In Loving Memory of



Sunrise: March 4, 1959 - Sunset: January 10, 2022

Monday, January 17, 2022 - 12:00 pm

**Greater Bethel Baptist Church** 

305 Morris Avenue • Newark, New Jersey

Rev. Joe McClain, Pastor

<u>Obituary</u>

**Walter Duncan Quallis** departed this life on Monday, January 10, 2022. Walter was born on March 4, 1959 to Rosalene and Ernest Quallis Senior in Georgtown, Guyana. He was affectionately known as "Fat Boy" and even as a young boy his love for food got him in trouble with his neighbors on many occasions. He attended Camperville Government School and grew up in a large family of 8 siblings and dozens of cousins who all instantly bonded with him and shared in his loving and funny spirit.

He migrated with his family to Brooklyn, NY on November 11, 1976 to start a new chapter and instantly built friendships and relationships with people from every walk of life. In his previous marriage he had 2 girls, Nicole and Jessica who grew up with fond memories of him listening to reggae music, cooking and showering them with his love and joy of life.

He spent the latter parts of his life living in NJ and working in a construction business that he built from the ground up from 1995 to present. Walter met the love of his life Rochelle in 2004. It was a union made in Heaven. They were married for 16 years and in that union they had 2 girls Ayla and Aliya and his bonus daughter Niyah.

Walter was a devoted father and husband, he enjoyed every second he spent with all of his girls, from many breakfast dates to IHOP and taking them shopping. But more importantly teaching them the value of education, good morals and kindness. Walter favorite saying to Ayla and Aliya was "Find a Way". Whatever you're trying to accomplish in life or having trouble trying to figure out a task "Find a Way" and don't give up. Walter will be deeply missed.

He was proud to not only be Guyanese but even more proud to be a girl dad and grandpa to his amazing daughters and granddaughters. He loved to brag about his kids and grandkids on a daily basis.

To know Walter was to love him and when you spent time with him you were sure to laugh at all his crazy jokes because he enjoyed making people feel happy and putting a smile on their face.

His life is left to be celebrated by his loving, devoted wife Rochelle, daughters Nicole, Jessica, Niyah, Ayla, Aliya and grandchildren Jada, Autumn, Savannah and Ava, 8 siblings, Pam, Donna, Dawn, Deion, Fay, Ernest, Eric, and Kevin. Along with countless family and friends who share in so many memories of the bigger than life personality that Walter possessed.

Order of Service

**Processional** Family

Solo

**Prayer of Comfort** Dr. E. T. Stoddart Senior Pastor, Church of the Oranges

> Scripture Reading Sackie Old Testament- Proverbs 3:5-6 New Testament- John 14:1-4

> > Solo Michelle V. Martin

> > > **Poem** Ayla & Aliya

**Remarks/Reflections** 2 minutes only please

**Reading of the Obituary** Donna Marshall

> **Solo** Douglas Harris

**Eulogy** Dr. E. T. Stoddart Sr Pastor, Church of the Oranges

Benediction

Recessional

Interment

Evergreen Cemetery Hillside, New Jersey

Pall Bearers Kevin Terry Trevor Johnny Travis Calvin

In Loving Memory of My Dear Husband

It's hard to believe you're no longer here. Words cannot describe how this makes me feel... You've passed on to the other side, though I wish you could still be here with me....

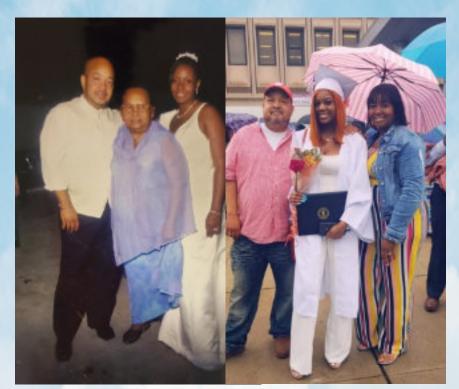
You were a remarkable man dependable, loving and caring You were the center of my world. You were one in a million to me... You made me laugh, you made me smile You were my companion and dear friend. You were a wonderful husband from beginning to end.

Your love showed me how good life could be, Your death showed me how cruel life sometimes is.... But good or bad, life has to go on even though it's not easy to carry on.

Forever will you live on, in my heart and mind. Forever will you live in my thoughts and never die. With love always, I remember you, With fond memories, I think of you... With hope I believe we'll meet again somewhere, somehow, someplace.

Your Loving Wife Rochelle





Precious





Memories



*Jim 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

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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