

Celebrating the Life of Johnie M. Johnson Jr.

Sunrise
January 9, 1939

Sunset
December 3, 2021



Obituary

Johnie M. Johnson Jr. was born in Norfolk, Virginia on January 9th, 1939 to Johnie M. Johnson Sr. and Alma Johnson. He departed this life on December 3rd, 2021.

He graduated from Booker T. Washington High School in Norfolk before enlisting in the army. Johnie was a private in the United States Army Reserve and received an honorable discharge in 1957.

He met the love of his life, Mariel, in 1962 and they happily raised a family together for over 59 years.

Johnie was a dedicated man and a hard worker. He once worked at a steel mill and he also once worked construction on the Chesapeake Bay Bridge. For many years, Johnie was a respected manager at Edison ParkFast before he retired and returned to Norfolk, VA.

Johnie and his wife Mariel were avid fishers and often went fishing in Long Island, Upstate New York, and in Virginia. Both Johnie and Marie were also on a bowling team and won many trophies and prizes. They loved to swim and enjoyed beautiful vacations in The Bahamas and St. Thomas, Virgin Islands.

Johnie left a legacy of love for his children: Johnie Johnson III (deceased), Sophia, Louis, Terrance, Pamela, Robyn; his grandchildren: LaWanda, Louis Jr., Devernica, Ronnie, Terrance Jr., Jordan, Daunte, and Dante; and his many, many close friends and loved ones.

Celebration of Life
Monday, December 13, 2021

T. Carrillo Funeral Service LLC

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Bronx, New York 10466

Order of Service

Opening Prayer

Scripture Reading:
Old Testament
New Testament

Selection

Obituary

Reflections

Selection

Eulogy

Committal

Benediction

Final Viewing
Directed By T. Carrillo Funeral Service

Recessional

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 Him call

I turned my back and left it all.

I could not stay another day.

To laugh, to love, to work or play.
Tasks left undone must stay that way,
I found that peace at the close of day.

If my parting has left a void,
Then fill it up with remembered joy.
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,
Oh, 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 savored 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!

-author unknown

Acknowledgment

The family 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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