

In Loving Memory of
Sam Carter

Sunrise
November 23, 1923

Sunset
April 21, 2016



Friday, April 29, 2016 - 10:00 a.m.

THE GREATER NEW POINT MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
60 Paine Avenue • Irvington, New Jersey

William Rutherford, Pastor
Rev. James L. Flack, Officiating

Obituary



Sam Carter was called home on Thursday, April 21, 2016. He was born on November 23, 1923 in Nashville, Tennessee to the late Lethia Kelly and Buck McCoy. He was one of thirteen children. Sam received his education in the Tennessee School system. He moved to New Jersey at a young age, where he later met and married Wyvonia Flack. Together they raised ten children.

He was a very devoted father, who loved and cherished his family. Sam especially enjoyed being with his grand and great grandchildren.

Sam was employed at L'Rueshe until the plant closed for more than thirty years. He enjoyed being active so much that he decided to go back to work for the East Orange Police Department as a School Crossing Guard, where he retired. Sam had one best friend and that was, "Mr. Maurice Butler". The two of them could always be found somewhere playing cards and hanging out at the race track.

Sam was preceded in death by his wife, Wyvonia Carter; three sons, Derrick, Edward and Yul Carter and eleven siblings.

He leaves to mourn: Serena Carter, Valerie Bamber, Robert Carter, Kenneth (wife, Simone) Carter, Jeanette (husband, Leonard) Barron, Tammie Carter and Kendall Roland; one daughter-in-law, Cheryl Carter; two brothers, Yul and Albert Carter; twenty-one grandchildren, twenty-six great grandchildren, ten great-great grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews and cousins.

God Saw You Getting Tired

*God saw you getting tired
And a cure was not to be
So He put His arms around you
And whispered, "Come with me"
With tearful eyes we watched you
And saw you pass away
Although we loved you dearly
We could not make you stay
A golden heart stopped beating,
Hard working hands at rest
God broke our hearts to prove to us
He only takes the best.*



Order of Service

Processional

Opening Hymn.....Organist

Scripture Reading

Old Testament

New Testament

Prayer of Comfort Rev. James L. Flack

Musical Selection Organist

Poem Latifah Tucker

Obituary Linda Kitchen

Acknowledgements Linda Kitchen

Message.....Rev. James L. Flack

Recessional

INTERMENT
Rosedale Cemetery
Montclair, New Jersey

A Letter From Heaven

When tomorrow starts without me,
and I'm not there to see
If the sun should rise and find your eyes,
all filled with tears for me.

I wish so much you wouldn't cry,
the way you did today,
while thinking of the many things,
we didn't get to say.

I know how much you love me,
as much as I love you,
and each time that you think of me,
I know you'll miss me too.

When tomorrow starts without me,
don't think we're far apart.
For every time you think of me,
I'm right here in your heart. ♥

*Friends are invited to join the family for the repast
immediately following the interment back at the
Greater New Point Baptist Church.*

Acknowledgement

The family wishes to express their sincere thanks and appreciation for all act of kindness and expressions of sympathy that were shown to them during their time of bereavement.

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