

THANKSGIVING SERVICE
FOR THE LIFE



GERALD
ASHMOND WILKINSON

Sunrise
June 6, 1928

Sunset
February 25, 2021

Service:
Saturday, March 13, 2021
Viewing: 10:30-11:30 a.m.
Funeral Service: 11:30-12:30 p.m.

MCCALL'S BRONXWOOD FUNERAL HOME
4035 Bronxwood Avenue • Bronx, New York 10466
Officiating Minister: Rev Junior Demetrius

OBITUARY

Gerald Ashmond Wilkinson, affectionately called "Brother G" and "Uncle G" was the first of eleven children born to Isaac and Ethel Wilkinson on June 6, 1928, in the parish of Manchester, Jamaica, West Indies.

He received his early education at Mizpath Moravian Church. Gerald's parent instilled in all the siblings the importance of education. This caused Uncle G to become fascinated with learning, and applied himself to his school work, which set him on a path to success. He also loved his church, and participated in concerts, and other functions at the church.

In 1955 Gerald migrated to England. After spending 15 years in England, he relocated to the United States, and was employed at Harlem Hospital as a supervisor in the Dietary Department until his retirement in 2008.

Leaving behind to cherish his memory are: his loving wife, Ritty. Sisters: Iris, Edith, Doris and Inez. Brothers: Ronald, Lloyd, Herman and Keith. Sisters in law, Brothers in law, and host of nieces, grandnieces, nephew, grand nephews, cousins and friends, too numerous to mention. Brother Victor, and sister Evron proceeded him in death. May his soul rest in everlasting peace.

ORDER OF SERVICE

Musical Prelude..... Mr. Gary Higgins

Call to Worship..... Rev. Junior Demetrius

Hymn “What a Friend We Have in Jesus”

Opening Prayer Pastor Ronald Morgan (Brother)

Scripture Readings:

Ecclesiastics 3:1-8 Alice McKnight (Niece)

1 Corinthians 15:40-55..... Paula Smith (Niece)

Tribute.....Inez Atkinson (Sister)

Selection.....Inez Atkinson and Iris Morrison (sisters)

ObituaryRoydel Wilkinson (Nephew)

Selection.....Byri-zyashyia Smith (Grand Niece)

Words of Comfort Rev. Junior Demetrius

Hymn..... “When the Roll is Called Up Yonder”

Benediction..... Rev. Junior Demetrius

INTERMENT

Kensico Cemetery
Valhalla, New York

HYMNS

WHAT A FRIEND WE HAVE IN JESUS

What a friend we have in Jesus All our sins and griefs to bear
What a privilege to carry Everything to God in prayer
Oh, what peace we often forfeit Oh, what needless pain we bear
All because we do not carry Everything to God in prayer

Have we trials and temptations? Is there trouble anywhere?
We should never be discouraged Take it to the Lord in prayer
Can we find a friend so faithful Who will all our sorrows share?
Jesus knows our every weakness Take it to the Lord in prayer

WHEN THE ROLL IS CALLED UP YONDER

When the trumpet of the Lord shall sound and time shall be no more
And the morning breaks eternal bright and fair
When the saved diverse shall gather over on the other shore
And the roll is called up yonder, I'll be there

When the roll is called up yonder When the roll is called up yonder
When the roll is called up yonder When the roll is called up yonder,
I'll be there

Let us lay before the Master from dawn 'til setting sun
Let us talk of all his wondrous love and care
Then when all of life is over and our work on Earth is done
And the roll is called up yonder, I'll be there
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I'll be there

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

The family of Gerald Wilkinson would like to express their profound appreciation for all acts of kindness shown to them during their time of bereavement.

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