## IN MEMORY OF



## EDWARD (EDDIE) OVERTON

Sunrise
December 15, 1939

Sunset August 20, 2020

**Grave Service:** 

Saturday, August, 29, 2020 - 10:00 AM

**Kensico Cemetery** 

Valhalla, NY

## **OBITUARY**

**Edward Overton** was born in Edenton, North Carolina on December 15, 1939; to the late George Thomas Overton & the late Vera Gregory. He was the third child. He departed this life suddenly on August 20, 2020.

Edward grew up and attended school in Edenton; until he relocated and settled in New York City in his adult years. He held various jobs. He was a hardworking man; it was part of his "lifestyle" and no matter what type of task he always loved "working." In April 1983 he was hired to work at Albert Einstein Hospital in the Dietary Department. He was employed there for 36 years until his retirement in September 2019. He was a very dedicated employee. He was acknowledged and received awards for his outstanding years of service. Edward was highly respected by his supervisor and co-workers. He was always known to them and others as "Eddie." Despite not wanting to retire; it was eventually his time.

Edward was a quiet and kind-hearted person. He was an excellent provider. He was a loving husband, father and very proud grandfather; no matter the circumstances he always made sure his family had what they needed.

Edward united in holy matrimony with Mary Jernigan-Overton on August 18, 1972. They celebrated 48 years of marriage until God suddenly called him home. He will be deeply missed by his family, friends and former co-workers.

Edward leaves to cherish his memories his devoted wife Mary; one son Joseph and daughter-in-law Joel; two daughters Tarsha and Candice; four grandchildren: Janelle, Janiece Shayla & Jovaun. One sister Mary Davis (Fred); three brothers: Tom, Raymond & Ernest (Shirley); four sisters-in-law, seven brothers-in-law, and a host of nieces, nephews and cousins.

He was preceded in death by his parents George Thomas and Vera; one sister Helen and two brothers Earl & James.