

Home Going Service for



Hugh "Hill" McCrimmon

March 16, 1961 - August 31, 2021

Wednesday, September 15, 2021 - 1PM

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Obituary

Hugh “Hill” McCrimmon was born on March 16, 1961, to Geneva McCrimmon. Hugh was known as “Hill” to his family and friends. His grandchildren call him “Papa”. He attended elementary and middle schools in Manhattan. Hill graduated from Samuel L. Gompers High School. He lived in the Bronx, but always found his way back to the neighborhood he grew up in and loved, Harlem.

Hill worked as a construction worker, a porter for Teachers College and a maintenance worker at Susan Place. The career he loved the most was when he started his own car service. He was able to be in his car and drive all over the city and talk to people.

Hill was married to Yukimi, they met in 2009 and wed in 2016. He has two children, Hugh-Joseph “Hughey” and Brielle McCrimmon with ex-wife Sumiko Gilchrist, two grandchildren which he adored, TaeSean and Myla, and a grandson, Braylen will be born in October. We’ll all tell him about his “Papa”.

Hill loved his family, life, and having a good time. He looked forward to family/holiday gatherings and being with friends. At the gatherings he would clown around, tell jokes, play Chuck-A-Luck, and if he got into a spades game he would talk a lot of smack. If he was in a Patty Pat game, he would make side bets on the high card. Hill was the life of the party at all gatherings with his dancing and singing. He would dance after the music stopped.

Hill liked watching sports, mostly basketball. He would be in front of the TV every time the Celtics and his sister Nicky would play. Hill would greet people with his big KOOL-AID smile, which will be missed by all.

Sadly, Hill’s journey with us came to an end on Tuesday, August 31, 2021. He will be met at heaven’s gate by his mother, Geneva, his brothers, Ronald, Jerome, and Christopher McCrimmon.

Mourning his absence: his wife, Yukimi McCrimmon; ex-wife, Sumiko Gilchrist; children, Hughey and Brielle McCrimmon; grands, TaeSean and Myla; sisters, Sharon, Felicia, and Nicole McCrimmon; sister-in-law, Felicia McCrimmon; brother-in-law, Yuji Kitagawa; and a host of cousins, nieces, nephews and friends.

Let's remember God's words:

"The LORD is close to the broken-hearted and saves those who are crushed in spirit." Psalm 34:18

Order of Service

Processional

Selection

Scripture Readings

Old Testament - Psalm 90:1-10

New Testament - John 14:1-6

Prayer

Selection

“Precious Lord”

Acknowledgements

Remarks

Obituary

Selection

Eulogy

Committal

Viewing

Recessional

FINAL DISPOSITION:

Rosehill Crematory

Linden, New Jersey

REPAST

3PM -7PM

Celebration of Hill's Life

114 West 116 Street, Suite 116

(Between Lenox and 7th Avenue, New York, NY)

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.

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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