

*In Loving Memory
of*



D.J. Green

Sunrise: March 20, 1976 - Sunset: June 30, 2021

Saturday, July 10, 2021 - 3PM

UNITY FUNERAL CHAPELS, INC.

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Pastor Jason Hendrickson, Officiating

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Obituary

D.J. Green was born on March 20, 1976 to the late Alice Green and David Allen Hampton. D.J. attended the New York City Public School System. We all lovingly called him “Man” or “Metaphysics”.

In 1991, at the age of 15 years old, D.J. began his marital arts training in the D.F.T. (Defensive Fitness Training) system under the tutelage of Kyashi Dwayne Sudan Thomas. This martial arts system was a collaborative of martial arts styles including: Shotokan, Goju, Tai Chi, Kung Fu, Kai/Escrima (stick fighting) and Jiu-Jitsu self defense. D.J. was a strong, dedicated and focused student eventually earning the rank of Black Belt and became an instructor. D.J. was a passionate teacher passing on the marital arts to his students, but he also continued to be a student himself. He consistently trained to keep his skills sharp and he also worked hard to balance his body, mind and soul. He continued to grow and expand his knowledge studying other arts, science, fitness and nutrition, and always sharing that knowledge with others.

That journey led him to take on the name “Metaphysics”, representing his mindset and continued growth. He took his well rounded training to work with numerous youth and community programs and events. D.J. was and always will be a beloved family member to his martial arts community.

He leaves to mourn: four daughters, Gytah, Emajh, Hunter and Emerald Green; two brothers, Garney and Ronald; sisters, Sherina, Meshaela, Starasia and Jameeka; two uncles, Bernard Nelson and Jeff Smith; aunts, Patricia McNeil, Viola Daniel, Pasty Hampton and Sharon Smith; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Order of Service

Processional

Selection

Scripture Readings

Prayer

Selection

Acknowledgements

Remarks

Obituary

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Eulogy

Committal

Viewing

Recessional

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Oxford Hills Crematory
Chester, New York

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 his call,
I turned my back and left it all.
I could not stay another day,
To laugh, to love, to work, to play.
Tasks left undone must stay that way,
I've found that peace at the close of the day.
If my parting has left a void,
Then fill it with remembered joy.
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,
Ah 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 savoured 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.

FROM THE FAMILY

People say good family members are hard to find, but that's because the best family members are already mine.

I love you fam, sending to all of you wonderful blood family members or not.

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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