

Home-Going Services
for
Ernest "Junie" Youngblood Jr.

Sunrise
November 4, 1944

Sunset
August 25, 2011



Viewing: Tuesday, August 30, 2011 - 3:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Service: Tuesday, August 30, 2011 - 7:00 p.m.

UNITY FUNERAL CHAPELS, INC.

2352 8th Avenue
New York, New York 10027

Rev. Darrell Green, Officiating
Rev. David Jenkins, Organist

Order of Service

Organ Prelude

Processional Rev. Darrell Green and Family

Selection “Amazing Grace”
Maxine Brunson

Prayer of Consolation Rev. Darrell Green
New Testaments - John 14:1-6
Old Testaments - Psalm 23

Reflections Family and Friends

Obituary Schwanna Ellman
Acknowledgements
Condolences

Selection “Through It All”
Rosemarie Youngblood

Eulogy Rev. Darrell Green

Viewing of Ernest Youngblood

Selection “One Day At A Time”
Maxine Brunson

Benediction Rev. Darrell Green

Recessional “Eyes On The Sparrow”
Theodore Hanson

Interment

Frederick Douglas Memorial Park
3201 Amboy Road, Staten Island
Richmond County, NY 10306
(718) 351-0764

The family of Ernest Youngblood would like everyone to join them at Martin Luther King Jr. Community Center for the repast on Wednesday, August 31, 2011 from 1-5 p.m.

Obituary

Ernest Youngblood Jr. the sixth of seven children was born on November 4, 1944 to Ernest Youngblood Sr. and Celia Smalls-Youngblood in Adams Run, South Carolina. He attended the Charleston, South Carolina public school system. After completing his education, Ernest affectionately known as “Junie” moved to New York in 1963.

In 1968 he met his soul mate Rosemarie Aiken. They were joined in holy matrimony on November 13, 1971. They raised seven children together; Stanley, Ersell, Dondi (deceased), Troy, Schwanna, Herbert and Lisamarie.

Junie worked as a bounded jewelry courier in New York’s jewelry district. He also worked as a livery cab driver. However he found his true life’s work in 1975 as an auto mechanic. Junie became a legend on 115th Street where he ran a successful street auto mechanic business for over 30 yrs.

Junie loved life and lived it to the fullest. Rain, sleet, hail, snow or sunshine you would find Junie in 115th street hanging with his family and friends. He enjoyed a good Bid Whist and Poker game. He also enjoyed playing the daily numbers and lotto. And lets not forget a good drink. His hobbies included fishing which he enjoyed with his brothers and friends, and cooking. Most of all he enjoyed hunting. He was an avid deer hunter for over 40 years.

He is preceded in death by his parents Ernest and Celia Youngblood, brothers; Moses and Herbert Youngblood, sisters; Geneva Jackson, Willimonia Gathers and Daisy Redmen.

He leaves to cherish his precious memory his wife: Rosemarie Youngblood, his children; Stanley Hardee, Ersell Mellis (Horatio), Troy Youngblood, Alfred Copeland, Schwanna Ellum (Antwan), Herbert Youngblood and Lisamarie Youngblood. His brother; Carl Louis Youngblood Sr. (Deloris (deceased)), his sister Betty Dent (Benjamin), brothers-in-law; Arthur Redmen (Daisy (deceased)), Michael Aiken and Ulysses Drayton (Betty (deceased)). Sisters-in-law; Brenda Youngblood (Herbert (deceased)), Linda Aiken and Susan Jackson (Jeffrey (deceased)). Six grandsons; Mark Pointer, Antwan Dunmeyer, Anthony Dunmeyer, Devonte Bennett, Jordan Hunter and Paul Mitchell. Four granddaughters; Octavia Scott, Cecelia Youngblood, Makayla Youngblood and Ciara Mitchell. One great-granddaughter; Leah Dunmeyer; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins relatives, friends and loved ones.



Ernest "Junie" Youngblood Jr. (Taken 11/13/71)



Acknowledgement

The family wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation the many expressions of love, concern and kindness shown to us, rather in body or spirit, during the passing of our loved one.



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