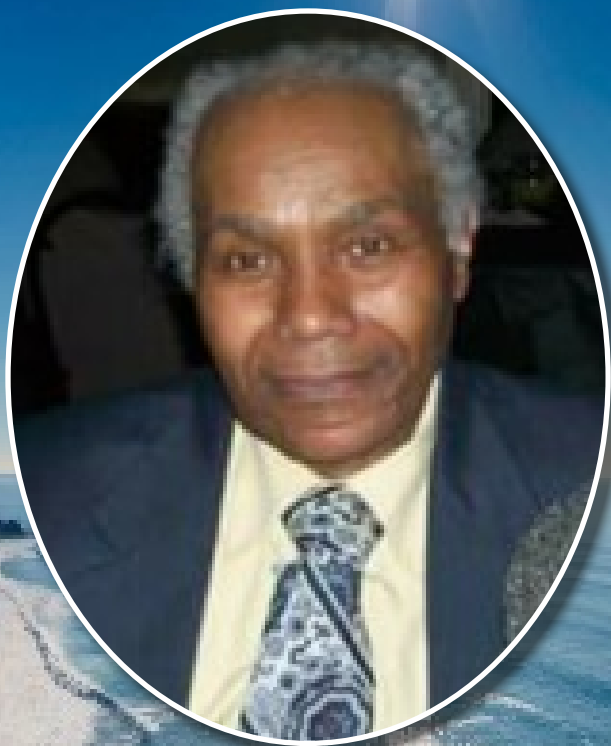


*Celebrating The Life of*  
*Mack Kennedy, Jr.*

*Sunrise*  
*March 23, 1933*

*Sunset*  
*July 25, 2016*



*Monday, August 1, 2016- 11:00 a.m.*

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163 Oakwood Avenue  
Orange, New Jersey 07050

*Rev. Wilbert Williams, Officiating*

## *Obituary*

**Mack Kennedy, Jr.** of East Orange, New Jersey passed away peacefully on July 25, 2016 after battling a long fight with dementia which is a form of Alzheimer's disease. Mack, Jr. was born on March 23, 1924 in Newark, New Jersey to the late Edna Booker and Mack Kennedy, Jr.

He attended Grover Cleveland Junior High School in Newark and East Orange High School. Upon graduation, Mack, Jr. served in the United States Air Force during the Korean War. After his honorable discharge from the Armed Services Mack, Jr. married Annette (West) Kennedy in December 1959. In March 1961 Mack and Annette were blessed with a priceless gift their only son, Basil.

Mack, Jr. was employed by Gessler Sheet Metal Company in Edison for over 30 years. Because he always had a big heart for his family, he retired in 1991 to take care of a sickly relative.

Mack, Jr. enjoyed having fun and looking sharp. He dressed "cleaner than the board of health". He loved to dance and could show you the moves of any dance popular at the time. That's why on many occasions he was referred to as "The Mack". You are loved and will be missed by so many.

Mack, Jr. is survived by his devoted wife, Annette, his priceless son, Basil, his sister, Joyce Grimsley of Greensboro, North Carolina as well as nieces, nephews and a host of other relatives and friends.

# *Order of Service*

Musical Prelude

Seating of the Family

Opening Hymn

Prayer of Comfort

Scripture Reading

Old Testament

New Testament

Solo.....Kennetha Anderson and Mary Robinson

Reflections

Obituary

Solo.....Tyrone Dunlap

Eulogy.....Rev. Wilbert Williams

Recessional.....Clergy and Family

## ***Interment***

*Rosedale Cemetery*

*Orange, New Jersey*

## ***Repast***

*Following the interment, family and friends are invited for a repast at the  
Knights of Columbus, 60 Harvard Street, Summit, NJ*

# *Afterglow*

*I'd like the memory of me  
To be a happy one,  
I'd like to leave an afterglow  
Of smiles when day is done.  
I'd like to leave an echo  
Whispering softly down the ways,  
Of happy times and laughing times  
And bright and sunny days.  
I'd like the tears of those who grieve  
To dry before the sun  
Of happy memories that I leave behind,  
When the day is done.*

*-Helen Lowrie Marshall*

## *Acknowledgement*

*The members of the family extend deepest appreciation for the expressions of kindness, every word of comfort, and prayers during the passing of our loved one. May God continue to send his grace and mercy unto each of you.*

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