

# *I'm Free*

*Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free  
I'm following the path God laid for me  
I took his hand when I heard Him call  
I turned my back and left it all.*

*I could not stay another day.*

*To laugh, to love, to work or play.  
Tasks left undone must stay that way,  
I found that peace at the close of day.*

*If my parting has left a void,  
Then fill it up with remembered joy.  
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,  
Oh, yes these things I too will miss.  
Be not burdened with times of sorrow,  
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.  
My life's been full, I savored much.*

*Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.  
Perhaps my time seemed all too brief,  
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.  
Lift up your heart and share with me,  
God wanted me now, He set me free!*

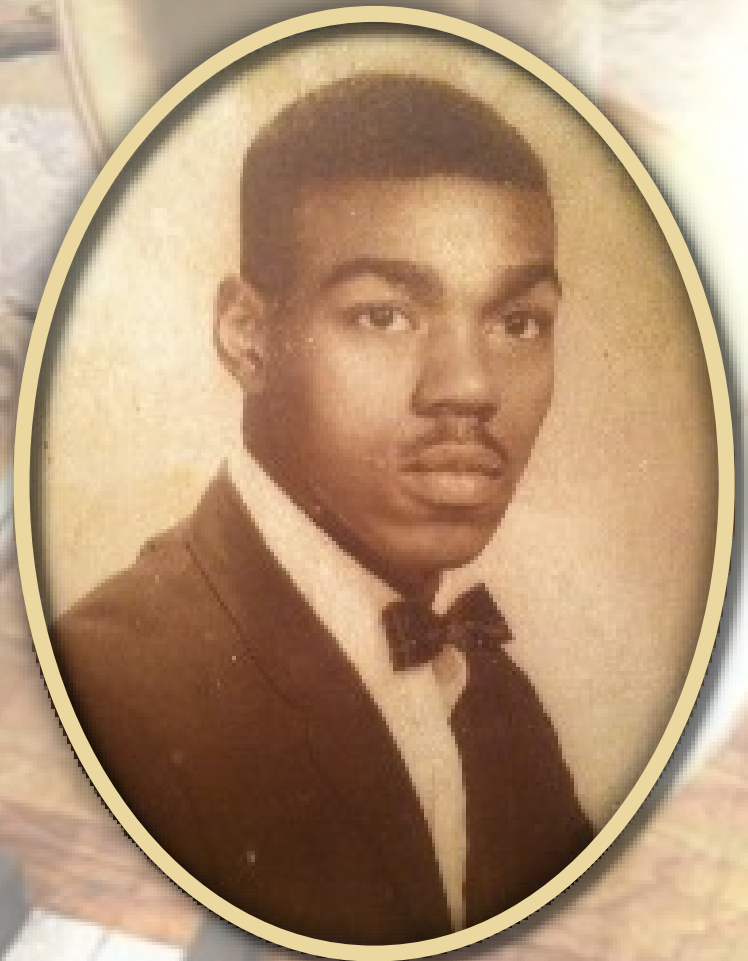
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*In Loving Memory of*

# *Willis Dargon*

**Sunrise**  
September 21, 1947

**Sunset**  
October 19, 2013



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*Service*

Friday, October 25, 2013 - 11:00 a.m.

**Cotton Funeral Service**

1025 Bergen Street  
Newark, New Jersey

# Order of Service

- Processional .....Minister and Family
- Selection
- Scripture - Revelation 21:1-7.....Read by Yevonne L. Wheeler
- Prayer of Comfort .....James McLean
- Song Selection .....Marlon Dillard
- Reading of Obituary..... Carolyn Dillard
- Poem .....by Tiah Dargon  
Read by LaTonya Dargon
- Reflection of Life ..... 3 minutes or less)

**Interment**  
Evergreen Cemetery  
Hillside, New Jersey

***Repast***  
***Family and Friends are invited to the***  
***Club House at Society Hill***  
***1 Cornerstone Lane***  
***Newark, NJ 07103***

**Pall Bearers**  
Eric Dillard                      NaJee Starks  
Robert Johnson                Michael Dillard  
Irving Hill

# Obituary



**Willis Dargon** (lovingly known as Butch) was born on September 21, 1947 in Newark NJ to Nimrod (late) and Lillie Mae Dargon. He departed this life on October 19, 2013. Willis was educated in the Newark School System. He graduated from Weequahic High school. While there he was the recipient of numerous basketball honors.

Willis attended Belmont Abbey in NC, Johnson C. Smith in Charlotte NC, graduating from Upsala College in East Orange NJ with a BA in Business

Administration. He also received a MBA in finance from St. Johns University in NY. He was employed at UMDNJ in Newark NJ, Citi Corp/Citi Bank in NY, Mayors Policy and Development Office in Newark NJ. Willis also, was an entrepreneur that had his own tax business that served many people in the community.

Willis was a renaissance man who enjoyed music, dancing, theater, basketball, fishing and swimming. He was a avid reader and connoisseur of food. He was also a purveyor of words studying the dictionary hours on end.

Willis was a loving father to his children, family, and his dogs (Sheap, Tiffany and Bronze). He married the love of his Yevonne L. Wheeler on June 2, 1977.

Those left to cherish his memories are his mother Lillie Mae Dargon, his sister Diane Dargon-McLean (James). His children Kristal L. Dargon-Starks, LaQuanda Jackson (Darryl), Gia Allen, Keir Ashlei Dargon (His best friend), and Wesley Rucker. Grand children, Ariel Dargon, Amani Starks, Jordan Jackson, Aaron Jackson, Wesley Rucker Jr., Kaylee Rucker, Great granddaughter Analah Barrett. Niece and Nephew, Tiah (Hollywood) Dargon-Johnson, Aaron (Head) Dargon and host of aunts, uncles, cousins, and friends. A special thank to his cousin, Richard (Busta) Singleton.

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