Mr. Craig L. Bradley

Sunrise March 9, 1976 Sunset July 14, 2015

In Loving Memory

of

<u>Service</u> Saturday, July 25, 2015 - 10:00 a.m.

CHRISTIAN LOVE BAPTIST CHURCH 830 Lyons Ave. • Irvington, New Jersey 07111 *Rev. Ron Christian, Officiating*

<u>Obituary</u>

Craig Lewis Bradley was born on March 9, 1976 in Newark, New Jersey to Denise Bradley-Parker and Greg Bergman. He received his elementary education within various schools throughout Newark and East Orange, New Jersey. A graduate of Bloomfield Technical High School where he was a dedicated basketball player that enjoyed welding.

Craig really enjoyed life and was always loyal to family and friends. He was known best for smiling and joking. His smile and laughter was so infectious that once he began to smile no matter how tough your day appeared to be, you smiled too. He was definitely a "jokester" and had no problem with making fun of you and having you laugh at yourself. If he was really comfortable with you, you received and unexpected "wet willie" and/or a "frog", in which his brother and sister were always on the receiving end. Craig had a big heart; he gave when you didn't even ask; even if it was his last without asking for anything in return. He had many, many friends that were just like family to him. It seems as though he never met a stranger. He touched so many lives.

Out of all these things he's done, Craig's greatest accomplishments by far are his children: Craig S. Bradley, Crystin Parker and Autumn Lou'Shay Bradley. He made it known that spending valuable time with his children was important. Everything he did was to benefit and enrich the lives of his children. He never wanted to disappoint them. His love for them was unconditional.

He leaves to cherish his memory: his parents, Denise Bradley-Parker and Greg Bergman; step-father, Sherrod Parker; fiancee, Shayvonna "Jackie" Parker; his sister, Leslie Noel and brother-inlaw, Dwayne Noel; brother, Vernon Frye Bradley; his children, Craig S. Bradley, Crystin Parker and Autumn Lou'Shay Bradley; grandson, Cameren El Bradley and aunt, Loretta Bradley.

Preceding him in death were his grandparents, Matthew Alston and Mamie Bradley; uncles, Robert Bradley, Clarence Bradley and Jerome Bradley; followed by a host of other family and friends.

<u>Order of Service</u>

Processional

Prayer of Comfort

Invocation

Musical Selection

Scripture

Musical Selection

Obituary Reading

Acknowledgements & Remarks

Selection

Eulogy

Benediction

Recessional

Interment

Forest Green Memorial Park Cemetery Old Bridge, New Jersey

Afterglow

I'd like the memory of me To be a happy one, I'd like to leave an afterglow Of smiles when day is done. I'd like to leave an echo Whispering softly down the ways, Of happy times and laughing times And bright and sunny days. I'd like the tears of those who grieve To dry before the sun Of happy memories that I leave behind, When the day is done.

-Helen Lowrie Marshall

<u>Acknowledgements</u>

The family wishes to express their deepest and most sincere thanks to all who shared with them in this time of sorrow. May God bless and keep you in a most gracious way.

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