

<u>Obituary</u>

Stephen Lynn Carrington was born in New York City on September 9, 1960, to the late Mr. & Mrs. Lensy Carrington.

Stephen who we all called Stevie, Ste-bo, Uncle Te-be and Lil man, later decided he only wanted to be known as Stephen. Stephen was raised in East Harlem and attended PS 80, JHS 45, Benjamin Franklin High School and Lehman College. Stephen set a standard in the Carrington family by being the very first to attend college.

Stephen spent his life working in the retail Industry and enjoyed interacting with people and making them happy. He was truly known for his sense of style, great sense of humor and his charisma; always leaving you laughing and feeling good about yourself.

He loved listening to Rap, Rhythm and Blues and Gospel music. He also enjoyed singing and dancing with his family but couldn't do either one, yet he would get down with it anyway. Above all these things, his family meant the most to him and he meant the world to them as well.

Before departing on December 25, 2012, he had begun to make his way back to church. He often visited Friendly Baptist Church with members of his family and later was drawn to East Mount Olive Baptist Church with his oldest sister Ellen Wright, who is a mother of the church.

Deeply mourning his passing, but forever cherishing his memory are: daughters, Stephanie Kelly and Ashley Carrington; son, Stephen Lynn Carrington Jr.; grandchildren, EJ Kelly Herndon and Stephen Lynn Carrington III; sisters, Ellen Wright and Gwendolyn Richardson; brothers-in-law, Jacob Bostick, Julius Richardson and John Jones, Sr; cousins, Elsie Renie and Andrew Poole; and a host of loving nieces, nephews, great-nieces and nephews great-nieces and nephews and many, many very dear friends.

His Spirit and Zest For Life Will Live in Us and Through Us For The Rest of Our Days and We will Rejoice When We Meet Again!

We Love you and will miss you dearly.

<u>Order of Service</u>

Processional

Selection "We Are Soldiers In The Army"

Scripture Readings

Prayer

Selection "Eyes Are On The Sparrow"

Acknowledgements

Remarks

Obituary

Selection "God's Got A Blessing"

Eulogy
Reverend Albert O.L. Sutton, Pastor
&
Bishop M. Crichlow, Pastor

Selection "Cooling Water"

Committal

Viewing

Recessional

Interment

Christ Church Cemetery South Amboy, New Jersey

Jerome Jr. Julian Jones

Richard Wright

Michael Davis, Sr.

Change Of Address

Dear Family and Friends,

I want you to know that I have moved. I received a call from God, the Chief Architect, who informed me that my new house is ready and I could move immediately. Well, my new home is finished and its such a beautiful sight to behold. It is located in an exclusive estate area and it sits behind a beautiful pearly gate.

There is peace, joy and happiness here with no more pain to bear, no strife or discontent. I could go on exploring around my new home but I have to get fitted for my wings. Let me give you my new address because I highly recommend you make plans to live here too.

Stephen L. Carrington

12 Gates to the City Avenue Godstown, Heaven 77777.

Oh yeah! Let me tell you this, I don't have a telephone yet, but first call God. If you don't have His number, He is listed in the Good Book on every page. Contact Him.

<u>Acknowledgement</u>

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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