

Celebration of Life For
Alexander Robinson, Sr.

"Johnny"

May 3, 1940 - October 14, 2013



Obituary

Alexander “Johnny” Robinson, 73, of Newark, NJ and formerly of Queens, NY died in Beth Israel, Newark, October 14th, 2013.

Johnny was born May 3, 1940 to the late Mamie (Joyner) Banks and the late Alexander Robinson in Little Washington, NC. He and his family relocated to NY while he was a toddler. As a teenager he attended Brooklyn Automotive High School.

Growing up, he became a member of a singing group called The Spotlights. He also performed as a solo artist for many years, performing at various nightclubs throughout New York City. He was an avid New York Mets Fan.

Johnny will always be remembered for his trademark laugh, eccentric dance moves, and his smooth laid-back demeanor. Most importantly, the love he showed for his family and friends.

He was predeceased by his daughter, Sonya Denise Robinson and siblings, Walter “Junior” Wilson, Billy Robinson, Rose Marie “Boo” (Wilson) Robinson and Bob Robinson.

He is survived by his wife of forty-six years of Ella; devoted children, Alexander “Dee”, Jr. (Tovah), Gina, Angelica. He also leaves his dear siblings Ann Moore (Eddie), Mamie Moore, Flossie Moore, Ida Robinson, Nancy Robinson, Al Robinson (Callie), Norman Robinson, Clifford Robinson and Timmie Robinson (Ann); grandchild Corey Robinson; great grandchild Malanii. He is also survived by nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends.

Saturday, October 19, 2013
Ten O'clock AM

Mt. Vernon Baptist Church

709 Clinton Avenue
Newark, New Jersey

Order of Service

- Organ Prelude Sir Joshua Nelson
- Invocation Rev. Ruby Williams
- Hymn of Comfort Sir Joshua Nelson
- Scripture Reading Clergy
Old Testament - Job 14:1-7
New Testament - John 14:1-6
- Prayer of Comfort..... Rev. Ann Moore (Sister)
Bread of Life Deliverance Church Charlotte, NC
- Selection Sir Joshua Nelson
- Reading of the Acknowledgement/Obituary
- Selection..... Sir Joshua Nelson
- Eulogy..... Rev. Ruby Williams
- Recessional..... Clergy and Family

Interment

Rosehill Cemetery
Linden, New Jersey

Serenity Prayer

*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

Acknowledgements

Johnny's family wishes to express their deepest and most sincere thanks to all who shared with them in this time of sorrow. May God bless and keep you in a most gracious way.

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