

CELEBRATING THE LIFE
OF

Paul Walker

Sunrise: September 19, 1937

Sunset: July 31, 2017



Service:

Tuesday, August 8, 2017 - 11:00 a.m.

HUMANITY BAPTIST CHURCH

235 Bergen Street • Newark, New Jersey



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Obituary

Paul Walker passed away peacefully on July 31, 2017. He was born to the late Herman Walker and Hida Hillery on September 19, 1937 on Sapelo Island, Georgia.

Growing up he learned carpenter skills from his Grandfather, Gibb Hillery. Paul left the Island and moved to Brunswick, Georgia, where he attended Risley Middle School until the seventh grade. After leaving school, he worked on the Peer of Saint Salmon Island, Georgia.

He moved to Newark, New Jersey in 1958. He found a job at Polander's Jelly Factory while attending Manpower Skills Center studying Electronics (radio and television). He mastered these skills and would visit homes to repair electronic equipment. On one such visit he met his wife, Yvonne Foreman. They married May 4, 1963 and of this union they have three children, Carol, Angela and Lolita.

Paul was talented, intelligent and a devoted family man. Working full time at Lockheed Martin, he worked side jobs in carpentry and plumbing as well. When he retired, he enjoyed gardening and his passion in repairs.

Leaving behind to cherish his memory are his loving wife of fifty-four years, Yvonne Walker; daughters, Carol Joseph (West Orange, NJ), Angela Covington (Montclair, NJ) and Lolita Walker (Newark, NJ); seven grandchildren, Naquita Joseph, Tamara Walker, Anthony Joseph, Jr., DaShawn Walker, Shendrelle Walker, Yasmine Cooper and Justin Walker; two great grandchildren, Cameron Hicks and Ephraim Ghans; three brothers, Gibb Walker, Sephus Walker (Brunswick, GA) and Buster (Bettie) Walker (Wilmington, DE); one sister, Verdie Mae Walker (Montclair, NJ); and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Paul was preceded in death by his brothers, Herman Walker and George Walker and great grandson, Devon Corey.

Order of Service

Prelude (Musical)

Call to Worship.....Rev. Robert L. DeVeaux

Scripture Reading

Old Testament ~ Psalm 46:1-10

New Testament ~ 1 Corinthians 15:50-57

Prayer of Comfort

Selection.....Musician

Reflections(2 Minutes)

Acknowledgements.....Ruth Roberts

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SelectionMusician

Eulogy.....Rev. Robert L. DeVeaux

Postlude (or Recessional)

IntermentEvergreen Cemetery, Hillside, NJ





The Measure of A Man

*Not - How did he die? But - How did he live?
Not - What did he gain? But - What did he give?*

*These are the things that measure the worth
Of a man as a man, regardless of birth.*

*Not - What was his station? But - had he a heart?
And - How did he play his God-given part?*

*Was he ever ready with a word of good cheer?
To bring back a smile, to banish a tear?*

*Not - What was his church? Not - What was his creed?
But - Had he befriended those really in need?*

*Not - What did the sketch in the newspaper say?
But - How many were sorry when he passed away?*

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Of a man as a man, regardless of birth.*

Author: Anonymous

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.

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