Celebrating the Life of

Herbert Smallwood

"Bee Bop"

Sunrise August 18, 1949 Sunset November 12, 2021

Saturday, November 20, 2021 - 2:00 p.m.

CARNIE P. BRAGG FUNERAL HOME 256 Rosa Parks Blvd., Paterson, New Jersey *Rev. Milena Eason, Officiating Rev. Keith Oden, Organist*

Obituary

Herbert Smallwood was born on August 18, 1949 in Rich Square, North Carolina to the late Ennis and Lena (Smith) Smallwood.

Herbert was educated in the North Carolina Public School System, and he attended W.S. Creecy High School.

Herbert, known to most as "Bee-Bop" relocated to Paterson, New Jersey in 1969, and was employed by Pathmark Supermarket for several years. He loved cooking and listening to music.

When his health started to decline, he became a resident of Arbor Ridge Rehabilitation and Healthcare Center in Wayne, New Jersey, until he departed this life on Friday, November 12, 2021.

Bee-Bop was preceded in death by his parents; Ennis and Lena (Smith) Smallwood, two brothers; John Smith and Pete Smith both of North Carolina, and one sister; Adell Smallwood.

He leaves to cherish precious memories four sisters; Maude Smallwood of Syracuse, NY, Barbara Rogers of Paterson, NJ, Constance Field of North Carolina and Colleen Smallwood of Texas, one brother; Thomas P. Smith of North Carolina, one sisterin-law; Mary Fisher of North Carolina, four aunts; Eulmae, Lillie Mae, Elouis and Marie Jones all of Paterson, NJ, and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

The family would like to thank you all for your support during this difficult time.

Order of Service

Processional

Selection

Scripture Readings Old Testament New Testament

Prayer

Selection

Acknowledgments

Remarks

Reflections of Life

Selection

Words of Comfort Rev. Milena Eason Grace of God Church, Paterson, NJ

Recessional

<u>Interment</u>

Monday, November 22, 2021 Evergreen Cemetery Hillside, New Jersey

To Say Goodbye

To say goodbye is not the end To all my family and friends For life goes on, you must endure For my eternity is sure. Remember all the good times The memories we've shared The precious jewels of laughter The tender love and care. I found my resting place God's peace surrounds my soul Let love abound in all your hearts Let heaven be your goal. -Author unknown

Heknowledgment

The family of the late **Herbert Smallwood** wishes to thank all of you for your prayers, messages of comfort and the many other acts of kindness shown during our hour of bereavement. May God continue to bless you in a very special way.

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