



*Celebration of Life For
William Cassidy*

Sunrise
September 2, 1944

Sunset
November 24, 2021

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 3, 2021 - 11:00 A.M.

Congregational Baptist Church

399-417 Bergen Street • Newark, New Jersey

Reverend Linwood McNeil, Pastor

Minister Robert Bogan, Officiant

Obituary

William Cassidy was born to the late Henry and Reavie Cassidy on September 2, 1944 in Jakin, Georgia. He entered into eternal rest on November 24, 2021 following a brief illness.

William received his education from the Early County School System, Blakely, Georgia. He was united in holy matrimony to Brenda Coleman and through this union William Anthony and Yolanda were born.

In 1969 he relocated to Newark, NJ where he spent the most of his years. In the mid-seventies William was baptized by Reverend Eugene Walker, Pastor, Congregational Baptist Church. Never without a job he started working as a teen for Merritt Cabinets, Jakin, Ga. He eventually retired as a signalman from N. J. Transit Rail Division. All broken gadgets were taken to William which he either fixed or reinvented something new. William loved dancing, gardening, and fishing and he was ever so generous.

William is preceded in death by his parents, Henry and Reavie Cassidy; brothers; Jerome and Donnie Cassidy, sister; Dahlia Walker.

Left to cherish his memories are his children William Anthony (Yinet) Cassidy, Newark, NJ and daughter, Yolanda Cassidy-Bogan, Union, NJ, Brenda, whom he called “Bae” and kept a close bond for fifty- nine years, seven grandchildren: Alyece, Cassidy, Newark, NJ Antonio (Norma), U.S. Army, Watertown, NY, Anthony (Lisbeth), Plainsboro, NJ, Alfonzo and Joshua Cassidy, Newark, NJ. Sydney Bogan, Union, NJ and Damon Bogan, U.S. Army, Virginia. Three great-grandchildren: Alana, Apollo and Milan, nieces, nephews and a host of other loving relatives and friends.

Order of Service

Procession

Prayer of Comfort
Minister Robert Bogan

Scripture Readings:
Old Testament - Psalm 90:1-4
New Testament - John 14:1-3
Deaconess Shirley Hammie

Solo
Sister Willie M. Walker

Acknowledgements/Obituary
Sister Cheryl Howard

Remarks (2 Minutes Please)

Solo
Sister Willie M. Walker

Eulogy
Bishop Brenda Groomes, Pastor
Grace Ministries of NJ, Irvington (Niece)

Recession

<p><u>INTERMENT</u> FAIRMOUNT CEMETERY Newark, NJ</p>

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THE MEASURE OF A MAN

Submitted By: LONGINUS

Not - How did he die? But - How did he live?
Not - What did he gain? But - What did he give?

These are the things that measure the worth
Of a man as a man, regardless of birth.

Not - What was his station? But - had he a heart?
And - How did he play his God-given part?

Was he ever ready with a word of good cheer?
To bring back a smile, to banish a tear?

Not - What was his church? Not - What was his creed?
But - Had he befriended those really in need?

Not - What did the sketch in the newspaper say?
But - How many were sorry when he passed away?

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Of a man as a man, regardless of birth.

Author: Anonymous

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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