



A Celebration of Life for
Kenneth Horsford

Sunrise
May 3, 1953

Sunset
September 16, 2013

Service

Saturday, September 21, 2013 - 11:00 a.m.

FAITH TEMPLE CHURCH

57 Prospect Street

East Orange, New Jersey

Bishop Aaron L. Hobbs, Officiating

Reflections of Life

Kenneth Horsford was born May 3, 1953 in the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago, land of steel pan and calypso. He was born to Eslin Horsford and the late Sonny Mitchell.

At a tender age, he was enrolled in Success RC School which formed the basis of his education. Later he decided to pursue a trade in welding at a technical institution where he received a degree in the same.

As a young adult, he was offered employment at Mario's Pizza where he stayed for some time. Afterwards he moved onto Securico, formerly Brinks, where he secured a stable livelihood for the rest of his time in Trinidad.

From 1994-1996, he frequented California and eventually fell in love with the country. It was no surprise when in 1996; he made a life changing decision to migrate to the United States of America with his long time love, Basday Singh. They later bought a home and tied the knot. Between 1996-2000, both him and his now bride worked together in Gladstone, New Jersey. But this wasn't enough. Contrary to his foundation in technical trades, he opted for the medical field where he dedicated himself to the career path as a licensed Home Health Aid (HHA). He worked at Patient Care and Bayada Nurses. His last place of employment up until his illness was Senior Bridge.

Kenneth loved being active outdoors. His favorite sports were mainly cricket and track and field. He was extremely dedicated and hard working to whatever task was at hand. He lived his life passionately exemplifying strong character traits and determination. But once people came around, he became sociable and welcoming. He delighted in showing others a good time. Fishing, gardening and landscaping formed his major hobbies. He even grew his own vegetable garden reflecting his true Trini roots. His favorite time of year was Christmas. Christmas for him represented the time when he would specialize in making pastelles and cooking up a storm to the traditional parang music.

Kenneth leaves to celebrate his life: his wife, Basday Singh-Horsford; his mother, Eslin Horsford; his children, Kendell Williams, Kara Soogrim, Keisha Wilson, his step children, Marva Mars, Sidann Samuel and four others; his grandchildren, the late Josiah Samuel, Amiya Soogrim, Isaiah Samuel, Jeremiah Samuel, Zechariah Samuel, and baby Samuel to be; his siblings, the late Brenda, the late Patricia, Corrine, Leslie, Terry and Curtis; nieces and nephews, Debra, Precious, Claire, Leona, Tiwana, Dexter, Sean, Adrian, Junior, Che, Keno, Abingi and the late Kiel; nine great nieces, seven great nephews, six great great nieces and nephews Terry's two sons, aunts, the late Volta, the late Gwen and Vera; godmother, Joycelyn; relative of The Horsfords and Mitchells of Trinidad, Grenada and New York and numerous in-laws, step grand and great step grandchildren and friends.

He will forever be remembered as a family man. Family was his heart and he especially loved his grandchildren endlessly.

Order of Service

Musical Prelude

Opening Hymn.....Faith Temple Church Choir

Scripture Readings

Old Testament

New Testament



Obituary Reading

Selection.....Faith Temple Church Choir

Poem

Selection.....Faith Temple Church Choir

Remarks and Reflections (under two minutes please)

Eulogy.....Bishop Aaron L. Hobbs

Final Viewing

Recessional

Interment

Rosedale Cemetery

Orange, New Jersey

This Old World



*This old world
I'll see no more*



*Pain and suffering for me
Is out the door*

*Oh, what a journey this will be
Knowing my Father in heaven
is walking with me.*

*Don't be afraid
I'll be alright
I'm cradled in Jesus' arms
He's holding me tight*

*I needed this rest
Only God knows best
For those I've left behind
Don't worry, I'm fine,
Victory is mine.*

Acknowledgement

*The family of the late **Kenneth Horsford** wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation the many expressions of love, concern and kindness shown to their family during this hour of bereavement. May God Bless and Keep You!*



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