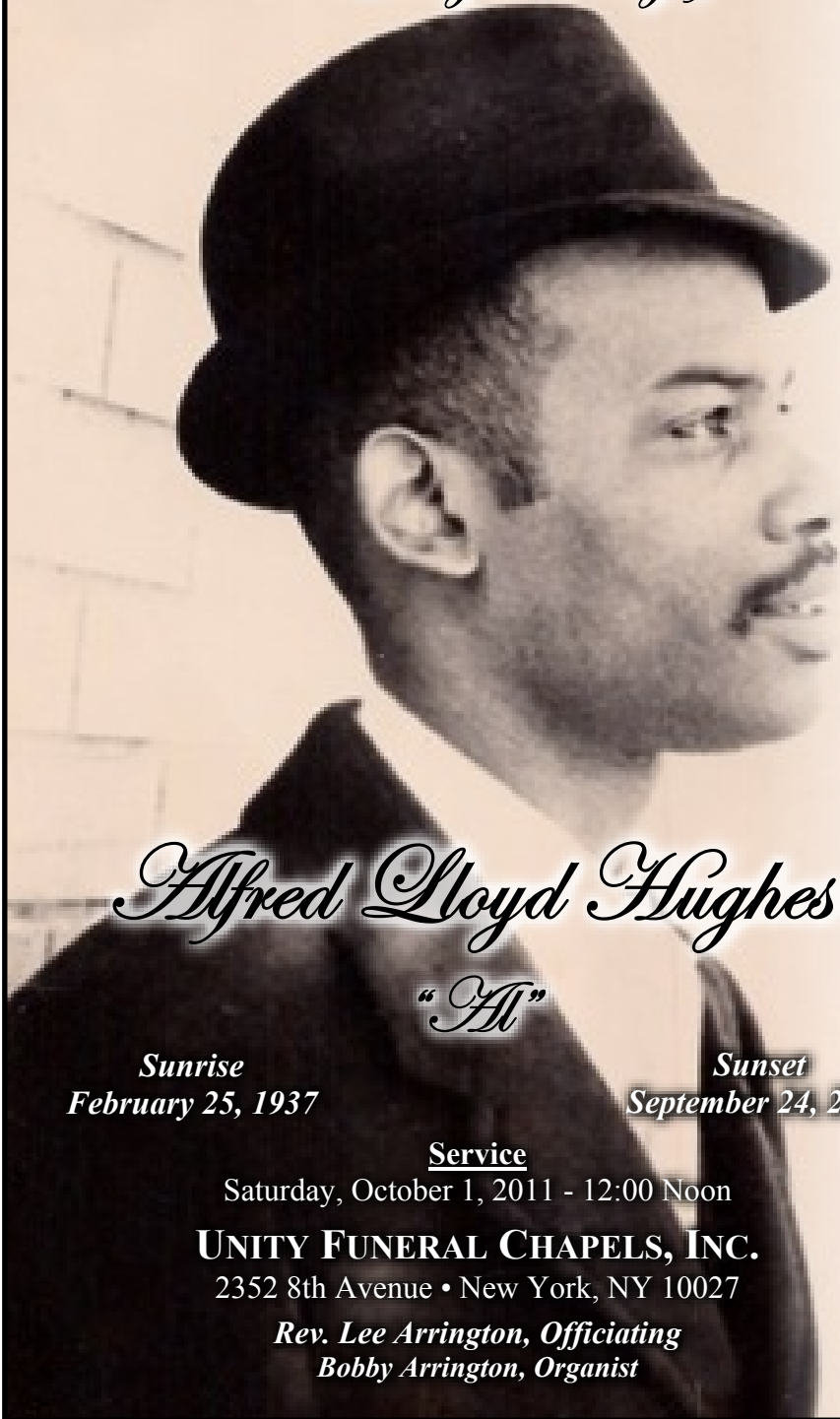


In Loving Memory of



Alfred Lloyd Hughes

"Al"

Sunrise
February 25, 1937

Sunset
September 24, 2011

Service

Saturday, October 1, 2011 - 12:00 Noon

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Rev. Lee Arrington, Officiating
Bobby Arrington, Organist

Obituary

On February 25, 1937, God blessed Theodore Hughes and Helen Davis-Hughes with their third child, **Alfred Lloyd “Al” Hughes**.

Alfred was educated in the Jacksonville, Florida school system where he excelled in baseball, football and basketball. He displayed exceptional sportsmanship and was well-liked amongst his peers.

After graduating from high school, Alfred moved to New York City. Alfred, met, fell in love and married the former, Barbara Bradshaw, his doting wife of forty-nine years. This union produced two sons, Eric and Trent Hughes. Alfred and his family settled in the village of Harlem, which he adored. Alfred often participated in neighborhood marathons, parades and block parties. He retired in the 1990’s and sustained an active social life.

With a peaceful look upon his face, sadly on September 24, 2011, Alfred, age seventy-four, died with his loving wife beside him. Alfred’s spirit will live on forever. He’ll be remembered as a loving husband, wonderful father and exceptional grandfather, who always put his family first.

Alfred was friendly, outgoing and smart, with a great sense of humor. He possessed a fondness for adventure and enjoyed the outdoors. A self-proclaimed trendsetter, rarely did anyone see Alfred without one of his beloved collection of hats. He’ll be terribly missed by those who knew and loved him.

Alfred was preceded in death by his father, Theodore Hughes, his mother, Emily Helen David Harrison and brother, Ossain Hughes. He leaves to cherish his memory: his wife, Barbara Hughes; sisters, Barbara Baker and Joyce Haygood; brother, King David Hughes III; brother-in-law, John Haygood; sister-in-law, Carolyn Hughes; two sons, Eric and Trent Hughes; daughters-in-law, Jada Holland and Mignon Callender-Hughes; granddaughter, Sparkle; grandsons, Trevon, Tyrese, Karl, Jeric and Jodi and great grandson, Kae’Sean; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and countless friends.

Order of Service

Processional

Prayer of Comfort “The Lord’s Prayer”

Scripture Reading

Old Testament Psalm 23

New Testament John 14:1-2,27-28

Selection “Precious Lord”

Acknowledgments/Remarks/Reflections

Reading of the Obituary King David Hughes III

Selection “His Eye Is On The Sparrow”

Eulogy

Final Viewing “I’m Going Up Yonder, To Be With The Lord”

Benediction

Recessional

Interment

Mount Rest Cemetery

Butler, New Jersey

I'm Free

Author Unknown

Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free.
I'm following the path God laid for me.
I took His hand when I heard Him call.
I turned my back and left it all.

I could not stay another day.
To laugh, to love, to work or play.
Tasks left undone must stay that way,
I found that peace at the close of day.

If my parting has left a void,
Then fill it with remembered joy.
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,
Ah yes, these things I too will miss.

Be not burdened with times of sorrow,
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.
My life's been full, I savored much.
Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.

Perhaps my time seemed all too brief,
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.
Lift up your heart and share with me,
God wanted me now, He set me free.

Acknowledgement

The family of **Alfred "Al" Hughes** would like to express their gratitude for the thoughtfulness extended to them during their time of bereavement.



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