

Steve Allen Golden

Survise: December 24, 1952 Sunset: November 16, 2015



Obituary

Steve Allen Golden was born to the late Grover Golden and to the late Beatrice Small on December 24, 1952, at Harlem Hospital (New York City). He was one of three siblings, (the late Craig Golden and the late Gail Golden). Steve departed this life on November 16, 2015 from complications of liver cancer.

Steve received his formal education in the New York City school system, and attended Julia Richmond High School. He grew up in Harlem, on Mount Morris Park West, where he had many friends, and learned a sense of community and family.

In 1975, he met Geraldine Atkins, known to everyone as (Jerrie). They married in 1979. Their courtship had its beginnings in the Bronx, New York and lasted many years.

He was an active member of the Moorish Science Temple and advent seeker of knowledge. He worked to stay healthy, he quit smoking after 40 years, and loved vegetarian cuisine. Steve could often be seen playing handball on the courts on 115th Street, or riding his bike to and from work. Steve was a computer "Techie" at heart because he loved electronics. He also had a passion for Comic Books, Movies and Music.

Steve was a security guard in River Park Towers housing complex. He joined the New York City Department of Corrections, and retired after twenty-five years of service. He begun a new career as a Technical Support Specialist in the Mount Vernon City School District.



Steve leaves to cherish his memory: his wife, Geraldine Golden; his children, Tajuana Nelson, Al-Nisa Atkins, Sean Atkins, and Tariq Atkins; his grandchildren, Nasir Atkins, Mekhi Atkins, Kymir Robinson, Tiffany Taylor, Saniyya Nelson, and Nayelli Nelson; one mother-in-law, Ruby Atkins; four brothers-in-law, Arthur Atkins, Jimmy Atkins, Vernon Atkins, and Mitchell Strong; five sisters-

in-law, Lena Atkins, Audrey Atkins, Patricia Atkins-Strong, Tanya Atkins, and Renee Atkins; and a host of nephews, nieces, and friends.

Service

Thursday, December 3, 2015 - 10:00 a.m.

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Order of Service

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Selection

Scripture Readings

Prayer

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Acknowledgements

Remarks

Obituary

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Eulogy

Committal

Viewing

Recessional

Interment

Mt. Rest Cemetery Butler, New Jersey

Softly As I Leave You

Softly, I leave you

For my heart would break if you should wake and see me go
So I leave you softly, long before you miss me
For one more hour or one more day

After all the years, I can't bear the tears to fall
So, softly as I leave you there
Softly, long before you kiss me
Long before your arms can beg me to stay
For one more hour or one more day
May peace and comfort be upon you

Holding happy memories, for in your hearts know that No matter where you go is where I will always be But for now, softly I leave you

~ Unknown Author



Acknowledgement

The family of **Steve Golden** wishes to thank everyone for their prayers, kind thoughts, and kind deeds shown to us during our time of bereavement. Our prayers are also extended to you.

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