

*Celebrating the Life  
Of*

*Bro. Lamar "Ali" Hurt*

*Sunrise: July 12, 1935 - Sunset: August 30, 2016*



*Services:*

*Thursday, September 8, 2016 - 11:00 a.m.*

**COTTON FUNERAL SERVICE**

1025 Bergen Street • Newark, New Jersey

*Rev. John Odom, Officiating*

*Emory Lee, Organist*

# Obituary

**Lamar Hurt** was born to the late Fletcher Hurt and Johnnie Mae Curry Snipes, on July 12, 1935 in Brundidge, Alabama. He departed this life on August 30, 2016.

He was a graduate of the Pike County Public School System.

Lamar, also known as Snake and Bidy, enjoyed and played various sport during his life time.

Upon relocating from Alabama to New Jersey, in 1957, he had a thirty year career as a heavy duty construction worker for the State of New Jersey, Local 472.

Lamar leaves behind his loving wife of fifty-eight years, Queen Esther Coleman Hurt and his son, Victor Hurt. He also leaves to cherish with fond memories, Kenneth Rogers (son), Jeffery Bass (son) and his wife, Demetria, Dennis Wilson (son); his brothers, Alonzo Hurt, Jimmy King (Fannie); his sister, Olivia Armstrong; four grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews and friends.

He was well liked by all of his friends and family. Lamar, we will sadly miss you. You are deeply loved.

The Hurt family would like to express sincere thanks to Freda, Barbara, Margaret, and Geneve for all there support during our time of need.

*I'd like the memory of me  
To be a happy one,  
I'd like to leave an afterglow  
Of smiles when life is done.  
I'd like to leave an echo  
Whispering softly down the way,  
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  
When my life is done.*

# Order of Service

Prelude.....Emory Lee

Processional ..... “Soon and Very Soon”

Invocation ..... Rev. Dennis Day

Scripture Reading.....Rev. John Odom

Old Testament - Psalm 121:1-8

New Testament - 2 Corinthians 15:15-20

Prayer of Comfort.....Rev. Lula Custis

Solo ..... Emory Lee

Expressions of Comfort ..... 2 minutes each

Family: Diane Day - Sister-in-law

Margaret Wheeler - Niece

Leroy Ellington - Nephew

Tarsha Prindle - Goddaughter

John Shabazz - Friend

Solo ..... Emory Lee

Acknowledgements/Resolutions

Reading of Obituary..... (Silently)

Selection.....Emory Lee

Eulogy.....Minister Nabeehah Yamini

Lost Found Nation of Islam

Viewing

Recessional ..... “I’ll Fly Away”

**INTERMENT**  
Hollywood Memorial Park  
Union, New Jersey

# *Feel No Guilt In Laughter*

Feel no guilt in laughter, he'd know how much you care.

Feel no sorrow In a smile that he is not here to share.

You cannot grieve forever; he would not want you to.

He'd hope that you could carry on the way you always do.

So, talk about the good times and the way you showed you cared,

The days you spent together, all the happiness you shared.

Let memories surround you, a word someone may say

Will suddenly recapture a time, an hour, a day,

That brings him back as clearly as though he were still here,

And fills you with the feeling that he is always near.

For if you keep those moments, you will never be apart

And he will live forever locked safely within your heart.

-Unknown

## *Acknowledgement*

Perhaps you sent a lovely card or sat quietly in a chair.

Perhaps you sent a floral piece If so, we saw it there.

Perhaps you spoke the kindest words as any friend could say.

Perhaps you were not there at all just thought of us on that day.

Whatever you did to console our hearts, We Thank You, Whatever the part.

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