

Celebration Of Life For

*Charlie D. Baynes*

*Rest in peace*



*Angel in heaven*

**Sunrise**

*December 21, 1927*

**Sunset**

*June 23, 2015*

*Monday, June 29, 2015 - 11:00 a.m.*

**New Light Baptist Church**

255 14<sup>th</sup> Avenue  
Newark, New Jersey

*Reverend Sean Evans, Officiating*

# Obituary

**Charlie Dolphus Baynes** was born on December 21, 1927 in Caswell County, North Carolina. He was the third child born of six to the late Giles Thomas Baynes and the late Lottie Chambers Baynes. He passed from this earthly life to eternal life on Tuesday, June 23, 2015.

Charlie attended Caswell County elementary and high schools. He was reared by a praying mother and father and accepted Christ at a young age. He served with his family at the Sweet Gum Grove Baptist Church and was baptized under the leadership of the Rev. Will Warner. After high school he briefly worked as a farmer.

In 1950, CD (as he was referred to by his loved ones) enlisted in the United States Army, Fort Campbell, Kentucky where he served 2 years and 2 days, receiving an honorable discharge. Thereafter, he relocated to Newark, New Jersey. On February 24, 1956 Charlie was united in holy matrimony to Roberta Bigelow. They were a beautiful couple. To that union three children were born, Brenda, Thomas and Ursula. After the children were grown, Charlie and Roberta moved to Orange, New Jersey.

They both joined the New Light Baptist Church under the leadership of Rev. J.C. Brown, where they both served well. Charlie was a Trustee and Church Treasurer for over 25 years. During that time he also served as Chairman of the Trustee Board. Due to health challenges he resigned, however continued to serve as emeritus.

He worked for Swartz Leather Company for 40 years.

Charlie was a devoted husband, loving father, grandfather and great grandfather. He was “a people person” who was well known for his wisdom and always seizing the opportunity to talk to people while sharing the goodness of the Lord wherever he went.

Charlie will always live in the hearts of those left to cherish his memory; his loving wife of 59 years, Roberta; children, Brenda Taylor of Boston, MA, Thomas Baynes of Orange, NJ and Ursula Williams of Roselle, NJ; two sons-in-law, Robert Taylor and Darius Williams; two sisters, Nellie Bigelow of Newark, NJ and Maude Malone Bonney of Iselin, NJ; seven sisters-in-law; four brothers-in-law; beloved grandchildren, Shea Taylor, Keyana Baynes, Precious Andrews and Lamont Baynes; granddaughter-in-law, Erika Taylor; great grandchildren, Neeah Latham, Taylor Hayden, Laila Hayden and Lakhi Baynes. He also leaves a host of nieces, nephews and friends as well as his New Light Church Family; special friend and cousin, Percy Baynes and special friend, Henry Johnson. Charlie will never be forgotten and forever missed.

The Family

*“Another soldier gone to get his just reward.”*

# Order of Service

Presiding  
Reverend Lennie Hampton

PROCESSIONAL .....Clergy & Family

HYMN OF COMFORT..... “Blessed Assurance”

PRAYER OF COMFORT..... Deaconess Alma Bostic

## SCRIPTURE READINGS

*Old Testament*  
*New Testament*

SELECTION .....Male Chorus

“I’m A Pilgrim”  
*(A favorite of the deceased)*

REMARKS *(2 minutes, please)* .....Family & Friends

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS & OBITUARY.....Deaconess Alma Bostic

SAXOPHONE SOLO .....Shea Taylor, *grandson*

“Amazing Grace”  
*(Requested by Papa)*

EULOGY .....Pastor Evans

RECESSIONAL .....“Going Up Yonder”

### **Interment**

Graceland Memorial Park  
Kenilworth, New Jersey

### **Repast**

*After the interment, you are invited to return  
to the church dining hall for the repast.*

The Family



## **Flower Bearers**

Nieces

## **Pall Bearers**

Robert Taylor      Billy Taylor  
Shawn Pulley      Dea. Charles Bostic  
Dea. Clarence Lee      Donald Taylor  
Benji Bostic



## **Acknowledgement**

The family wishes to thank all of you for your prayers, cards, visits and all acts of kindness shown during the times that it was needed.

All cards will be acknowledged at a later date.

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