

*In Loving Memory of*



*Jimmy Harry Hayward*

June 4, 1945 - November 1, 2020

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 2020 - 1:00 PM

**COTTON FUNERAL SERVICE**

1025 Bergen Street • Newark, New Jersey

## *Obituary*

Jimmy” Hollywood” Hayward was in born in Brooklyn, New York on June 4, 1945, the last of four children, to the late Woodrow Hayward and Carrie Kearsse Hayward. Jimmy was reared in a Christian home and later became a member of Tabernacle Baptist Church under the stewardship of the late Rev. Dent.

Jimmy received his early education from Public School 125 and P.S 66 and he later graduated from Wingate High School in 1963. He had a successful career working in the garment district in Manhattan, New York for a few years. He also, worked service office jobs but they didn’t hold his interest. His love of fashion lead him to working for R.H Macy’s, where he retired after 36 years of employment.

Jimmy had a passion for life, his family and fashion. He helped to sponsor family reunions, bus rides and block parties. His love of fashion allowed him to model for different local designers in New York, New Jersey and Baltimore, Maryland. He would dress family and friends for special occasions. He even assisted with the design of Macy’s windows during the holidays. He loved spending time with his daughter Monique and grandson Liam. Also, he was a member of The Brownsville Old Timers that held reunions every year.

He slipped away quietly November 1, 2020 at home.

Jimmy leaves to cherish his memory: his daughter Monique Floyd Hayward and grandson Liam A. Haley: He leaves to mourn Vickie M. Floyd, Mother of Monique, Step-daughter, Joicki Floyd: Older brother, Woodrow Hayward of Bloomfield Hills, Michigan: Nieces, April Hayward of Englewood, NJ and Octavia Hayward of Brooklyn, NY: Nephews: Michael Hayward of Bronx, NY and Woodrow Hayward III of Bloomfield Hills, Michigan. He is preceded in death by his parents: Woodrow and Carrie Hayward, Older siblings: James and Arthur Hayward and sisters in law: Eunice and Emma Hayward. He also leaves to mourn a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

# *Order of Service*

Processional: Clergy and Family

Hymn: Reverend Douglass L. Williams III

Scriptures Old/New Testament: Psalms 91/ Philippians Chapter 4  
V 7-13 (King James): Joicki Floyd

Prayer of Comfort: Reverend Douglass L. Williams III

Music Selection: Felicia Evans

Tribute/Remarks: Family and Friends

Obituary: April Hayward

Eulogy: Reverend Douglass L. Williams III



# I'm Free

Don't grieve for me now I'm FREE.  
I'm following the path God laid for me.  
I took His hand when I heard Him call  
    I tuned my back and left it all.  
    I could not stay another day.  
    To laugh, to love, to work or play.  
    Task left undone must stay that way.  
    I found that place at the close of day.  
If my parting has left a void, then fill it with remembered joy.  
    A friendship shared a laugh or kiss.  
    Ah yes these things I too will miss.  
    Be not burdened with time of sorrow.  
    I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow  
        My life's been full.  
I've savored much good friends, good times,  
    a loved one's touch.  
    Perhaps my time seemed all to brief.  
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.  
    Lift up your heart and share with me.  
        God wanted me now.  
        He Set Me FREE!!!

## *Acknowledgement*

*The family wishes to express our deepest appreciation and sincere thanks for all acts of kindness shown to us during our time of sorrow.*

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