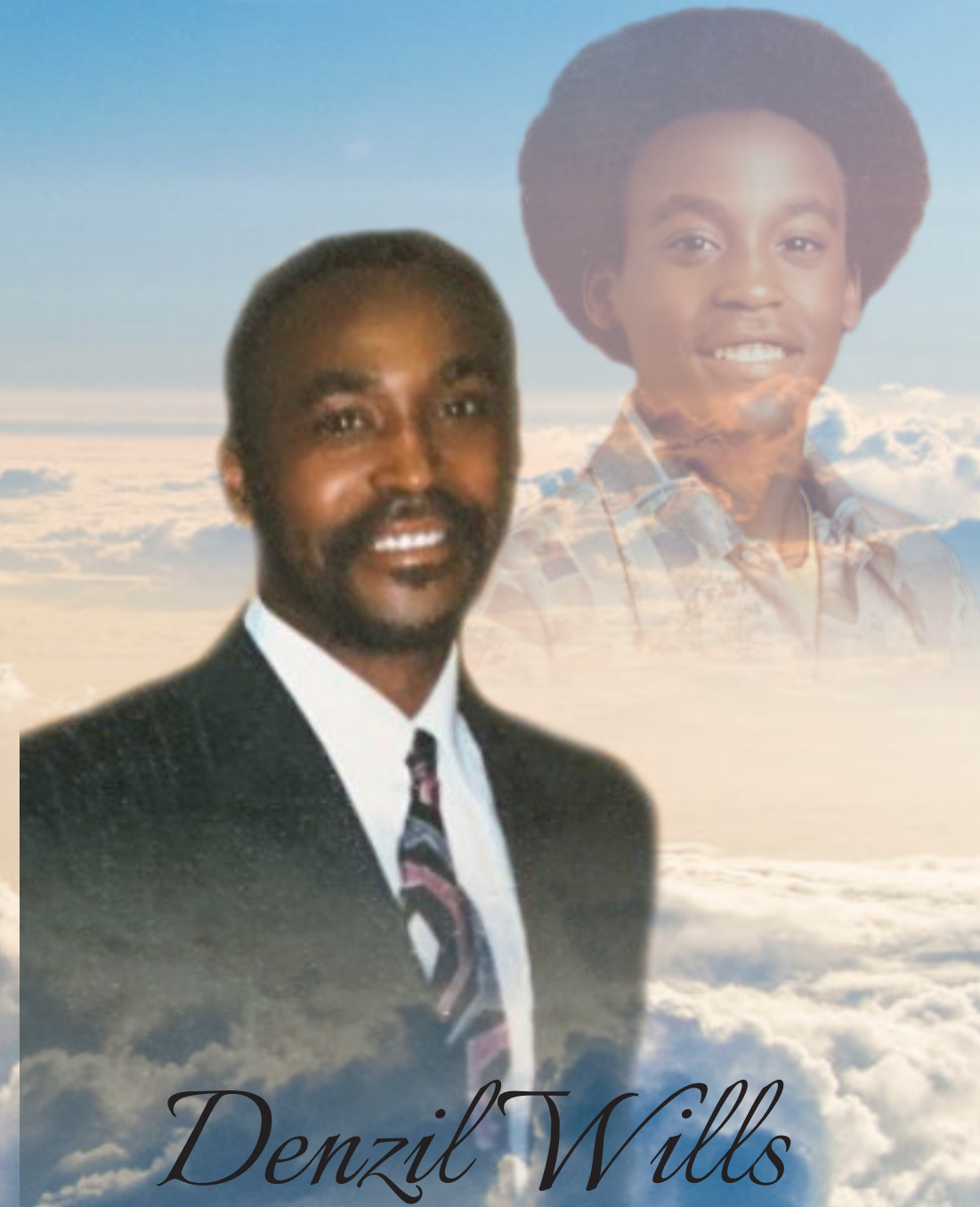




Celebration of Life for



"Miss Me But Let Me Go"
 When I come to the end of the road,
 And the sun has set for me,
 I want no rites in a gloom filled room
 Why cry for a soul set free?
 Miss me a little - but not for long.
 And not with your head bowed low.
 Remember the love that once we shared.
 Miss me, but let me go.
 For this is a journey we must all take,
 And each must go alone.
 It's all part of the master plan,
 A step on the road to home.
 When you are lonely and sick at heart,
 Go to the friends we know,
 Laugh at all the things we used to do.
 Miss me, but let me go.

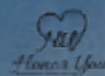
"Afterglow"
*"I'd like the memory of me
 to be a happy one.
 I'd like to leave an afterglow
 of smiles when life is done.
 I'd like to leave an echo
 whispering softly down the ways,
 Of happy times and laughing times
 and bright and sunny days.
 I'd like the tears of those who grieve,
 to dry before the sun
 of happy memories
 that I leave when life is done."*

Acknowledgements

The Family wishes to thank all who have helped to confront and console them in their time of bereavement. May God richly bless you for your kindness and concern.

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Denzil Wills

October 6th, 1964-March 29th, 2021

Wednesday, April 7, 2021 - 3:00 PM

Israel Memorial AME Church
 54 Lincoln St., Newark, New Jersey
 Rev. Linda Ellerbe, Officiating

Order of Service

Officiator Reverend Ellerbe
Processional Family
Musical Selection
Prayer of Comfort Reverend Ellerbe
Poem Kanisha Mickens
Old and New Testament Scripture Bernetta Combs
 Psalms 91: 1-5
 John 14: 1-4
Musical Selection
Remarks Family and Friends (2 Minutes Please)
Obituary and Acknowledgments Linda Walker
Eulogy Reverend Ellerbe
Musical Selection
Closing Prayer Reverend Ellerbe
Recessional Family and Friends

Interment
Fork Chapel Church Cemetery
Warrenton, NC
Friday, April 9th 2021



Obituary

Denzil Wills was born October 6, 1964 in Newark, NJ to the late Emmett Appling and Carrie Coley-Wills. He departed this life March 29, 2021.

Denzil spent the early part of his life in North Carolina alongside his aunt, affectionately known as “Aunt Dot” who was like a second mom to Denzil, before moving to Scotch Plains, NJ for his adolescent school years. He would later finish his high school years at Warren County High School in Warrenton, NC. Denzil was always artistically inclined, spending much of his free time designing pictures and illustrations of various drawings. Upon graduating high school, he joined the Army Reserves where he made a commitment to both himself and this country, quickly learning the values of hard work and dedication. He would later relocate back to New Jersey and use these same life skills to assist his father, uncles, and brothers in the family business. Shortly thereafter he would begin his career with Peerless Beverage Company, where he was a devoted worker for over 25 years.

Denzil was a family oriented man that enjoyed spending time with his loved ones. He especially cherished the moments he spent with his grandkids, “Bri Bri” & “Gi Gi”. He was looking forward to meeting the newest addition to the family, his granddaughter Autumn. Those that knew Denzil also knew that the only thing he probably loved as much as spending time with his family, was his love for his favorite football team, the Dallas Cowboys.

Denzil was a dedicated father to two sons, one of whom preceded him in death, Pierre Robinson. He leaves to cherish his memory another son, Rashaad Burnett; three grandchildren, Brian Robinson, Gianna Burnett, and Autumn Burnett; a sister, Shanda Wills-Athill (Larry); four brothers, Mark Appling, Myles Appling, Dorrien Appling, and Karl Davis; nieces, Shante, Shantal, Alicia and Dominique; nephews, Stephan, Jawaan, and Mylachki; as well as a host of uncles, aunts, and other relatives and friends.