

In Loving Memory
of



Julian Albert Wormley

Sunrise: June 2, 1936 - Sunset: December 24, 2016



Service:

Thursday, December 29, 2016 - 10:00 am

COTTON FUNERAL SERVICE
130 Main Street • Orange, New Jersey

Obituary

Julian Albert Wormley (Al) was born June 2, 1936 to the Julian Wormley (aka) Kenneth Wormley and Laurena Wormley in the Threeway Community, Warsaw, Virginia. He completed his early education at the Bethethel School and graduated Cum Laude from the Richmond County High School.

Julian was drafted into the United States Army in 1958. After serving a tour in the U.S. Army as a Communications Technician, he was able to attend and graduated Cum Laude from the Union Technical Institute. He was an expert in the early computer world which he dearly enjoyed. He taught an “introduction to engineering” class to young children after school.

He worked for AT&T as an Electrical Engineer (Manager) and retired after 30 years of service. He later worked for H&R Block as a tax preparer for 8 years. He also worked for the Plainfield board of elections.

On September 7, 1971, Julian was united in Holy Matrimony to Betty J. Wormley (Jean). They have two sons: Julian D. Wormley (Philadelphia, PA) and Eleazar C. Wormley (Enterprise, Alabama).

Julian became a member of the Commandment Keepers Ethiopian Hebrew Congregation (EHC) in 1971. He was elected president of the EHC in 1997 after the death of Rabbi Chaim White.

He was a trumpet player in the Baron of Rhythms band in Virginia. They travelled throughout Virginia. He loved Jazz, traveling, family gatherings at home and in Virginia. He also loved to play softball and baseball. He was a member of the AT&T softball team, and in his early years played baseball with the Scott Town team in Warsaw, VA. He was the toastmaster for family banquets.

Beautiful memories of Julian will forever linger in the heart of his loving and devoted wife, Betty Jean Wormley; two sons, Julian D. Wormley, Philadelphia, PA and Eleazar C. Wormley, Enterprise, Alabama; two daughters-in-law; grandchildren; great grands; two brothers, Odell Wormley, Arlington, Virginia, Clinton Wormley, Montross, Virginia; two sisters, Barbara Gant, Alexandria, Virginia and Cassandra Lanier, Warsaw, Virginia; one aunt, Helen Chatwick, Philadelphia, PA; mother-in-law, Georgie White, Newark, NJ; three sisters-in-law; a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Julian was helpful, kind, and a mild-mannered humble gentleman. His favorite saying “if I am not for myself then who will be for me. If I am for myself alone, what am I? If you want to go fast you go alone, if you want to go far you go together”.

May God watch between me and thee while we are absent one from another.

Order of Service

Prayer
Elder Lloyd Person

Solo
Rev. Dr. Marsha Thompkins

Prayer Service
Rabii Shalomi Smith

Resolution
Atarah White (Niece)

Acknowledgements

Obituary
Nichole Gant (Niece)

Remarks
(3 Minutes)

Solo
Rev. Dr. Marsha Thompkins

Eulogy
Elder Lloyd Person

Recessional

INTERMENT

Beth Israel Cemetery
Woodbridge, New Jersey

*The repast will be held
First Tabernacle
343 Meeker Avenue, Newark, NJ*

Measure of A Man

Not - How did he die?

But - How did he live?

Not - What did he gain?

But - What did he give?

These are the things that measure the worth
Of a man as a man regardless of BIRTH.

Not - What was his station?

But - had he a HEART?

And - How did he play his God-given part?
Was he ever ready with a word of good cheer,
To bring back a smile, to banish a TEAR?

Not - What was his faith?

Not - What was his CREED?

But - had he befriended those really in need?

Not - What did the sketch in the newspaper say?

But - How many were sorry when Julian Wormley passed away?

The Family

Acknowledgement

We are grateful to all you who have helped to share with us in the time of sorrow. Words can never express our deep sense of gratitude for your words of assurance, condolences, telephone call and the rendering of your many kind deeds of this time of bereavement.

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