

Homegoing
Celebrating The Life of



Charles Edward Davis

Sunrise: November 17, 1942

Sunset: December 9, 2015

Obituary

Charles Edward Davis was born in Harlem, New York to the late Mary F. Watson and the late John Davis on November 17, 1942. He departed this life on December 9, 2015 at St. Lukes Hospital in Manhattan, New York.

A native New Yorker, Charles attended P.S. 157 Junior High School in Harlem, New York and graduated from George Washington High School.

Shortly thereafter Charles met and married Ellouise Rolle in 1966. To this union were born three children, two sons and one daughter.

Charles took on many odd jobs before deciding to become a police officer like his older brother, Earl. Instead, Charles went to work for Con Edison where he retired in 2011 after forty-five years of service. Rarely missing a day of work.

“Charles No”

Charles was known to be a dare devil in his younger days and would often shock people and cause them to say “Charles No” don’t do that. He was also known as “Charlie No” because he never said no to anyone. Most people would remember Charlie as a man with a big smile and an even bigger heart who always seemed to have a peppermint ball in his mouth and all sorts of paper in every pocket along with a funny joke to brighten your day.

He leaves to cherish his memories: his wife, Ellouise Davis; two brothers, Herbert Brown of New York and Alvin Davis of Harlem, New York. Charles also had one brother, Earl Brown and one sister, Geraldine Brown who preceded him in death. A son, Derek Davis (wife, Shoneice Davis) of California; one daughter, Yvette Battle (husband, Freddie Battle) of Bronx, NY and son, Sean Davis of Bronx, NY; six grandchildren, Latasha, Serina, Cory, Isiah, Kiara and Kayla. He leaves a host of nieces, nephews and friends, including one special nephew, Anthony “Nicky” Brown (wife, Shannon Brown) of New York.

He will be truly missed by everyone who knew him.

To My Daddy,

*I just want you to know how much I love you.
Although I may not be able to call you or touch you.
I know you are always going to be here with me.
You are the wind beneath my wings.*

Your loving daughter, Yvette aka Vette Chet

Service

Friday, December 18, 2015 - 7:00 p.m.

UNITY FUNERAL CHAPELS, INC.

2352 8th Avenue • New York, NY 10027

Rev. Dr. Edward R. Culvert, Officiating

Rev. David Jenkins, Organist

Order of Service

Processional Family

Scripture Readings

Old Testament..... Cory Davis

New Testament Isiah Barrett

Prayer of Comfort Sean Davis

Condolences and Acknowledgements..... Freddie Battle

Expressions of Love..... Family and Friends

Obituary Shannon Brown

The Eulogy

Final Viewing

Recessional

Interment

Maple Grove Cemetery

Hackensack, New Jersey

When I Must Leave

*When I must leave you for a little while
Please do not grieve and shed wild tears
And hug your sorrows 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.*

Acknowledgement

The family wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation the many comforting messages, prayers and expressions of kindness and concern shown to us in our time of bereavement.

2352 8th Avenue • Manhattan, NY • (212) 666-8300
1406 Pitkin Avenue • Brooklyn, NY • (718) 774-1023
1018 Prospect Avenue • Bronx, NY • (718) 542-3833

Clifford V. James, President & CEO

www.unityfuneralchapels.com

email: unityfc@aol.com

"Your Loved Ones Deserve The Best - Unity"

www.honoryou.com

