

## Obituary

George Joseph Weeks (affectionately known as "Lefty" to friends and family) was born on October 26, 1925 in Atlantic City, NJ to the late George Weekes and Nina Blanche McCalla. He grew up in Harlem, NY where he attended school and enlisted as a Merchant Marine. It was also in Harlem where he met his wife of forty-one years, Gloria Young-Weeks, who has been awaiting him in heaven sin 1988.

George's adult life was spent in Queens Village, NY where he raised his family, and where he also had a family of neighbors. George was a constant fixture in the neighborhood. You would always find him in his favorite spot -- the stoop. He always had a wave and a smile for anyone walking or driving by.

George was a hard working family man. He worked at the NYC Department of Parks and Recreation for thirty-one years and after retirement he worked numerous years at the Early Childhood Development Center in Hollis, NY. George never remarried, but dedicated his life to his grandchildren and lent a hand in raising all five of them. George was also an active member at the Lutheran Church of The Redeemer in St. Albans for many years. He served on the Council, and was also elected and served as Chairman of the Board of Council. During his leisure time he loved listening to jazz and was an avid fan of baseball.

The union of George and Gloria produced David Weekes, the late Robert Weeks, Leslie Weeks and Renee Weeks-Corder. George leaves to cherish his life: his son and two daughters; son-in-law, James Corder; granddaughters, Danita Weekes, Kiara Reed and Dayna Corder; grandsons, Damien Weekes and Keith Corder; his dear cousin, Freda Kennedy; as well as other relatives, friends and neighbors.

## Order of Service

Opening Hymn ......" "Leaning On The Everlasting Arms" Invocation Remembrance of Baptism **Kyrie** Salutation and Collect: Pastor: The Lord Be With You People: And Also With You Prayer The First Reading Psalm 130 The Holy Gospel John 10: 27-29 Hymn .....""It Is Well With My Soul" The Reading of the Obituary ...... (granddaughter) Kiara Reed Sermon Prayer of the day The Lord's Prayer The Benediction

**Interment** 

The Recessional and the 23rd Psalm

Maple Grove Cemetery Kew Gardens, New York



Rev. 2:10

Be thou faithful unto death and I will give thee a crown of life.

## <u> Heknowledgements</u>

The family wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation the many expressions of love, concern and kindness shown to their family during this hour of bereavement.

May God Bless and Keep You!

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