

A Celebration of Life

Sunrise
March 8, 1963

Sunset
May 12, 2015

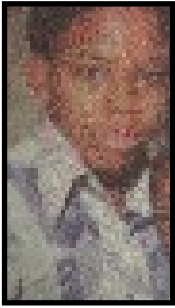


Clarence H. Scriven, Jr.

Tuesday, May 19, 2015 - 11:00 a.m.

CARNIE P. BRAGG FUNERAL HOME
256 Rosa Parks Blvd. • Paterson, New Jersey
Rev. James E. Salmon, Officiating

Service of Tribute



Clarence Harold Scriven, Jr. was born on March 8, 1963 in Paterson, NJ to C. Harold, Sr. and Alma Jean Scriven.

Clarence was educated through the diocese of Paterson; first at St. Thelese and then at Paterson Catholic Regional High School. He continued his education at Virginia State University.

Clarence married his wife, Sharon, in 2000 and his son Clarence III was born in 2001.

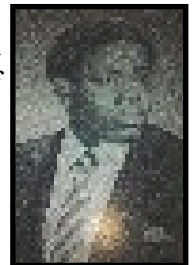
Clarence worked for the state of New Jersey for more than twenty years. He was also a partner at Scriven and Scriven Insurance Agency with his father for just as long. He received many civic awards and honors.

Clarence an avid sports fan but a peaceful man mixed of contrasts. In high school he was a dedicated football player but also a member of the chess club. He was a born jokester but could be intensely quiet for hours to days. He was a solid individual who could be depended on by his friends and family. Clarence prided himself on being a caring husband and devoted father.

He returned to his heavenly Father on May 12, 2015.

He was predeceased by, his father Clarence Harold Scriven, Sr. in 2008.

Clarence will be forever remembered and missed by: his wife, Sharon; son, C.H. (Irvington, NJ); his mother, Alma Jean (Lugoff, SC); his sister, Angel (Atlanta, GA); his step-sisters, Juzetta (Newark, NJ) and Cherelle (Branchburg, NJ) and a host of aunts, uncles, cousins and friends.



Order of Service

Prelude

Processional

Selection..... *“Standing On The Promises Of God”*

Scripture Reading

Old Testament..... Psalm 23

Exherter Barbara Stewart

New Testament John 14:1-4

Cassandra Stuart

Prayer of Comfort..... Rev. Carl E. Stuart

Selection..... *“Precious Lord”*

Acknowledgements & Obituary..... Angela Scriven Thomas

Reflections of Life..... Donald Cooper and

Friends from the Block

Selection..... *“It Is Well With My Soul”*

Words of Comfort
Rev. James Salmond

Recessional

You can shed tears that he is gone or you can smile because he has lived. You can close your eyes and pray that he'll come back or you can open your eyes and see all that he left. Your heart can be empty because you can no longer see him or you can be happy for tomorrow because of yesterday. You can remember him and only that he's gone or you can cherish his memory and let it live on you can cry and close your mind be empty and turn your back or you can do what he want: smile, open your eyes love and go on.

-Unknown Author

Interment
Laural Grove Cemetery
295 Totowa Road
Totowa, New Jersey

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!

-author unknown

Acknowledgement

*The family of the late **Clarence H. Scriven, Jr.** 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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