A Celebration of Life BARON JOHNSON

I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith:

2 Timothy 4:7

Sunrise April 9, 1958

Sunset May 23, 2015

<u>Service</u> ~Saturday, May 30, 2015~ Viewing - 2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Service - 5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

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2352 8th Avenue • New York, NY 10027 Rev. Kevin J. Alexander –Officiating Pastor, Peter Spencer UAME Church, Utica, N.Y.

The Obituary

Baron Johnson answered God's call to come home and entered into eternal rest on May 23, 2015 at the young age of 57. Baron was born on April 9, 1958 and was the third child born to Edward and Mabel Johnson.

Baron graduated from Bronx High School of Science and attended City College in New York. He worked many years for the IRS followed by nearly 35 years with Verizon. During his tenure at Verizon, he fell in love with the lovely Petra Onofre, a colleague and best friend who soon became his wife in 2004.

Baron was a man of great faith who loved the Lord. He received Jesus Christ as his personal Lord and Savior in his own living-room prior to his long health battle. Thereafter, he has had a true and personal relationship with the Lord.

Baron was an awesome man of good character led by the light within him. He let "his light so shine" daily as he touched the lives of all those that were blessed with the opportunity to know him. No matter whom you are or where you came from Baron treated you with respect, love and kindness. He was a father figure and mentor to anyone that needed guidance, especially the young men of Jamaica, West Indies who continued to remain in contact with him. Baron loved to travel and his favorite destination was Jamaica. Baron also loved to eat good home cooked meals especially those that reminded him of his mother's cooking. Baron loved music, NASCAR racing and the television show Law & Order.

Baron leaves to cherish his memory: his loving wife, Petra Johnson; his only daughter, Anntasia Johnson whom he loved and adored, he called her his "Boo"; his stepson, Quincy Frink; his mother, Mabel Johnson; brother, Hassan Allah; sister, Eddweena Johnson; and a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. Baron was predeceased by his father, Edward Johnson and brother, Marvin Harper.

Order of Service

Opening Hymn

Prayer of Comfort

Scripture Readings Old Testament - Psalm 23 New Testament - John 14:1-6

Selection	Soloist
Reflections	"As You Knew Him" (Please 2 minute limit)
Acknowledgements	
Reading of the Obituary	Pam Williams

Selection

EulogyRev. Kevin J. Alexander

Final Disposition Oxford Hills Crematory Chester, New York

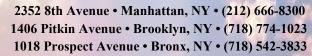
Love Ballad

"Our Wedding Song"

I have never been so much In love before What a difference A true love made in my life So nice----so right Loving you gave me something new That I've never felt Never dreamed of Something's changed No it's not the feeling I had before Oh it's much much more Love I never knew that a touch Could mean So much What a difference And when we walk hand in hand I feel So real Lovers come And then lovers go That's what folks say Don't they know, they're not there when you love me, hold me And say you care, and what we have is much more than they can see...what we have is much more than they can see

Acknowledgement

The family of Baron Johnson wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation the many expressions of love, comfort and kindness shown unto them during this time of bereavement. May God Bless You All!



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