In Loving Memory of George James Starks Sr.

Sunrise March 13, 1948

Sunset May 10, 2021



<u> Homegoing Service</u> Thursday, May 20, 2021 • 11:00 a.m.

**ROY L. GILMORE'S FUNERAL HOME, INC.** 191-02 Linden Blvd. • St. Albans, New York 11412 Pastor Beverly Sherrod, Officiating Dr. Frankco Harris, Organist

Order of Service

ProcessionalFamily & Clergy
Hymn of ComfortDr. Frankco Harris
Scripture Readings Old Testament Psalm 23 New Testament John 14:1-6
Prayer of ComfortPastor Beverly Sherrod
Musical SelectionDr. Frankco Harris
Family Tributes
Poem Reading
Obituary Reading
Sermonic SelectionDr. Frankco Harris
EulogyPastor Beverly Sherrod
Closing Hymn "I'll Fly Away" - Dr. Frankco Harris

The Recessional

**Musical Prelude** 

<u>Interment</u> Plain Lawn Cemetery Hicksville, New York

## <u>Obituary</u>

**George James Starks Sr.**, was born on March 13, 1948 in Winsboro, South Carolina to the late David Starks and Cora Louise Blacks. He departed this life and made the journey to his Heavenly Father on May 10, 2021.

George was educated at McCorey-Liston High School, in Blair SC. His educational foundation allowed him to achieve his desired goals in life. He worked for Delta Airlines as a Skycap for many years until he retired. He loved greeting people at the airport, helping others, and a personality that attracted many friends. The greatest of all was his ability to show love to his children, grandchildren, family and friends, which he enormously enjoyed more than anything.

George gave his life to Christ at an early age. He loved the Lord, attended church and studied his bible regularly.

At an early age George married Linda Starks in South Carolina. They later moved to Queens NY and raised two children, George and Michael. He is proceeded in death by a step-father, Jervy Blacks; brother, David Starks; step-brother, Richard Black and step-sister Sylvia Blacks.

George's leaves to cherish fond memories, two sons, George (Patrice) Starks, Michael Starks, and a stepdaughter, Shaquanna Powell of Baltimore, Maryland. One brother, Leroy (Shelia) Blacks of Sickleville, New Jersey. One sister-in-law Sadie Starks and step-brother Jerome Blacks. One step-sister, Bessie Blacks of St. Mathews SC. Eight grandchildren: Jemma, Kahlil (Kiera), Kaylah, Michael, Courtney, David, Romel & Charles. Two great-grandchildren, Ja-Niyah and Jenay. Two uncles, Nephew (Carrie) Cook and John Cook and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, relatives and friends. He Never Looked For Praise He Never looked for praises He was never one to boast He just went on quietly working *For the ones he loved the most.* His dreams were seldom spoken His wants were very few And most of the time his worries Went unspoken too. He was there... A firm foundation Through all our storms of life A sturdy hand to hold on to In times of stress and strife. A true friend we would turn to When times were good or bad One of our greatest blessings The man that I called Dad.

Pallbearers

Grandsons

Tower Girls

Granddaughters

<u> H</u>cknowledgements

With deep and abiding love, the family wishes to express their sincere gratitude for all prayers and words of comfort extended to us during this difficult time in our lives. Please continue to pray for the family as we adjust to the demise of our loved one. **The Starks Family** 

