

*In Loving Memory of*



*Laurence Morrison, Jr.*

Sunrise:  
August 26, 1957

Sunset:  
June 18, 2021

**TUESDAY, JUNE 29, 2021 - 10:00 A.M.**

**Cotton Funeral Service**

130 Main Street • Orange New Jersey

*Rev. Edward Allen, Officiating*

*Emory Lee, Organist*

# Obituary

Laurence Morrison Jr. was born at Newark Beth Israel Hospital on August 26, 1957 to Laurence Morrison Sr. and Vivian Morrison (Vaughn).

He attended Franklin Grammar School and graduated from Clifford J Scott High School in 1976.

Laurence took career courses in drafting and metal machine shop. He became a machinist and draft man by trade. He worked for companies like Babcock Wilcox Aerospace, Walter Kiddie and ITT Avionics as a material handler. Laurence obtained his CDL license and began driving trucks and school buses. For many years he owned his own landscaping business which he worked until the day he departed this life. He always had a green thumb and made greens and cabbage that was loved by many. He also loved fireworks which he loved cracking for family and friends.

Laurence is survived by his daughter Ruth Bowyer-Antwi, Son in law Desmond Antwi Sr., grandsons Desmond and Camryn Antwi, His brothers Darren and Nathaniel Morrison, Sister in law Charlene Morrison, Nieces Brittany Morrison, Charise Morrison, Shanice Morrison, Nephews Robert Elijah, Darren Morrison Jr. and Shemar Morrison and a huge host of family and friends. Laurence is preceded in death by his father Laurence Morrison Sr., his mother Vivian L. Morrison and sister Clarrise Morrison.

# Order of Service

Processional

Selection

*Emory Lee*

Scripture Reading - *Rev. Edward Allen*

Old Testament

New Testament

Prayer of Comfort

*Rev. Edward Allen*

Selection

*Emory Lee*

Remarks

(Two minutes each please)

Acknowledgements

Obituary

Selection

*Emory Lee*

Eulogy

*Rev. Edward Allen*

Recessional

*Interment*  
Fairmount Cemetery  
(Services Private)

# *The Master Called*

I'm sorry I had to leave you.  
My loved ones, oh so dear.  
But you see, the Master called me,  
His voice was very clear!  
I had made my reservation  
A heaven bound ticket for one,  
And I knew that He would call me  
When He felt my work was done.  
I know that your hearts are heavy  
Because I have gone away,  
But when the Master called me,  
I knew that I could not stay.  
Yes, I'm sorry I had to leave you  
My loved ones, oh so dear,  
But, you see, the Master called me  
And, now I'm resting here.  
Yes, I've crossed on over to glory  
And to you all I say  
Just stay in the hands of Jesus  
And we'll meet again someday.

-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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