

In Loving Memory of

William E. Harper
"Cleet"

Sunrise
February 28, 1960

Sunset
November 3, 2011

Wednesday, November 9, 2011 - 11:00 a.m.

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163 Oakwood Avenue
Orange, New Jersey 07050

Rev. Ruby Williams, Officiating

Obituary

William Ernest Harper also known as "Cleet" was born on February 28, 1960 to Lucy Banks and William Arthur Harper in New York, New York. He graduated high school in 1979 and went on to join the United States Air Force as a personnel specialist for four years. While in the service he met the love of his life Barbara E. Harper, they married in 1980. The following year they had their first child, William R. Harper.

After separating from the service William worked at the USPS. During that time he had his second child, Samantha N. Harper. In the past two years he traveled to Aruba, Bahamas, Puerto Rico and various islands. He was preceding in death by his parents and sister, A. Celeste Johnson.

He leaves behind: his loving wife, Barbara E. Harper; two children, William R. and Samantha M. Harper; three grandchildren, Kylene, Kendrick and William R. Harper, Jr. He also leaves behind; a host of family and friends.

Order of Service

Seating of Family

Prayer

Scripture Readings

Old Testament

New Testament

Reflections

Obituary Reading

Message of Comfort Rev. Ruby Williams
Mt. Vernon Missionary Baptist Church • Newark, NJ

Recessional



Interment

Brigadier General William C. Doyle Veterans Memorial Cemetery
Wrightstown, New Jersey

When I Must Leave You

*When I must leave you for a little while
Please do not grieve and shed wild tears
And hug your sorrow to you through the years
But start out bravely with a gallant smile
And for my sake and in my name
Live on and do all things the same
Feed not your loneliness on empty days
But fill each waking hour in useful ways
Reach out your hand in comfort and in cheer
And I in turn will comfort you
And hold you near
And never, never be afraid to die
For I am waiting for you in the sky!*

-Helen Steiner Rice

Acknowledgements

The family wishes to thank all who have extended support for, spoken a kind word to, or done some act of kindness during their time of bereavement. May God bless you all for your thoughtfulness and concern.

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