

A Celebration
OF LIFE



Basil
ST. PATRICK REID

Sunrise
July 2, 1955

Sunset
August 11, 2025

Friday, September 12, 2025

Viewing from 9am-10am

Ross-Roden Funeral Services, LLC
725 E. Gun Hill Road, Bronx, NY 10467

Mass from 10:30am-11:30am

Immaculate Conception Roman Catholic Church
754 E Gun Hill Road, Bronx, NY 10467

OBITUARY

It is with profound love and deep sorrow that we share the passing of our beloved son, brother, uncle, and friend, **Basil St. Patrick Reid**, who entered into eternal rest on August 11, 2025, at the age of 70.

Born on July 2, 1955, in Spanish Town, Jamaica, West Indies, Basil, affectionately known as Patrick, was a treasured son, a devoted brother, a proud uncle, and a loyal friend. To all who knew him, he was a source of kindness, wisdom, humor, generosity, empathy, and compassion. His love was a steady presence, and his heart had room for everyone.

Patrick's spirit touched countless lives. His nieces, nephews, family, and friends will forever remember the comfort of his listening ear, the warmth of his caring heart, and the joy he brought to every gathering. He had a gift for making others feel seen, heard, and loved. Leaving behind memories that will be cherished always.

Basil is lovingly survived by his siblings: Ronald Reid Jr., Michael Reid, Norman Reid, and Marcia Reid-Keckeis, along with many nieces, nephews, cousins, uncles, aunts and close relatives. He now joins in eternal peace his parents, Ronald Reid Sr. and Almaiza Reid, and his siblings, Faye Mullings, Neville Dunn-Reid, Everton Reid and Joan Reid-Mahlee, who welcomed him home.

A celebration of his life will be held on Friday, September 12, 2025, at Ross-Roden Funeral Home, 725 E. Gun Hill Rd, Bronx, NY 10467. A funeral mass will follow at Immaculate Conception Roman Catholic Church, 754 E. Gun Hill Rd, Bronx, NY 10467.

Interment will take place at Gate of Heaven Cemetery, 10 W. Stevens Ave, Hawthorne, NY 10532, where he will be laid to rest. Family and friends are warmly invited to join us in honoring his memory and celebrating the beautiful life he lived.

"Forever in Our Hearts"

ORDER OF SERVICE

Sprinkling with Holy Water

Placing of the Pall

Opening Prayer

Readings

Old Testament: Ecclesiastes 3:1-8 Norman Reid Jr.

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 23 Marcia Reid Keckeis

New Testament: Revelation 21:3-4..... Choline Reid

Gospel Reading Officiating Priest

Homily

General Intercessions

Offertory

Eucharistic Prayer

Our Father

Holy Communion

Prayer After Communion

Eulogy Howard Mah-lee

Life Experiences Ronald Reid

Final Commendation

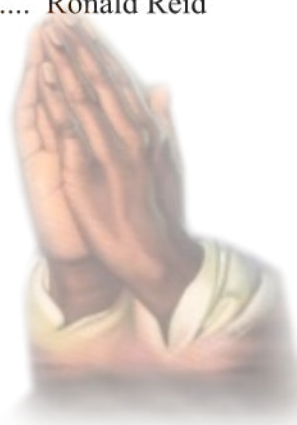
Procession to the place of committal and burial

Interment

Gate of Heaven

10 W Stevens Ave

Hawthorne, NY 10532



"AFTERGLOW"

by Helen Lowrie Marshall

*I'd like the memory of me to be a happy one.
I'd like to leave an afterglow of smiles when life is done.
I'd like to leave an echo whispering softly down the ways,
Of happy times and laughing times and bright and sunny days.
I'd like the tears of those who grieve, to dry before the sun;
Of happy memories that I leave when life is done.*

JOHN 14:27

I am leaving you with a gift—peace of mind and heart. And the peace I give is a gift the world cannot give. So don't be troubled or afraid.

PALLBEARERS

Norman Reid Sr.

Norman Reid Jr.

Ronald Reid

Isaiah Reid

Howard Mah-lee

Tauron Bailey

Jack Hinds

Dennis Nelson

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*The family acknowledges with deep appreciation
all acts of kindness extended to them during this
bereavement hour. God bless you for all your
thoughtfulness and concern.*

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