

*In Loving Memory of*  
***Oscar Winston***

*Sunrise: October 17, 1928*

*Sunset: August 26, 2016*



Service

*Thursday, September 8, 2016 - 10:00 a.m.*

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## *Obituary*

**Oscar S. Winston** age 87 passed peacefully on August 26, 2016 at the VA Hospital in the Bronx.

Oscar "Sonny" Winston, the son of the late Naomi Laverne (Thornton) Winston and Rev. Joseph Edward Winston was born in Brooklyn, New York on October 17, 1928.

Oscar married Dolores C. Johnson in 1946 and there were four children born from this union.

Oscar enlisted in the U.S. Army in 1946 and remained in the military for over twenty years and retired in 1968. Oscar completed basic Airborne Training in 1948 at Fort Benning Georgia. In 1951, Oscar completed Jumpmaster Training with the 82nd Airborne Division in Ft. Bragg, North Carolina. In July 1968, Oscar joined the New York City Housing Police Department, where he stayed until October 1983. He served with distinction in both the U.S. Army and the New York City Housing Police Department. While in the Army, Oscar continued his education by taking correspondence courses. After retiring Oscar entered John Jay College of Criminal Justice and earned his BA in 1977 and MA in Public Administration in 1981.

He leaves to mourn: a son, Oscar C. Winston; a daughter, Irita L. Winston; granddaughters, Tenisha Winston and Ayesha Winston; grandsons, Shawn Wright and Ronald Jacobs; his beloved friend, Lorraine McKeever; a nephew, Lester Kelly, Jr.; and a host of family and friends. Oscar is predeceased by two sons, Dennis R. Winston and Aaron G. Winston.

*Rest in Peace,  
We love you and will miss you,  
but you will live on in our memories.*

# *Order of Service*

*Processional*

*Selection*

*"Amazing Grace"*

*Scripture Readings*

*Prayer*

*Selection*

*"Just A Closer Walk With Thee"*

*Acknowledgements*

*Remarks*

*Obituary*

*Selection*

*"Going Up Yonder"*

*Eulogy*

*Committal*

*Viewing*

*Recessional*

*Interment*

*Calverton National Cemetery  
Calverton, New York*

## *Romans 10:8-13*

But what saith it? The word is nigh thee, even in thy mouth, and in thy heart: that is, the word of faith, which we preach; That if thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised him from the dead, thou shalt be saved. For with the heart man believeth unto righteousness; and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation. For the scripture saith, Whosoever believeth on him shall not be ashamed. For there is no difference between the Jew and the Greek: for the same Lord over all is rich unto all that call upon him. For whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved.

## *Acknowledgement*

*The family acknowledges with deep appreciation all acts of kindness extended to them during this bereavement hour. May God bless you for all your thoughtfulness and concern.*

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