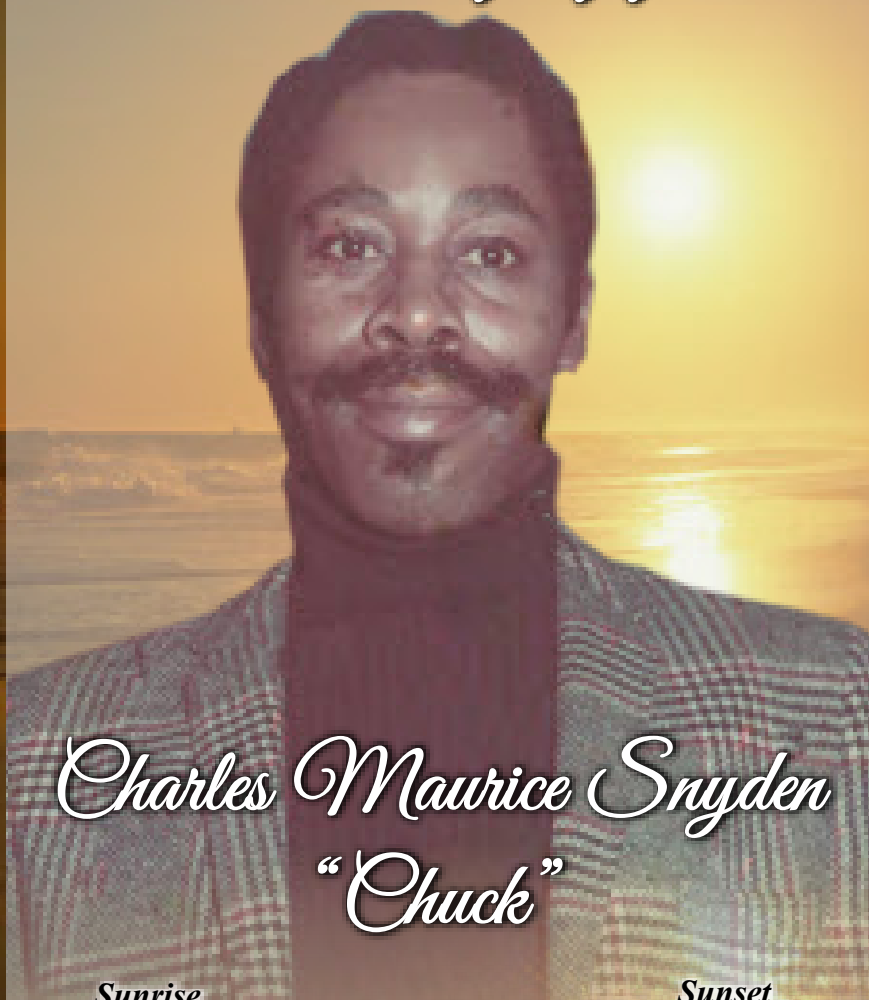


Celebration of Life for



Charles Maurice Snyder
“Chuck”

Sunrise

January 20, 1938

Sunset

June 14, 2013

Service

Monday, June 24, 2013 - 7:00 p.m.

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Rev. David Jenkins, Officiating

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Obituary

Charles Maurice Snyder known as “Chuck” departed this life on June 14, 2013. Born January 20, 1938 in Brooklyn, N.Y to John Snyder and Betty Thomas (both now deceased). Chuck parents instilled in him a sense of communal pride and integrity.

Chuck served as a member of the Army National Guard from 1954 –1956 in the artillery squad. Chuck later worked as a lab technician at Lincoln Hospital. Chuck also worked as a maintenance technician until his retirement.

Chuck resided in Harlem for the last thirty years, and became an inspirational voice during the Harlem Pride Movement. His personality and desire to improve the lives of those around him allowed him to connect with many of his neighbors and community leaders. Chuck was a mentor to many people in the community and would often stop Harlem Residences on the street and engage them in stimulating and lengthy conversations. Chuck was passionate about sharing his wisdom with people especially focused on helping men become financially self-sufficient.

Chuck was surrounded by a loving family that will miss him beyond measure. Chuck legacy lives on through his children; daughters, Rena (deceased), Doreen, Charlene and Shanton; sons, Kevin, Curtis, R.D and Jaivon; grandchildren, Jerry, Jamar, Marcel and Dominique; He also leaves behind a host of aunts, uncles and cousins. Chuck loved his family and friends, many of whom he met while working at the health food store. He will be truly missed by everyone who knew and loved him. Chuck had a great spirit and will be forever missed.

Order of Service

Processional

Minister, *Family and friends*

Selection

Marvin Hadley

Scripture Readings

Old Testament: Psalm 23

New Testament: 2 Corinthians 1:3, 4

Prayer

Rev. David Jenkins

Selection

Marvin Hadley

Acknowledgements

Remarks

Family and Friends

Obituary

Charlene Snyder

Selection

“He’s Concerned”

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Eulogy

Rev. David Jenkins

Committal

Viewing

Recessional

*God saw you growing tired
And a cure was not to be,
He wrapped His arms around you
And whispered, "Come with Me."
With tearful eyes we watched you,
Gently sleep away,
Although we loved you dearly,
We could not make you stay.
A golden heart stopped beating,
A peaceful face to rest,
A million times we cried,
If love could have saved you,
You would have never left us.
To some you will be forgotten,
To others, just a part of the past,
To us who loved you so dearly,
Your precious memory will always last.*

Lovingly, The Family

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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