

In Loving Memory of



Richard Lee Swindell
"Star"

Sunrise: July 20, 1962
Sunset: November 24, 2023

Sunday, December 10, 2023 - 3:00 PM

Carnie P. Bragg Funeral Home

256 Rosa Parks Blvd. • Paterson, NJ

Rev. Thomas P. Farrar, Officiating

Johnetta Bush, Organist

Obituary

Richard Lee Swindell was born in Elizabethtown, NC on July 20, 1962. He was the son of Jesse and Ethel Swindell.

At a young age Richard and his family relocated to Paterson, NJ where he attended Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Elementary School. He then went on to graduate from John F. Kennedy High School.

Richard was a hard worker which led him to be a Supervisor for Dunkin Donuts warehouse in Lodi, NJ for several years. He was also employed at Save-A-Lot Supermarket as a butcher until his health started to decline and he was unable to work.

While working hard he met the love of his life, Daphne Caballero-Swindell. They loved each other dearly, and were married on May, 22, 2021. He loved spending time with family and friends. He also enjoyed cooking and would cook up a meal at any time.

He was preceded in death by his parents; Jesse and Ethel Swindell, and a brother; David Leon Swindell.

On Friday, November 24, 2023, Richard finished his earthly assignment and went home to be with the Lord.

Richard leaves to cherish fond memories his loving wife; Daphne Caballero-Swindell, three sons; Madison Marshall of Paterson, NJ, Jamir Swindell and Deshawn Swindell both of Edison, NJ, one sister; April Swindell of NC, five brothers; James Swindell of Paterson, NJ, Darryl Swindell, Harold (Sherica) Swindell, and Rameer Swindell all of North Carolina, Jermaine Swindell of Paterson, NJ, five grandchildren; Jerimiah, Jorden, Kimberly, Kristian and Jaleel, and a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, other family members and friends.

The family would like to thank our dear brother James for being there for Richard Lee in his time of need.

Order of Service



Processional

Selection

Scripture Readings

Old Testament

New Testament



Prayer of Comfort

Selection

Remarks



Acknowledgements & Obituary



Selection

Words of Comfort

Rev. Thomas Patrick Farrar

Gilmore Memorial Church

Paterson, NJ



Recessional

Final Disposition

Monday, December 11, 2023-10:00AM

Cedar Lawn Crematory

200 McLean Blvd

Paterson, NJ 07504





Asleep

I've closed my eyes and fallen asleep,
 So there's no reason for you to weep;
 This is a debt we all must pay,
 You will see me again someday.
 I've endured pain and sometimes sorrow,
 Now I don't have to
 worry about tomorrow.
 But life for you must go on,
 You must not worry because I'm gone.
 You stood beside me all the way,
 When I was down,
 you knew what to say ...
 You always told me, "get some rest,"
 Let me sleep now, I've done my best.
 So please let me rest in peace,
 The tears you're shedding
 soon will cease.
 You'll soon realize this was meant to be,
 I thank God because He came for me.
 -Emily Dickinson

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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