

Bismil-la-hir Rahma-nir-Rahim

*In the Name of Allah, Most
Gracious, Most Merciful
From the (Earth) did we create you,
and unto it shall we return you.
And from it shall we bring you out
once again. (Al-Quran 20:55)*



Acknowledgement

The family acknowledges with deep appreciation all acts of kindness extended to them during this bereavement hour. God bless you for all your thoughtfulness and concern.



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In Loving Memory of Haleemah Shakir



Sunrise
September 15, 1935

Sunset
August 20, 2012

Service

Thursday, August 23, 2012 - 12:00 Noon

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Imam Yusaf Hassan

Obituary

Stormie T. Snipe born on September 15, 1935 in Philadelphia, PA shortly there after Stormie's family moved to New York City, in the summer of 1944. They lived on 72nd East 119th Street third floor, front apartment in East Harlem.

Stormie attended a girls Catholic School, "Good Shepards" until her 18th birthday. A few years later Stormie T. Snipe, met and married Joseph Carl Bond Jr., On September 15, 1956 in New York City. They had a beautiful baby girl Lauren Denise Bond and two years after a bouncing baby boy Joseph Carl Bond III.

Stormie T. Snipe experienced many things in East Harlem from her own childhood to being a witness to others being neglected or mistreated. She spent time searching within an became a community activist. She believed in unity within the community and was sensitive to the needs of others. Stormie accomplished this through various communities organizations and agencies. Tenants council, M. E. N. D., young Lords free breakfast program and we shall never forget the work with Black Panther party. Wisdom and knowledge spearheaded the opening of an independent, Black School "Mini School of Harlem".

Stormie T. Snipe was a diamond in the making she didn't stop there she knew there was a higher power and source and without she wouldn't be able to continue by herself. Stormie T. Snipe became a muslim during the 1980's. Shortly thereafter Stormie T. Snipe changed her name to Haleemah Shakir. Wanting more went on to achieve higher education at New Rochelle College in the Bronx.

Haleemah received her BA, kept moving on and graduated from Fordham University with her MA. While attending school Haleemah worked at a group home for young adults in Harlem. She also worked within the court system. Soon after receiving her MA from Fordham. Haleemah was promoted to the position of Director of C.D.R.C of the unified court system in the Bronx in the 1980's until retirement 2010.

Haleemah Shakir daughter of Lauren Denise Bond married to Gathan Waters preceded her in death. Son, Joseph L. Bond III married Sandra Sweet and had three children Lauren Aisha Bond, Joseph Carl Bond IV and Samirah Quimmah Bond; and great-granddaughter, Imani Lanay Smith. Haleemah leaves behind a sister, Barbara Bright; host of family, nieces, nephews, and many friends.

Order of Service

Janaazah Salute

Imam: Yusaf Hassan



Interment

Forest Green Memorial Park Cemetery
Morganville, New Jersey