

In Loving Memory
of
Reginald Magwood



Sunrise
November 17, 1953

Sunset
September 25, 2020

Service:
Saturday, October 10, 2020 - 3:00 pm

The City College of New York

160 Convent Ave, New York, NY 10031

139th Street V.I.P Entrance

Obituary

On November 17, 1953, Christine and William J. Magwood were blessed by the birth of their second handsome son, **REGINALD “Reggie” CONRAD MAGWOOD!** He transitioned this earth on September 25, 2020. Reggie was preceded in his transition to heaven by his wife Sara, his parents, his brother William and sister Carol Magwood.

Reggie married her soulmate Sara Hines and from their union, Reginald James Magwood was born. Reggie was a devoted and loving father to his son.

Reggie had a low key personality. he spoke softly but carried a big stick! He was a humble, grateful “got your back” gentleman and the consummate professional. Reggie was all business when at work. he worked hard and did not tolerate foolishness.

HIS greatest attributes and legacy was giving back to his community and reaching back to “pull up” countless individuals to better their quality of life.

As a youth, Reggie attended St. Jerome’s Catholic School. Subsequently, he attended DeWitt Clinton High School and the City College of New York where he graduated with a Bachelor’s of Science Degree in 1978. Reggie was a member of the DeWitt Clinton High School and City College of New York (CCNY) Basketball Teams.

In 1991, Reggie attended the New Mexico Center for Dispute Resolution for Mediation and Conflict Management. Reggie continued to further his education and attended Long Island University (LIU) for Personal Computer Repair

Reggie enjoyed an extensive employment career with the State of New York which spanned 30 plus years. He served as Recreation Complex Manager at Riverbank State Park, Deputy Commissioner for Nassau County Parks and Recreation, Park Director for Roberto Clemente State Park, Recreation Therapist, Recreation Leader and Youth Counselor for NYS Division of Youth, Advisor to Chief of Recreation for NYC Parks and Recreation.

Sports Education, Health and Recreation was Reggie’s forte. Reggie was an outstanding athlete from a young age. Basketball was his passion. As a youth, Reggie played basketball for a variety of community centers and in a variety of statewide basketball tournaments.

Upon graduation from CCNY, Reggie served as the Citywide Coordinator for United States Youth Games (City of New York and Houston, Texas), NYS Midnight Basketball Development Team under the auspices of Gov. Mario Cuomo, Nike NBA All Star Battle of the Boroughs Basketball Tournament, Nike/Lady Foot Locker 3 for All National Tournament and NFL Youth Flag Football Tournament.

Reggie was a fantastic Basketball Coach. He was responsible for sending several youth to Higher Education Institutions. One of Reggie’s pupils went on to play Professional Basketball for the WNBA. Reggie served as the Head Coach for Men’s Junior Varsity Basketball Team and Head coach for the Women’s Varsity Basketball Team at the College of Staten Island. He also served as the Assistant Coach of the Men’s Varsity Basketball Team at CCNY.

Reginald leaves to celebrate his life and legacy of sharing a wonderful life of loving, caring and sharing his beloved son, Reginald, sisters, Annette, Jannette, Katherine, and Yolanda, brother, Christopher, a host of nieces, great nieces, nephews, great nephews, godson, god daughter and a host of loving relatives and friends.

“Gone Too Soon”

Order of Service

Musical Prelude	BabyFace “Gone Too Soon”
Invocation	Pat Martin
Scriptures	Michele Jenkins
Musical Interlude.....	Jackie Rowe-Adams
Prayer of Comfort	Deacon Dana Blocker
Musical Interlude Patti LaBelle.....	“When You've Been Blessed”
Acknowledgements	Pastor Frederick Lewis
Musical Interlude.....	Jackie Rowe-Adams
Special Tribute.....	Poem by Michele Jenkins
Reflections	Family/Friends
Eulogy and The Word	Pastor Frederick Lewis
Benediction	Deacon Dana Blocker
Musical Postlude	“That's What Friends Are For”

Interment
Vista Memorial Gardens
Miami, Florida

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father which art in heaven, Hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done in earth, as it is in
heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us
our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into
temptation, but deliver us from evil: For Thine is the
kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever. Amen.



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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