

In Loving

Memory of



Darrick Leland Jennings

Sunrise

May 19, 1965

Sunset

October 4, 2011

Service

Tuesday, October 11, 2011 - 10:00 a.m.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

66 South Grove Street. • East Orange, NJ

Pastor Tyrone Singletary, Officiating

Obituary

Darrick Leland Jennings (Turtle) was born on May 19, 1965, at Beth Israel Hospital in Newark, NJ to Bertha Ann Sherrill Jennings and Willie Lee Jennings, who preceded him in death. He departed this life on October 4, 2011.

Darrick was a resident of Newark and grew up in the Hayes Holmes Projects. He attended Cleveland Elementary School and continued his education at West Kinney Junior High. He then graduated from Central High School, Class of 1983. He participated in sports, playing baseball and his passion and love, football. After high school, he enlisted in the Navy where he served as a Ship Engineer, ranked as an E3 from 1983, and was honorably discharged in 1986. He was employed as a security guard for Lot Less Department Store.

Darrick was active in the church, serving as a member and Deacon at the New St. James Baptist Church. He was also a committee member of the Hayes Holmes Family Organization.

Darrick leaves to cherish his memories: five children, Tiffany Handford, Latoya Handford, Martinique Floyd, Vernon Robertson Johnson, and Darrick L. Jennings, Jr. (DJ); great grandmother, Corene Sherrill; fiancée, Yolanda Byrd; sister, Priscilla Jennings; brother, Darrell Jennings; four grandchildren; and a host of other family members and friends.

Order of Service

Processional

Selection

Keyshia Cole

Scriptures

Old Testament

New Testament

Prayer of Comfort

Condolences/Acknowledgments

Obituary

Selection

Eulogy

Pastor Tyrone Singletary

Recessional

Interment

Brigadier General William C. Doyle

Veterans Memorial Cemetery

Wrightstown, NJ

Repast

Queen of Angel School

44 Irvine Turner Blvd.

Newark, NJ

3:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m.

I'm Free

*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 up with remembered joy.
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,
Oh, 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!*

-author unknown

Acknowledgement

The family of the late **Darrick Leland Jennings** would like to take this opportunity to extend their sincere appreciation for the many kind expressions of sympathy shown to them during their time of bereavement. May God continue to bless and keep each of you in His loving Care.

Special thanks to Aunt Gloria McCombs, the Hayes Holmes Family Organization, Family and Friends.

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