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Reflections of Life

Lloyd was born August 5, 1953, in Paterson, New Jersey. He was a loyal son to the late Mr. William Brown and Mrs. Connie L. Brown who currently resides in Miami, Florida.

Lloyd was an educational product of Paterson School System where his formative years were spent at school number 13 and continued at Eastside High School. He furthered his academic training at Rutgers University, the New Brunswick Campus and received a Bachelor's Degree. Valuing an education, he matriculated at Atlanta University, now Clark University and earned a Masters Degree.

Occupationally, Lloyd found his career niche with the Federal Government where he advanced to the position of Contracting Officer in the General Services Office and the Department of Defense. His copius professional knowledge and expertise warranted his proficiency and skills for a temporary assignment in Kuwait.

Yearning to enjoy some of God's gifts and promises, Lloyd was diverse in his interests and hobbies. He was an avid theater-goer. He appreciated music and attending concerts. One might have called him a jazz enthusiast. He relished riding his mountain bike and walking through the park, some tagged him a cyclist. He delighted in seeing a good movie and discussing it, several labeled him a critic. He reveled in politics and debating current issues, a great number deemed him a political analyst. But without a doubt, Lloyd treasured his friends and the sharing of special moments.

During his journey on earth, Lloyd grew to love the Lord, he frequently visited Christ Church located in Montclair, New Jersey.

His immediate and extended family will miss him very much, he was always reaching out to aid a family member, parent, brother, sister, aunt or cousin. Family members know him by his caring, sharing and compassion. We know him for his boundless energy and enthusiam for life. He will be missed on holidays. His colleagues know him for his ability to light up a room with his presence, his gentleness and his understanding nature, his ability to see the good in everyone, his dedication as a worker.

Lloyd was preceded in death by his father, William Brown and his maternal and paternal grandparents, Willie S. Walker and Eliller Walker, Eddie and Mary Gilchrist Brown. Lloyd transitioned into eternal life on Thursday, May 21, 2015,

Leaving to cherish the memories of his life: his mother, Connie L. Brown of Miami, Florida; one sister, Delores W. Duckett and husband, George Duckett of Jamaica Estates, New York; two brothers, William Brown of Paterson, New Jersey (previously married) to Loreen Booker Brown, Warren Brown and wife, Cynthia Brown of Miami, Florida; nieces and nephews, Ayana Duckett, Ngina Duckett, Arielle Brown, Tyler Brown, Julian Brown, Tarell Brown, and Cameron Brown. He leaves countless friends who loved him for who he was - Lloyd, a true friend with an infectious and hardy laugh.

The family would like to thank Lloyd's lifelong friends: Jacqueline Alexamder, Greta Thomas, Yvette Jackson and Vivian Taylor, for aiding in the composition of this obituary.

This obituary is lovingly submitted by Lloyd's family.

Order of Service

Prelude

Processional

Selection

Scripture Readings

Old Testament New Testament

Prayer of Comfort

Selection

Acknowledgements & Remarks

Reflections of Life

Selection

Words of Comfort

Reverend Pamela Powell Calvary Baptist Church Paterson, New Jersey

Recessional

Interment

East Ridgelawn Cemetery Clifton, New Jersey

I Know A Man

I know a man whose grace astounds, That's because his guardian angel is always around.

I know a man who struggles with all of his might No matter how hard he tries he just can't get it right.

I know a man whose problems have gone from bad to worse. He sometimes feels like he's the loneliest man in the universe.

I know a man who hurts so much inside. Although he never cries out because of his pride.

I know a man whose wife just isn't there. Oh how he longs for someone who cares.

I know a man, his son was taken away, He can only find comfort when he kneels down to pray.

I know a man who can call on his brother, And they can encourage and support one another.

I know a man that when he finds himself in trouble. He can beckon to his neighbor and they will come through on the double.

I know a man whose passed the test, For when you trust in God you're truly blessed.

I know a man whose physical relief is nowhere in sight Take heed to the words of Jesus when he said "My yoke is easy and my burden is light"

I know a man who rejoices in spite of his condition. For the good Lord put him here to fulfill a mission.

"Talent does what it can, genius does what it must". Put your life in the hands of Jesus, on this you can trust.

I know these men of Imani and what they've been through, For Imani means faith and I know what it's works can do.

By Willliam Brown

<u>Acknowledgement</u>

The family of the late **Lloyd M. Brown** 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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