

In Loving Memory of

<u>Service</u> Wednesday, June 25, 2014 - 7:00 p.m.

Cotton Funeral Service 130 Main Street Orange, New Jersey 07050 Rev. Ryan Warren, Officiating

<u>Obituary</u>

Tommy Lee Johnson, Jr., was born on February 28, 1963 in Harlem Hospital, New York City, NY to the late Tommy Lee Johnson, Sr. and Daisy Johnson Brown.

Tommy was a graduate of George Washington High School. Tommy had a lengthy and extended work history (career). Which was established at a extremely young age. His journey began working summer youth works for the Housing Authority to the Kennedy Airport in the early 80's. He also was a local truck driver in the state on New Jersey. Tommy was last employed with New Jersey Transit for twenty-five years (1988-2014). Tommy advanced to supervisor becoming Inspector Class B. Tommy had one true passion in life and that was "work", undeniable dedicated, hard-working man.

On August 5, 1985, Tommy and Patricia Ann King married and departed from the Bronx and relocated to New Jersey. Through this union two daughters and one son was born.

On Saturday, June 21st, 2014 our Heavenly Father called His Angel home, waiting at the gates of Heaven was his father, Tommy Lee Johnson, Sr.

He leaves behind to mourn his passing: a loving and devoted wife, Patricia Johnson; two daughters, Dale and Jerri; two sons, Jeremy and Tommy III; two stepchildren, Keith and Toni Pinkett; two step sisters, Susan Ann Brown and Eillean McGillberry; eight grandchildren; beloved mother and stepfather, Daisy and Ika Brown; one beloved brother, Kevin Johnson; two nieces, Anissa and Chyna Johnson; two sons-inlaw, Odain Trottman and Rasheed Pitts; two brothers-in-law, Mark and Gregory King; one sister-in-law, Stephanie Manigault; one aunt, Mattee' Lynn; one uncle, Willie Joe Lewis Bennett; and a host of relatives and friends who will miss him very much.

Order of Service	
Organ Prelude	l
Prayer of Comfort Rev. Ryan Warren	ļ
Scripture Readings Rev. Ryan Warren Old Testament New Testament	•
Solo Levi Dixon	
Poem "He Is Mindful Of His Own" Brother-in-law, Mark King	
Acknowledgements	
Obituary Rashonda Parker	
Selection	
PoemA Letter To Her Papa - "You Wonder Why" Jordan Pitts Joia Barnes	
A Message to His Father-in-law Odain Trottman	
Message Rev. Ryan Warren	
Viewing	

Committal

Recessional

Interment:

Tuesday, July 1, 2014 George Washington Memorial Park Paramus, New Jersey 07652

Repast 117 Chauncey Avenue • East Orange, New Jersey

You Wonder Why

You wonder why I went away and did not say goodbye, I couldn't bear to tell you, for it hurts me when you cry. My ship came in on Saturday and so beautiful to see for the captain was Jesus and he softly beckoned me. I ran across the leeway and fell down at his feet. He gently took me in his arms. My rest is now complete.



Submitted in Sorrow, The Johnson Family

When I Must Leave You

When I must leave you for a little while Please do not grieve and shed wild tears And hug your sorrow to you through the years But start out bravely with a gallant smile And for my sake and in my name Live on and do all things the same Feed not your loneliness on empty days But fill each waking hour in useful ways Reach out your hand in comfort and in cheer And I in turn will comfort you And hold you near And never, never be afraid to die For I am waiting for you in the sky!

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<u>Acknowledgement</u>

The Family wishes to express their appreciation and sincere thanks for all acts of kindness shown to them in their time of sorrow.

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