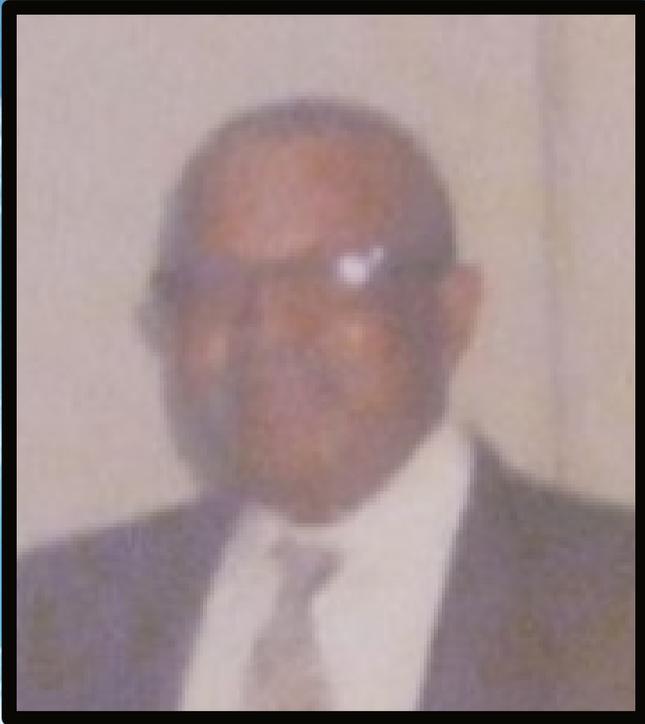


In Loving Memory of



Richard William Briddell

November 27, 1937 - December 24, 2020

THURSDAY, JANUARY 7, 2020 - 11:00 A.M.

**Cotton Funeral Service**

130 Main Street • Orange, New Jersey

*Marques Lewis, Officiating*

*Emory Lee, Organist*

## Obituary

Richard Briddell of Irvington, New Jersey departed this life on December 24, 2020 at the age of 83 years old. Son of the late Ella and Spencer Briddell Sr. He attended school at Salisbury High where he graduated.

He worked in several restaurants in New Jersey and the Department of Corrections at Northern State Prison.

He enjoyed and loved sports such as football, baseball and basketball. He also enjoyed cooking.

He leaves behind (3) children Shelia Briddell, Calynthia Briddell (Derrick Presbury), Andrea Briddell (Sarah Briddell) all from Salisbury, MD. (2) sisters, Margaret Leak and Elizabeth Briddell of Salisbury, MD, (5) grandchildren, (12) great grandchildren and a host of nieces and nephews. He is preceded in death by (4) brothers and (5) sisters.

# Order of Service

Processional

Selection

Scripture Reading

Old Testament

New Testament

Prayer of Comfort

Selection

Remarks

(Two minutes each please)

Acknowledgements

Obituary

Selection

Eulogy

Recessional

Interment

Evergreen Cemetery  
Hillside, New Jersey

# I'm Free

*Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free  
I'm following the path God laid for me  
I took his hand when I heard Him call  
I turned my back and left it all.*

*I could not stay another day.*

*To laugh, to love, to work or play.  
Tasks left undone must stay that way,  
I found that peace at the close of day.*

*If my parting has left a void,  
Then fill it up with remembered joy.*

*A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,  
Oh, yes these things I too will miss.*

*Be not burdened with times of sorrow,  
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.*

*My life's been full, I savored much.*

*Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.*

*Perhaps my time seemed all too 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!*

*-author unknown*

## Acknowledgement

*The family acknowledges with deep appreciation all acts of  
kindness extended to them during this bereavement hour.  
May God bless you for all your thoughtfulness and concern.*

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