

Celebration of Life for
Robert Lee (Snap) DuBose

Sunrise: November 7, 1942 - Sunset: January 17, 2017



Monday, January 23, 2017 – 10:00 AM

Love of Jesus Family Church of Newark
88-94 Boylan Street, Newark, NJ 07106
Bishop Barbara Glanton, Officiating
Dr. John H. Hall, Eulogy

Order of Service

Processional.....Bishop Barbara Glanton, Clergy, Family

Prayer of Comfort.....Bishop Barbara Glanton, LOJ Newark

Scripture Reading

Old Testament.....Pastor Glenda Blake, Greater Concord MBC

New Testament.....MIT Tonya Jackson-Pressley, Rivers of
Living Water, NJ

Solo.....Winnie Murray, The Elizabeth Church of God

Acknowledgments.....LOJ Newark

Obituary.....MIT Melanie Pressley-Jackson, Rivers of
Living Water, NJ

Selection.....“Don’t Lose What You Got”
Bishop JD Means, Sr

2 Minute Testimonials.....Family & Friends

Dance.....Inari & Inyya King, LOJ Newark

Selection.....“Nearer My God to Thee”
Sam Cooke

Eulogy.....Dr. John H Hall, The Elizabeth Church of God

Committal.....Bishop Barbara Glanton

INTERMENT

Rosedale Crematory
Orange, New Jersey

Obituary

Robert Lee (Snap) DuBose made a peaceful transition on the morning of January 16, 2017. Born in Bishopville, SC on November 7, 1942, he was one of three children born to the late McKinley and Rosalee DuBose.

Robert attended Dennis H. High School in Bishopville, SC where he flourished academically. Due to an interest in politics at an early age, he became the president of his class. After graduation, Robert enrolled in the US Military. He served in the US Army from 1961 to 1964, and he re-enlisted from 1965 to 1968. Sergeant DuBose was a medic in both 82nd and 101st Airborne Divisions. He received many accolades, awards, and medals due to his knowledge and bravery. Among these achievements was the Parachute Badge, National Defense Service Medal, Vietnam Service Medal, Combat Medics badge, Vietnam Campaign Medal, and a Purple Heart.

In 1968, Robert moved to Newark, NJ to pursue greater opportunities. He found them when he accepted employment at Supermarkets General Inc (Pathmark) in 1969. Robert worked as a foreman in the warehouse for more than 25 years until he retired. During his employment with Pathmark, and after a long courtship with Lillie Josey, he asked her to marry him. Robert and Lillie wed on September 5, 1973. Their union created two beautiful daughters: Santasha (Peachie) DuBose-King born December 29, 1974 and Tamara (Cherry) DuBose born November 10, 1977.

Robert lived a full and happy life. He always made an entrance, and people were drawn to him everywhere he went. He was known for his style and charisma. He enjoyed planting flowers and a garden, cooking, crabbing, cars, sports, and Jeopardy. As much as he enjoyed these things, his greatest joy was spending time with his family especially his granddaughters Nari and Nyya. The birth of his great-grandson Amari (Prince) gave Robert renewed purpose, life, and joy. He could often be found in his sister Ada's backyard cracking jokes and telling stories from back in the day, schooling Robbie on life, or listening to Winnie sing Candi Staton's "Victim". All of his nieces and nephews could count on Uncle Snap to give them a penny for each year of their life on their birthdays. He had great sense of humor, and he was very witty. Robert believed in family, fairness, and integrity.

Robert leaves to cherish his memory: his loving wife, Lillie J. DuBose; two daughters, Santasha DuBose King and Tamara DuBose; two granddaughters, Inari K. King and Inyya K. King; one great-grandson, Amari (Prince) Brun; one sister, Ada Bell Murray; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, in-laws, and his beloved cat Nuck Nuck. He was preceded in death by his parents McKinley and Rosalee DuBose, and his brother Thomas (Blueberry) DuBose.

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Let the Blood of Calvary Speak for Me

The Blood of Calvary

When the harvest has been gathered

All my work is done

When the last mile's been traveled

And I've sung my final song

If I'm called to give an answer

At heaven's judgment seat

Then let the blood of Calvary speak for me

There may be some friends who'll witness

And speak a word so kind

But their voice would seem so feeble

At such an awesome time

But there's a voice that calls for mercy

Ringin' thru eternity

Just let the blood of Calvary speak for me

May he write me down as righteous

Where no righteousness has been

Shielding me from wrath and judgment

As it covers all my sin

There's no work that I've accomplished

Nor my goodness would I plead

Just let the blood of Calvary speak for me

By: Jimmy Swaggart

Acknowledgement

Perhaps you sent a lovely card or sat quietly in a chair. Perhaps you sent a floral piece, if so, we saw it there. Perhaps you spoke the kindest words as any friend could say. Perhaps you were not there at all, just thought of us on that day. Whatever you did to console our hearts. We Thank You. Whatever the part. Special thanks to Love of Jesus Newark, Rivers of Living Water NJ, Greater Concord MBC, and Elizabeth Church of God for your love, support, and participation in the "Celebration of Life" for our beloved.

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