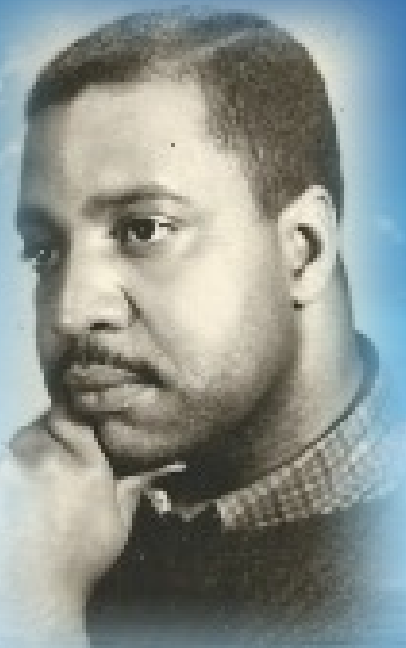


*In Loving
Memory
of*



Sunrise
July 17, 1928

Sunset
May 1, 2014

Arthur L. Ward, Sr.



Service

Friday, May 9, 2014 - 10:00 a.m.

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2352 8th Avenue • New York, NY 10027

Rev. Dr. J.G. McCann, Sr., Officiating

Rev. David Jenkins, Organist

Obituary

Arthur Lee Ward, Sr., also known as Sonny. Sonny was born in Harlem Hospital on July 17, 1928, to Otto and Marie Ward, he was one of six children.

After the death of his mother at a very young age, he went to live with his grandparents in Wilmington, NC. He completed his education there.

At the death of his grandparents in North Carolina, he returned to New York. He did various jobs. Sonny served time in the United States Army, serving in the Korean War. After returning home, he became employed at the United States Post Office, where he worked until he retired.

In 1954, he met the love of his life, Alberta. On May 31, 1958 they were united spending the next fifty-five years together.

Sonny was a well-known photographer. He attended New York School of Photography. He became the family famous photographer. He was also one of the National Action Network Photographers. Taking pictures, he enjoyed the most.

Sonny was well loved by many. He was a wonderful man. A good husband, father, uncle, grandfather, cousin and friend.

He will be well missed by: his loving wife, Alberta; son, Arthur L. Ward, Jr.; granddaughter, Angela; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.



Order of Service

Prelude

Processional

Invocation

Scriptures

Old Testament - Psalm 23.....Orvella Estwick

New Testament - 2 Timothy 4:7-8.....Kevin Jackson

Solo.....Catherine Jenkins

Prayer of Comfort

Tributes 2 Mins.

Acknowledgement of Cards

Obituary.....Read Silently

Solo.....Organist

Eulogy

Committal

Benediction

Parting Viewing

Recessional

Interment

Calverton National Cemetery

Calverton, New York

The Gift of Lasting Love

*Love is much more than a tender caress
And more than bright hours of gay
happiness*

*For a lasting love is made up of sharing
Both hours that are "joyous"
and also "desparing"*

*It's made up of patience and deep
understanding and never of selfish and
stubborn demanding,*

*It's made up of "CLIMBING THE STEEP
HILLS TOGETHER"*

*And facing with courage
"LIFE STORMIEST WEATHER"*

*And nothing on earth or in heaven can
part a love that has grown
to be part of the heart,*

*And just like the
sun and stars and the sea,*

This love will go on through ETERNITY

*For "true love" lives
on when earthly things die,
For it's part of the SPIRIT
that soars to the "SKY."*

Your Wife

Great of Creation

Save Our Nation

*Great God the Father of all
creation*

*Look down
upon this strife torn nation.*

*Revive our spirits
Lain Dormant so long.*

*Renew our
faith and keep it strong.*

*Forgive our arrogance and greed
And guide us*

*in this hour of need Hand of God
reach out once more*

*And with the breath of life restore
Your spirit in the flesh of men*

*So we may live in peace again
For mankind's*

future and survival

*Depend alone
on the spirits revival!*

Your son

Acknowledgement

*The family acknowledges with deep appreciation all acts of
kindness extended to them during this bereavement hour.*

May God bless you for all your thoughtfulness and concern.

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