 – 1966. He was a resident of the Bronx, New York and worked at JM Fields for 10 years before becoming gainfully employed and a dedicated worker with the NYC Transit for 32 years.

He lived his life to the fullest through simple pleasures. It was the little things that made him happy and full of life. He loved to dress, listen to music, dance and sing. He enjoyed going fishing and learning about the African culture. He enjoyed making things from odd objects for himself or loved ones. He loved to make jokes, laugh and fun to be around.

Terrence, "My Father", "Uncle Terry" leaves an imprint of laughter, love and great memories. He was liked by many who knew him and passionate about life.

He leaves to cherish his memory: his longtime partner, Shelley Brown; his loving daughter, Chetina McFarlane; his step-son, Tyrone Grissom; his grandchildren Shayavia and Malachi McFarlane; the mother of his child and long-time friend, Sheila McFarlane; his sister, Denise Pearson; one brother-in-law, Charles Pearson; his brother, Vincent McFarlane; his niece, Channa McFarlane and nephews Kenyamo McFarlane and Rashaad Pearson; three great-nieces and two great nephews; step-daughter, Tyisha Blanding; step-son, Edwin Blanding and six extended grandchildren and friends and colleagues.

He will be deeply missed and forever loved!!



When tomorrow starts without me And I'm not here to see If the sun should rise and find your eyes Filled with tears for me. I wish so much you wouldn't cry The way you did, today. While thinking of the many things We didn't get to say. I know how much you love me As much as I love you And each time you think of me I know you'll miss me too. When tomorrow starts without me Don't think we're far apart For every time you think of me I'm right there in your heart.

MY FATHER, MY FRIEND

My Father, My Friend, with whom to confide The hurt, the joy, all judgement aside Unfiltered, uncut, raw and pure An eternal bond shared and never unsure.

From your lowest low, to your highest high, My love for you, no questions, never denied The worries, the doubt, a thing of the past Your burdens now lifted, will no longer last.

The pride that you had, hidden down deep Our memories, emotions filled, I will forever keep From the core of my heart, to the pit of my soul All things aside, was a heart full of gold.

The laughter, the love, I will always depend Forever and always, MY FATHER MY FRIEND.

Final Dispo ition

Friday, August 14, 2020 Ferncliff Crematory Hartsdale, New York

Hcknowledgments

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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