

*In Blessed Memory  
Of*

*Peter E. Bernard*

**Sunrise:**  
January 4, 1979

**Sunset:**  
April 11, 2017

**Service**

**Saturday, April 15, 2017 ~ 4:00 pm**

**St. Matthew Baptist Church**

**159 E. 9th Avenue**

**Roselle, New Jersey**

**Rev. David Ford, Sr., Pastor**

**Bishop Wayne L. Johnson, Eulogist**

## *Life Reflections*

**Peter E. Bernard** was born on January 4, 1979 in Elizabeth, New Jersey, son of Jeannette and Emile Bernard. He lived in Roselle, New Jersey from the age of six years until he transitioned. Peter was single with no children.

Peter attended St. Agnes Grammar School in Clark, New Jersey and graduated from St. Joseph High School in Metuchen, New Jersey where he played varsity basketball. He was an avid basketball fan and his favorite team was the Chicago Bulls.

He graduated from West Virginia State University where he received a Bachelor's degree in Communications in 2001. At the time of his passing, he was enrolled at Columbia University in New York City.

Peter was employed as a Junior Account Executive at US Coachways, in Staten Island, New York.

At age 38, Peter Emil Bernard answered the Master's call on Monday, April 11, 2017. He leaves his beloved parents, Jeannette and Emile Bernard; sister, Rose La La Luciano; three nephews, aunts, uncles and a host of extended relatives, colleagues and dear friends with precious memories.

### *Afterglow*

*I'd like the memory of me  
To be a happy one,  
I'd like to leave an afterglow  
Of smiles when day is done.  
I'd like to leave an echo  
Whispering softly down the ways,  
Of happy times and laughing times  
And bright and sunny days.  
I'd like the tears of those who grieve  
To dry before the sun  
Of happy memories that I leave behind,  
When the day is done.*

*-Helen Lowrie Marshall*

Humbly submitted,  
The Family

# *Order Of Service*

Organ Prelude

Hymn

Prayer of Comfort

Holy Scriptures

Old Testament

New Testament

Hymn

Obituary

Marsha Carless

Selection

Eulogy

Bishop Wayne L. Johnson

Bibleway Deliverance Center Church, Roselle, NJ

Recessional

“Take Me To The King”

**Cremation**

Private

*Family and Friends are invited to a Repast located at  
Vinhus Restaurant & Lounge*

*5:00 - 7:00 p.m.*

*157 E. Westfield Avenue, Roselle Park, NJ.*

*Parking is also available in the Dollar Tree parking lot.*

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*Services Entrusted To:*

**G.G. Woody Funeral Home, LLC**

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## *He Wished No One A Last Farewell*

He wished no one a last farewell,  
nor even said goodbye.  
He was gone before we knew it,  
And only God knows why.  
They say time heals all sorrow,  
And helps us to forget,  
But time so far only proves  
How much we miss him yet,  
God gives us strength to face it,  
And courage to bear the blow.  
But what it meant to  
“love” and lose him  
No one will ever know.

*-Author unknown*

### *Acknowledgement*

Mr. Emile and Mrs. Jeannette Bernard would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone for their expressions of love, kindness, support and concern extended to us during our time of bereavement. Thank you and may God richly bless you.

