

<u>Obituary</u>

James Grant was born May 23, 1936 to Ernestine and Wilson Grant. He was the youngest of seven children. He left high school, but his oldest sister, Josephine determined he wouldn't fall in the cracks of the streets, she had him sworn into the US Marines, where he served for three years.

He returned home and married Eunice Miliner and they had four children. He married a second time to Cynthia Sheffield.

He joined the New York State Department of Corrections, where he served twenty-seven years at Ossining Correctional Facility as a Correction Officer.

He also was a member all his life of the 117th St. Social Club where he made lifelong friends.

He leaves to mourn: two daughters, Deborah and Cheryl; four sons, Willie, Robert, Harold and James Jr.; two sons-in-law, Keith Jenkins and Kewanee Drumwright III; one daughter-in-law, Tara Grant; a sister, Wilhelmena Anderson; and a host of grandchildren, great grandchildren, nieces, nephews, cousins; and a special friend, Lilly Holmes.

Order of Service

Processional

Selection

Scripture Readings

Prayer

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Acknowledgements

Remarks

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Eulogy Rev. Tory Liferidge

Committal

Viewing

Recessional

Interment

Calverton National Cemetery Calverton, New York

GOD, grant me the Serenity
to accept the things I cannot change,
Courage to change the things I can, and the
Wisdom to know the difference.
Living one day at a time;
Enjoying one moment at a time;
Accepting hardship as the pathway to peace.
Taking, as He did, this sinful world as it is,
not as I would have it. Trusting that He will
make all things right if I surrender to His Will;
That I may be reasonably happy in this life, and
supremely happy with Him forever in the next.

Amen

-Author unknown

<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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