

*In Loving Memory of*  
*John Anthony Mitchell*

*Sunrise*  
*May 28, 1962*

*Sunset*  
*November 19, 2011*

*Service*  
*Saturday, December 3, 2011 - 12:00 Noon*

**UNITY FUNERAL CHAPELS, INC.**

2352 8th Avenue  
New York, New York 10027

*Rev. Dr. Edward R. Culvert, Officiating*  
*Bobby Arrington, Organist*

## Obituary

Today we celebrate the life of our brother/father/son and dear friend **John Mitchell**. John was born on May 28, 1962, he was a fun loving and kind individual who loved to make others laugh and be happy.

John leaves behind his mother, step-father, three brothers and four sisters in Jamaica, West Indies; two sisters, one daughter and many dear friends here in the states; he also leaves behind an aunt and cousins in England who unfortunately could not make it but send their love.

Having to stand here and read at my brothers funeral is still very hard to accept. Words, even the best of words cannot begin to pay tribute or capture the sense of the loss that we are all feeling.

His passing is real within everyone but, our brother John Mitchell displayed a true love for life and cherished every moment with his family and friends. Today we honor him by expressing our loss and also by remembering how great and amazing he was, he played a special role in all of our lives.

John was the best father there is. He loved his only daughter, Aiela more than life itself. She meant the world to him and he dedicated his life doing his absolute best to make sure that she was happy.

In the years that lie ahead, I know he'll be deeply missed by her and each and everyone of us.

John, we will grieve for you, cry for you and even smile, because of who you were. You were a gentle giant, standing by a friend with a heart of gold.

May you find peace and comfort in the arms of the angels. Gone but will never be forgotten.

We love you "Brother".

# *Order of Service*

Processional

Selection

Scripture

Prayer

Selection

Acknowledgements

Remarks

Obituary

Eulogy

Selection

Committal

Viewing

Recessional

## **Interment**

Mt. Rest Cemetery  
Butler, New Jersey

# *I Am 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 wishes to express their deep appreciation  
and sincere thanks for your kindness during a time of sorrow.



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