

In Loving Memory of



Edward Laughton Jackson

Sunrise

January 6, 1936

Sunset

September 6, 2011

Memorial Service

Saturday, September 10, 2011 - 1:00 p.m.

ROY L. GILMORE'S FUNERAL HOME, INC.

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Obituary

Edward Laughton Jackson, son of Blanche Wigington and Edward Lawrence Jackson, was born in New York on January 6, 1936. He loved the game of basketball and played for his high school, Central Needle Trade. After high school, he was drafted by the Marines where he served his country in Korea. After receiving an Honorable Discharge, he went back to school and earned an Associate Degree from F.I.T.

He then obtained a managerial position at S.O. Textiles and Gilby Trimming where he worked as the only Black supervisor for almost twenty years. He then, following the advice of his brother, left the private sector and became a civil servant. He worked as a State Corrections Officer for many years prior to switching over to the Hospital Police Dept. at Creedmore.

He was a Father, Grandfather, Brother and Friend to many who knew him. He loved to converse on a myriad of topics. He had an innate ability to learn and speak languages. He and his wife, Barbara Jackson, found the truth together and were baptized together as Jehovah's Witnesses. He was preceded in death by his parents, his son, Vaughn and his brother, Richard Lawrence Jackson.

On September 6, 2011, he peacefully departed this life. Leaving behind: his wife, Barbara, three sons, Edward, Derrick and Darren and eleven grandchildren to cherish his memories and earthly accomplishments.

Pops I thank You for your time and love. You will be truly missed.

Order of Service

Processional

Reading of Obituary Darren

Memorial Talk Andrew Patterson

Song “God’s Promise Of Paradise”
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Closing Prayer

Recessional



*A repast will be held at
137-50 234th Street
Rosedale, New York 11422*



Revelation 21:4

And he shall wipe out every tears from their eyes; and death will be no more, neither mourning, nor outcry, nor pain be anymore. The former things are passed away.



Acknowledgements

The family wishes to express their deepest appreciation and sincere thanks for all acts of kindness shown to them in their time of sorrow.

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