Celebration of Life for

Mack Barden, Jr.

Sunrise November 24, 1948 Sunset April 1, 2016



Thursday, April 7, 2016 - 7:00 p.m.

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256 Rosa Parks Blvd. Paterson, New Jersey Rev. Alfred Steele, Officiating

Reflections of Life

Mack "Uncle Mack" Barden, Jr. was born on November 24, 1948 in Sterling, North Carolina to Atlean M. Barden and Mack Barden, Sr., and resided in Paterson, NJ most of his life.

He was a veteran of the United States Navy, and he was employed as a Bus Driver for Transit of New Jersey for over 18 years.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Atlean and Mack Barden, Sr.; and brother, Sylvester Barden.

He leaves to cherish precious memories: his wife, Ardine Barden; his daughters, Selena Barden, Vanessa Barden, and Raquel Stubbs; his sons, Robert Barden, Mack Derrick Barden and Kevin Barden; his brother, Edward Ford Barden; his sisters, Lola Smith, Bessie Monroe, Ida Simpson, Emma Brooks, Lorraine Barden, and Betty Steele; 12 grandchildren; 5 great grandchildren; Special friend, Sharon; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives, friends and neighbors.



<u>Order of Service</u>

Prelude

Processional

Selection

Scripture Reading Old Testament New Testament

Prayer of Comfort

Selection

Acknowledgements & Remarks

Reflections of Life

Selection

Words of Comfort Rev. Alfred Steele Seminary Baptist Church, Paterson, NJ

Recessional

Interment

Brigadier General William C. Doyle Veterans Cemetery Wrightstown, New Jersey

The Master Called

I'm sorry I had to leave you. My loved ones, oh so dear. But you see, the Master called me, His voice was very clear! I had made my reservation A heaven bound ticket for one. And I knew that He would call me When He felt my work was done. I know that your hearts are heavy Because I have gone away, But when the Master called me. I knew that I could not stay. Yes, I'm sorry I had to leave you My loved ones, oh so dear, But, you see, the Master called me And, now I'm resting here. Yes, I've crossed on over to glory And to you all I say Just stay in the hands of Jesus And we'll meet again someday.

-Author unknown

<u>Acknowledgement</u>

The family of the late Mack Barden, Jr. wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation the many expressions of love, concern and kindness shown to their family during this time of bereavement. May God Bless and Keep You!

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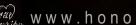
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