

Sunrise: November 24, 1954 Sunset: June 2, 2017

Service

Friday, June 9, 2017 - 7:00 p.m.

UNITY FUNERAL CHAPELS, INC.

2352 8th Avenue • New York, NY 10027 Rev. Benjamin Stevens, Officiating Rev. Dr. Eric B. Turner, Organist

<u>Obituary</u>

Anthony 'Tony' Griffin was born November 24, 1954 in Brooklyn, New York to Julius Griffin and Emma Griffin. He was the oldest of 6 children.

Tony grew up in Brooklyn, NY. He attended Fort Hamiliton High School. From earlier years Tony loved music and had massive collection of records. Tony was also very handy with his hands. He could paint, tile and repair anything. But his love for music was unconditional. Tony became a DJ Named 'Master Tee' and was famously known around Brooklyn for his music skills. From 1999 to January 2017, Tony worked maintenance a "The Riverside" a Rehabilitation nursing home. In 2010 Tony was diagnosed with Follicular Lymphoma. Still working and playing music and living life, in 2014 Tony married Alicia Desiree Davis, his "Queen Bee".

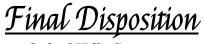
On June 2, 2017 Tony passed away after putting up a good fight. Preceding in death was his father, Julius Griffin; his brother, Barry Joseph Griffin; and sister, Carolyn "CeeCee" Griffin. He is survived by his wife, Alicia; daughter, Shameka; sons, Caesar, Anthony(T-Bone), and Antonio; two stepchildren, Tiffany Fountain and Thomas Davis; two sisters, Evelyn and Diane; two grandchildren, King and Skye; along with a host of nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles, cousins, and friends. He also leaves to cherish his memories his best friends, Brown and Stan.



Order of Service

Processional

Selection"Amazing Grace"
Scriptures First Reading2 Corinthians 1:3-5Sharon Linder Second ReadingJohn 11:25-27
Prayer
Selection"Precious Lord"
Remarks
ObituaryPatricia Farley
Selection"His Eye Is On The Sparrow"
EulogyReverend Benjamin Stevens
Committal and Benediction
Viewing
Recessional



Oxford Hills Crematory Chester, 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

<u>Acknowledgement</u>

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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