



*In Loving Memory of  
Thomas Darlington*

*Sunrise  
September 27, 1938*

*Sunset  
June 17, 2021*

*Service*

*Thursday, July 1, 2021 • 11:00 a.m.*

**ROY L. GILMORE'S FUNERAL HOME, INC.**

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*Pastor Beverly Sherrod, Officiating*

*Dr. Frankco Harris, Organist*



## *Order of Service*

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### **Processional**

#### **Hymn**

“How Great Thou Art”

Dr. Frankco Harris

#### **Opening Prayer**

#### **Scripture Reading**

Psalms 91

Vanessa Darlington

#### **Hymn**

“Great Is Thy Faithfulness”

Dr. Frankco Harris

#### **Scripture Reading**

Psalms 24

Tracy-Ann Hopkins

#### **Scripture Reading**

Psalms 23

Lorraine Bedford

#### **Reflections**

#### **Tributes**

#### **Eulogy**

Stacey-Ann Letford

#### **Closing Prayer**

#### **Recessional Hymn**

Abide With Me”

Dr. Frankco Harris

### *Interment*

Pinelawn Memorial Park  
Farmingdale, New York

## Obituary

**Thomas Darlington** was born on September 27, 1938 in Tweedside, Clarendon to the late Curtis and Estella Darlington. He grew up in Spaulding, Clarendon, Jamaica. Thomas attended Spaulding All Age School. He moved to Kingston as an adult. There, he worked at Desnoes and Geddes Limited, and later at the Norman Manley International Airport. Shortly after, he met and married Christiana on October 9th, 1968.

Thomas migrated to the U.S. in 1970 to join his wife in Brooklyn. While in the U.S., he was employed at the Brooklyn Center for Nursing Rehabilitation for 40 years. The couple moved to Rosedale, Queens in 1993. Thomas loved listening to reggae music, watching baseball, football, basketball, soccer and cricket. He also enjoyed watching super hero and fast and furious movies.

On June 17, 2021, Thomas Darlington was ushered into the presence of the Lord. His parent Curtis and Estella, and his brother, Percival Darlington, all predeceased him. Thomas leave to cherish his memories, wife Christiana, step-daughter Hortense Shrouder and Barbara Nelson, Cousin Gloria Johnson; his son Elvit Darlington; his granddaughter, Vanessa Darlington; sister Brenderlyn (Blossom) Cameron; nieces, Eileen Duchanan, Angela Ehevannes, Doreen Pollard, Margaret Cameron, nephew Adrian and other relatives.



## *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!*

### *Acknowledgements*

*The family wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation  
the many expressions of love, concern and kindness shown  
to their family during this hour of bereavement.  
May God Bless and Keep You!*

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