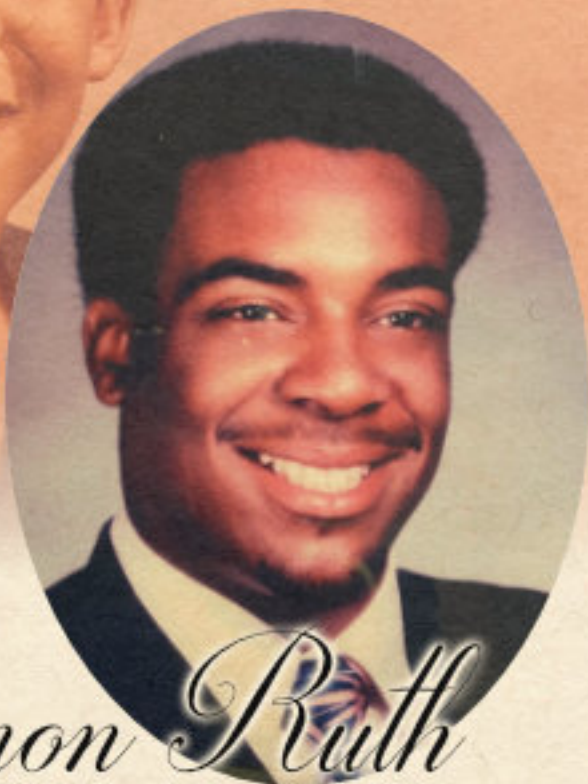


*In Loving
Memory
of*



Rahnon Ruth

October 24, 1975 - December 13, 2021

MONDAY, DECEMBER 20, 2021 - 11:00 A.M.

Elmwood United Presbyterian Church

135 Elmwood Avenue • East Orange, New Jersey

Obituary

On October 24, 1975 **Rahnon Nabil Ruth** was born to the late Shirley and Ronald Ruth. He was the youngest of two children and grew up with his sister, Dr. Tiffany Ruth. On the morning of December 13, 2021 God called on Rahnon to make the peaceful transition to eternal life.

At an early age, Rahnon was mistakenly given the nickname “Ronnie” that stuck with him throughout. He attended elementary and middle school in South Orange, NJ and graduated from Columbia High School in Maplewood, NJ in 1993. Ronnie then matriculated at the University of Maryland-Eastern Shore and continued his education for 2 years. He also briefly went to aviation school but realized that he didn’t have the passion for flying planes. Ronnie worked at NJ Motor Vehicles for many years and was later employed with PSE&G at the time of his passing.

Ronnie was the proud and loving father of two boys, Joshua Ruth and Emmanuel Lyles. He had great pleasure nurturing and raising them to be strong young men and would do anything to help them succeed.

Ronnie was always the shining light when around family and friends. He was well known to be a jokester and had an infectious laughter. When not working Ronnie passed his time going for a free spirited ride on his motorcycle, spending time with friends, attending his son’s football games or just relaxing at home. Ronnie was also afforded the opportunity to travel to many destinations as a child with his loving parents, sister and cousins and even more so as an adult. He especially had a blast when vacationing in Jamaica, Dominican Republic and Puerto Rico where he was treated like royalty, the Big Pappa and Don Juan. Ronnie was an easy going and very likeable guy who never had problems making or keeping friends.

Ronnie leaves behind to cherish his memory: two beloved sons, Joshua Ruth and Emmanuel Lyles; a loving and devoted sister, Dr. Tiffany Ruth; a special brotherly cousin, Jermaine Jones; an accomplished and glorious cousin, Reverend Kasha Jones; loving triplet nieces and nephews, Jasmine, Murad and Nile Uzzell; and a host of other aunts, uncles, cousins and friends.

Order of Service

Processional

Welcome & Prayer
Reverend Kasha Jones

Scripture Reading
Old Testament - Psalm 23
New Testament - 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18

Musical Selection
Gia Ware (soloist)
Vinroy Brown (organist)

Acknowledgements & Obituary
Kaiser Carter

Eulogy
Reverend Kasha Jones

Musical Selection
Gia Ware (soloist)

Benediction

Recessional

Interment
Rosedale Cemetery
Orange, New Jersey

I Am 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

Acknowledgement

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kindness extended to them during this bereavement hour.
May God bless you for all your thoughtfulness and concern.*

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