

Celebrating the Life of

A portrait of Rufus Norfleet, a Black man with a goatee, wearing a dark shirt and a gold chain. The portrait is set against a background of a bright, cloudy sky with a sunburst effect.

Rufus Norfleet

Sunrise

September 4, 1956

Sunset

January 26, 2014

Service

Monday, February 3, 2014 - 10:00 a.m.

CARNIE P. BRAGG FUNERAL HOMES, INC.

256 Rosa Parks Blvd.

Paterson, New Jersey

Rev. Michael McDuffie, Officiating

Reflections of Life

Rufus Norfleet, son of the late Louise and William Norfleet, Sr., was born September 4, 1956 in Johns, Alabama.

Affectionately known as "Zig", Rufus worked for Tiffany Extruders for twenty-seven years, several years as a Foreman.

His love for music will be remembered. His love for his children and grandchildren will forever be cherished. Rufus entered into eternity on January 26, 2014 at his home surrounded by his family.

He was preceded in death by his parents; a sister Barbara Ann Norfleet; and a cousin, Joann Knox

He leaves to cherish fond memories his loving children, Latrice LaFargue (Marvin), Tachay Haywood, Rufus Haywood (Shante), LaTania Michele McDaniel, and Candice McDaniel; his stepsons, Charles "J" McDaniel and Ian "E" McDaniel; 14 grandchildren; his sister and brothers; William Norfleet (Hattie) of Paterson, Mary Clark (Jesse) of Adger, Alabama, Minister Nathaniel Norfleet (Helen) of Bessemer, Alabama, Porter Norfleet of Bessemer, Alabama, Melvin Norfleet (Flora) of Dolomite, Alabama, Latonia Cook (William) of Bessemer, Alabama, and Cynthia Thomas (Donald) of Bessemer, Alabama; Aunt Kay Davis; Uncle Rufus Beckwood; Dear Friend, Dollina Haywood; and a host of nieces, nephews, extended family and friends.

Order of Service

Prelude

Processional

Scripture Readings

Old Testament

New Testament

Prayer of Comfort

Selection

Acknowledgements
and Reflections

Reflections of Life

Selection

Eulogy Rev. Michael McDuffie

Recessional



Interment

Arlington Cemetery
Kearny, New Jersey

The Master Called

*I'm sorry I had to leave you.
My loved ones, oh so dear.
But you see, the Master called me,
His voice was very clear!
I had made my reservation
A heaven bound ticket for one,
And I knew that He would call me
When He felt my work was done.
I know that your hearts are heavy
Because I have gone away,
But when the Master called me,
I knew that I could not stay.
Yes, I'm sorry I had to leave you
My loved ones, oh so dear,
But, you see, the Master called me
And, now I'm resting here.
Yes, I've crossed on over to glory
And to you all I say
Just stay in the hands of Jesus
And we'll meet again someday.
-Author unknown*

Acknowledgement

*The family of the late **Rufus Norfleet** 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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