

*In Loving Memory of*



*Henry Wilson, Jr.*

*Sunrise: August 14, 1953*

*Sunset: April 5, 2017*

Service

*Wednesday, April 12, 2017 - 10:00 a.m.*

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## Obituary

**Henry Wilson, Jr.** also known as “Omar” was born on August 14, 1953 in Brooklyn, New York to Laura and Henry Wilson, Sr. Omar attended Lafayette High School after moving to Marlboro from the Crown Heights region of Brooklyn where he grew up.

Omar saw a lot during his lifetime. He served in the Navy during the 1970's. He went on to obtain a computer technology certification and later became a loyal and dedicated employee of the Trump International Hotel for nearly two decades.

Dignity, respect, duty, reliability and honor are just some of the qualities Omar not only held in high esteem, but practiced daily during his time on this earth. He could never resist the opportunity to have a good laugh with friends and loved ones. He was a straightforward man who demanded little from those around him. He enjoyed reading, listening to old school music, occasionally singing but above all things he loved watching a good basketball game.

Omar was a hardworking, passionate figure of strength who never waned in his support or love of his family and soldiered on, even when times were tough. He was extremely loving and proud of his daughter, Shavon Wilson and grandson, Evan Thomas. He was preceded in death by his mother, Laura Wilson, and father, Henry Wilson. He is survived by: his daughter, Shavon Wilson; grandson, Evan Thomas; brother, Jerome “Bakim” Wilson; niece, Takia Johnson; nephew, Jermaine Wilson; and a host of great nieces, nephews, family, friends and longterm partner, Mintha Askew.

Omar had a lively, dignified soul. A soul that brought joy and fulfillment to many and whose legacy will live on forever.

# *Order of Service*

*Processional*

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*Interment*

*Calverton National Cemetery  
Calverton, New York*

# *When I Must Leave You*

*Please don't say that I gave up, just say that I gave in. Don't say I lost the battle, for it was God's war to lose or win. Please don't say how good I was, but I did my best. Just say that I tried to do what's right - to give the most I could, not do less.*

*Please don't give me wings or halos, that's for God to do. I want no more than I deserve, no extras, just my due. Please don't give flowers, or talk in hushed tones.*

*Don't be concerned about me now, I'm well with God; I've made my home.*

*Don't talk about what could have been, it's over and it's done. Just see to all my family's needs, the battle has been won. When you draw a picture of me, don't draw me as a Saint. I've done some good, I've done some wrong, so use all your paint - not just the bright and light tones, use some gray and dark. In fact, don't put me down on canvass, paint me in your heart.*

*Don't just remember good times, but remember all the bad. For life is full of many things, some happy and some sad. But if you must do something, then I have one last request - forgive for the wrongs I've done, and with the love that's left, thank God for my soul's resting, thank God for I've been blessed. Thank God for all who loved me, praise God who loved me best.*

## *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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