

Celebrating The Life of
Minister Robert Earl Williams

Sunrise: March 20, 1938 - Sunset: December 24, 2016



Service

Friday, December 30, 2016 - 12:00 Noon

CHURCH OF GOD BY FAITH

114 Long Island Avenue • Wyandanch, NY 11798

Pastor Brian Cole, Officiating

Obituary

Minister Robert Earl Williams, affectionately known as "**Buddy**", was born on March 20, 1938 in Columbus, Georgia.

Robert grew up in Fort Mitchell, Alabama, where he received very little education. In his early twenties, he relocated to New York, where he taught himself how to read and write by using an encyclopedia and Webster Dictionary with the help of his step-children and wife.

Robert was a member of First Baptist Church in Wyandanch, New York. He was a loving and caring man, a devoted father, grandfather, and great grandfather.

Robert was a self entrepreneur, he repaired oil burners, he was a mechanic, and just a hard working man. He retired from the DOT (Department of Transportation).

Robert leaves to cherish his memories: his wife, Vivian Williams; his children, Regina Bryant, Kenya Bryant, Angela Williams, Naomi Williams, Robert Williams and JaVonda Harris; his grandchildren, (Regina Bryant's) Royisha, Ralph, Valerie, Patricia, Sarah, Keisha and Jamel, (Kenya Bryant's) Kenyon, Keyonnah, Kashawn, Kaneil and Keshouna, (Angela Williams') Michael, Anthony and DeAsia; (Naomi Williams') Greg, Shafeek and Shamar, (JaVonda Harris') Tapree, Alanjha, Promise and Calik, (Robert Williams') Yvonne and Amir; his brother, Herman Williams of Birmingham, AL; extended family, Bonita Dixon, Meltona Bryant, and Marjorette Bryant; and a host of other family and friends.

Order of Service

Processional

Selection

Scripture Readings

Prayer

Selection

Acknowledgements

Remarks

Obituary

Selection

Eulogy

Committal

Viewing

Recessional

Interment

*Amityville Cemetery
Amityville, New York*



I'm Free

Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free
I'm following the path God laid for me
I took his hand when I heard Him call
I turned my back and left it all.

I could not stay another day.

To laugh, to love, to work or play.
Tasks left undone must stay that way,
I found that peace at the close of day.

If my parting has left a void,
Then fill it up with remembered joy.
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,
Oh, yes these things I too will miss.
Be not burdened with times of sorrow,
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.

My life's been full, I savored much.
Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.
Perhaps my time seemed all too brief,
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.
Lift up your heart and share with me,
God wanted me now, He set me free!

-author unknown

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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