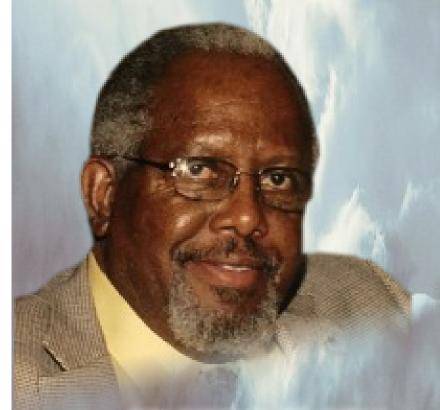
### Celebrating The Life of

# Edward Chisolm, Jr.

Sunrise January 19, 1946

**Sunset**September 18, 2015



Friday, September 25, 2015 - 11:00 a.m.

#### **PEACEFUL ZION BAPTIST CHURCH**

213 Rhode Island Avenue East Orange, New Jersey 07018

Rev. James A. Johnson, Sr., Officiating Rev. Jonathan Sims, Jr., Eulogist,

### <u>Obituary</u>

Edward Chisolm, Jr. son of the late Esdorn and Elizabeth W. Chisolm, was born on January 19, 1946. He attended the public schools of Colleton County, graduating in 1965 from Colleton High School in Walterboro, South Carolina. That year, he moved to Newark, New Jersey, where a new chapter in his life would begin. Edward worked with the Jersey Steel Drum, Northern Feathers and Bob Construction Company before becoming a longshoreman in 1979, performing multiple jobs as a dock worker. In 2013, he retired as a crane operator at the Maher Terminal in Port Elizabeth after thirty-four years.

"He who finds a wife finds a good thing and obtains favor from the Lord" [Proverbs 18:22]. In 1975, Edward met the love of his life and was united in holy matrimony to Bessie Lambert on August 27, 1977. God blessed their union with two sons and thirty-eight years of abundant love and dedication.

At an early age, Edward gave his life to Christ at the Mt. Nebo Baptist Church in Yemassee, South Carolina, where Rev. Mannie C. Chisolm was pastor. On November 1, 1998, he joined Peaceful Zion Church, East Orange, New Jersey, where Rev. James Johnson is pastor. At Peaceful Zion, Edward served on the Feed My Sheep Ministry and in the JT Osborne Memorial Male Chorus. Edward's other passions included fishing and enjoying the racetrack. He also loved his retirees association.

As life always comes full circle, on Friday, September 18, 2015, Edward was called into a peaceful rest of eternity.

He leaves to mourn his loss: his loving wife, Bessie M. Chisolm, Newark, NJ; two sons, Michael (Tsihai) Chisolm, Montclair, NJ and David Chisolm, Bethlehem, PA; daughter, Germaine Cognan; brother, Odell (Mamie) Chisolm, Scotch Plains, NJ; sister, Betty C. Williams, Summerton, SC; aunts, Annie Euwing and Oren Williams, Yemassee, SC; brothers-in-law, Clifton (Helen) Lambert, East Orange, NJ, Ernerst (Connie) Lambert, Midlothian, VA; nine sisters-in-law, Mabel (Roger) Powell, Mildred (Ernest) Oliver, Ethel Brown, Mattie (Elbert) Corbin, all of Virginia, Ida Wingfield, East Orange, NJ, Robinette (David) Echols, Jessup, MD, Matalena Chisolm, Columbia, SC, Carrie Chisolm and Vivian Williams, Yemassee, SC; four grandchildren, Davion, Naomi, Antonio and Orion; two godchildren, Ayana and Ari King; and a host of nieces, nephews and caring friends.

# Order of Service

Organ Prelude	Evangelist Bernice Harley
Seating of The Family	The Funeral Director
Selection	JT Osborne Memorial Male Chorus
Prayer of Comfort	Deacon Ralph Peaks
Scripture ReadingsOld Testament - Psalm 23 New Testament - John 14:1-6	Rev. Jonathan Sims, Jr.
Poem Reading	Really Gonna Miss You (sister) Min. Anthony Brown
Solo	Tyrone Dunlap
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	Two Minutes Please Church - Deacon Ralph Peaks Family - Odell Chisolm (Brother) Friends - Local 1233 Retirees Association
Remarks	Two Minutes Please Church - Deacon Ralph Peaks Family - Odell Chisolm (Brother)
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#### **Interment**

Rosedale Cemetery 408 Orange Road Montclair, New Jersey 07042

#### Repast

Immediately following the Interment family and friends are invited for a repast in the church Fellowship Hall.

## When I Must Leave You

When I must leave you for a little while Please do not grieve and shed wild tears
And hug your sorrow to you through the years
But start out bravely with a gallant smile
And for my sake and in my name
Live on and do all things the same
Feed not your loneliness on empty days
But fill each waking hour in useful ways
Reach out your hand in comfort and in cheer
And I in turn will comfort you
And hold you near
And never, never be afraid to die
For I am waiting for you in the sky!

-Helen Steiner Rice

Pall Bearers
The Nephews

### Heknowledgement

The family of **Edward Chisolm, Jr.** will remember and cherish your many expressions of love, sympathy, prayers and courtesies so graciously extended. Special thanks to Peaceful Zion Baptist Church, East Orange and the St. Johns Baptist Church, Scotch Plains, New Jersey. Thank you and may God richly bless you.

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