


In Loving Memory of

A portrait of a young Black man with short dark hair and a slight smile, wearing a dark jacket over a white shirt. The background is a scenic landscape with mountains and a sunset or sunrise sky with soft clouds.

Anthony E. Williams

Sunrise: October 25, 1967

Sunset: January 2, 2017

Service

Monday, January 9, 2017 - 12:00 Noon

UNITY FUNERAL CHAPELS, INC.

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Obituary

Anthony Edward Williams was born to Willie and Diantha Williams on October 25, 1967 at Harlem Hospital. On January 2, 2017, God called his name and Anthony entered his eternal rest.

Anthony “Antwan” as he was lovingly known was born and raised in Harlem, New York. He attended the New York City Public School System, Public School 36, Junior High School 43 and Park West High School. Anthony obtained his Associate Degree from Interboro Institute and went on to have a successful career as a New York City State Parole Specialist.

Anthony loved fashion, people and fun. He was an adventurous man. Anthony loved roller coasters and amusement parks, anything that involved thrill rides “he was there.” Anthony loved dancing and listening to music. Those who knew Anthony, know there was no denying his love for “Ms. Diana Ross”, his favorite artist. Yes, he loved Ms. Diana Ross. Yet there was the love for his family that topped it all.

Anthony loved and cherished his family, he leaves to mourn: his parents, Willie and Diantha Williams; two brothers, Curtis Williams, Sr. and Willie Williams, Jr.; one sister, Debra Williams-Whaley; one brother-in-law, Kirk Whaley; six nieces, Sherena, Shamika, Debra, Diantha, Tenesha and Tiva; nephews, Curtis, Jr., Nyheem, Willie III, Wendell and Lamont; four great nephews and three great nieces; one aunt, Lou Williams; three uncles, Nathaniel Williams, Robert Spain and Kermit Collins; his best friend, Keenan; and a host of cousins and so many friends. He will truly be missed.

Order of Service

Processional

Selection

Scripture Readings mom, Diantha Williams

Prayer

*Accapella Solo niece, Diantha Williams
(A tribute for her uncle from his favorite artist)*

Acknowledgements

Remarks

Obituary

Selection

Eulogy

Committal

Viewing

Recessional

Interment

*Mt. Rest Cemetery
Butler, New Jersey*

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!

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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