

Sunrise May 22, 1969

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Sunset September 3, 2016

Sunday, September 11, 2016 - 5:00 p.m.

GRACE CHAPEL BAPTIST CHURCH 26 Haledon Avenue • Paterson, New Jersey *Rev. Gregory Wilson, Pastor*

<u>Reflections of Life</u>

Frank Green, Jr. (lovingly known by family and friends as "Jukey") was born May 22, 1969 to Frank Green, Sr. (S.C.) and Patricia McNeil (Paterson, NJ). Born and raised in Paterson, New Jersey, Frank attended Eastside High School before moving to South Carolina where he graduated from Maywood High School in 1988. He later returned to Paterson and attended the Don Bosco Trade School where he studied mechanical engineering.

At the young age of nineteen, he landed a job with the New Jersey Transit. He dedicated the next twenty-one years of his life working as a service mechanic for this well-known company, retiring at age 41.

Frank enjoyed the sport of football and during his earlier school days, he played for the heavyweight team Blue Demons, under the coaching leadership of Lou Mathis. Later, Frank made his contribution to the community by working with other youth, as the coach of multiple softball teams - including Federation and the YMCA. He was an avid New York Giants fan. He also worked as a volunteer for the Paterson Habitat Homeowners Annual Cook-out, and events hosted by the North 3rd committee groups.

In addition to a good old fashion Bar-B-Que, "Jukey", as many referred to him, loved playing cards, and most of all spending time with his family. He was also a former member of the Grace Chapel Baptist Church, in the city of his birth.

On Saturday, September 3, 2016, "Jukey" entered into the rest of the Lord, taking his bright smile and contagious laughter with him. He was preceded in death by his maternal grandparents, James and Christine Alston (both of Paterson, NJ) and his paternal grandparents, Leroy and Venether Green (Lynchburg, SC).

Left to cherish precious memories are: his three sons, Jahmad, Xavier and Isaiah Green (all of Paterson, NJ); his parents, Frank Green, Sr. (wife, Phylisha), and Patricia McNeil; three sisters, Brenda Green (Paterson, NJ), Sandra (husband, Roy) Singleton and Katrina (husband, Roderickus) Fleming, (SC); one brother, Marvin (wife, Melinda) Lowery (SC), Sidney Lennon, Shieym Lennon, Jerome Smith and Shakeem Lennon who were raised like his brothers. He was also the father figure to Erica Mobley, Tamira Mobley, Crystal Mobley, Janasia, L.J., Alexis, Christian, Christina, Darius and Jasmine. He also leaves behind his fiancé, Charity Sims; his very special friend, Sharon Mobley; his good friend and co-workers, Richie Meyers, Sherman Reams, Terrance and Miriam Hands, Nakia Simmons; and a host of nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles, cousins and other dear friends.

<u>Order of Service</u>

Prelude

Processional

Selection Dyasia Green

Scripture Reading Old Testament New Testament

Prayer of Comfort

Selection

Acknowledgements & Remarks

Reflections of Life

Selection Leola Hargrove

Words of Comfort *Rev. William Alston*

Recessional

<u>Interment</u>

Fairlawn Memorial Park Cemetery Fair Lawn, New Jersey

The Last Laugh

I can only imagine, from the time you arrived Your parents were smiling, as they looked in your eyes And I wasn't there when you took your first step But I imagine it was a moment they will never forget And I wasn't around when you first started school But I can imagine you being a class clown or "Mr. Cool" I never knew the names of all the friends you hung around But I imagine you picked them up, if they were ever feeling down I don't believe I ever knew your dreams and ambitions But I imagine you being your best - despite the conditions So imagine our surprise and imagine our grief When hit with the reality our time here is brief Now all we can do is imagine and reflect But one thing we'll never do - we'll never forget We wont forget your smile or that light behind your eyes We won't forget your joy - we won't forget your life I tried to imagine something you would say If you were standing here speaking to us today And I imagine you would say not to let a single day pass Without remembering, in the end, you got the last laugh!

(With Love, your cousin, Mia "Nica" Daughety)

Acknowledgement

The family of the late **Frank Green**, **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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