



In Loving Memory of
Talliferro Rhodes

November 13, 1969 - August 31, 2021

Monday, September 13, 2021 - 4PM

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Obituary

Talliferro Rhodes, a son of the late Richard Rhodes and Harriet Rhodes was born on November 13, 1969 in Brooklyn, New York. Talliferro was called to his heavenly home on Tuesday morning, August 31, 2021 at New York - Presbyterian/The Allen Hospital, where he lost his battle with a long term illness.

He worked as a Custodial Engineer at Brooklyn Union Gas Company, Citibank, First Quality and finally SL Green. He was a member of 32BJ for 28 years.

He was a loving person that helped everybody, and helped feed everybody. He also liked to have fun and dance. He was the life of the party.

Talliferro and Yolanda were high school sweethearts. In that union they created four daughters, Bianca, Dinesha, Alexis, and Destiny Level.

He is preceded in death by his daughter, Dinesha, his father, Richard Rhodes and NaNa Arthur Lee Woods.

Talliferro leaves behind to cherish his memory: his children, Bianca, Alexis and Destiny Level and the children's mother, Yolanda Level; mother, Harriet Rhodes; sister, Vanessa Rhodes (Robert Chapman); brother, Darryl Robinson (Quienette) all of New York; sister, Jacqueline Y. Pelzer Adams (Samuel Adams) of New Jersey; longtime partner, Pia Louallen of New York; grandchildren, Sabion Level and Jayla Sweat of New York; special sons, Kevin Tarpeh and Jacob Sweat; nephews, Samuel E. Adams III and Malik Robinson; nieces, Alyssa Chapman, Faith Adams and Nyla Robinson; a host of aunts, uncles and cousins from North Carolina; and a host of cousins from New York, South Carolina, Georgia and Florida.

Order of Service

Prelude

Prayer

Hymn of Comfort

“There’s Not A Friend Like The Lonely Jesus”

Scripture Reading

Samuel E. Adams

Prayer of Comfort

Wilford Pelzer

Selection

Remarks

by the Family

Obituary Reading

Silent Reading

Eulogy

Benediction



INTERMENT:
Rosehill Cemetery
Linden, New Jersey



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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