

Beverly Yates

Sunrise: April 19, 1934 Sunset: August 12, 2017

Service

Monday, August 21, 2017 - 10:00 a.m.

UNITY FUNERAL CHAPELS, INC.

2352 8th Avenue • New York, NY 10027
Bishop Charles Wright (Greater Refuge Temple), Officiating
Rev. David Jenkins, Organist

<u>Obituary</u>



Beverly Yates was born on April 19, 1934 in the Bronx, New York to the late Hattie and William Yates. He was a devoted brother to five siblings: William Yates (Late), Raymond Alfred Yates (Late), Helen Elliston, Flora Yates, and Eleanor Williams (Late). Beverly was also a loving father to two children: Wanda Yates and Allan Yates (Late).

On August 12, 2017, Beverly was called Home to be with the Lord.

During his youth, Beverly attended P.S. 51 and Morris High School and was an active member of his Sunday school and church at the Bronx Greater Refuge Temple in New York, pastored by the Late Bishop Thomas Richardson and Bishop R.C. Lawson (Founder).

As a young man, Beverly willingly accepted the call and honorably served his country in the United States Air Force.

Beverly leaves to mourn: daughter, Wanda Yates; two sisters, Helen Elliston and Flora Yates; three grandchildren, Tameaka Jackson, Randy Jackson, and Keith Yates; three nieces, Donna Elliston, Denise Yates, and Linda Odom; cousins, Linda Spencer and Family, Michelle Ford, the McCray Family (Baltimore, MD), Leonard Giles and Family (California); and a host of extended family and friends.

Sorrowfully Submitted, By the Family

Order of Service

Processional

Selection

"God Be With You Until We Meet Again"
(Beverly's favorite song)
Rev. David Jenkins

Scripture Readings

Prayer

Selection

"Old Rugged Cross" Rev. David Jenkins

Acknowledgements

Remarks

Obituary

Selection

"I Trust in God" Annette Richards

Eulogy

Bishop Charles Wright

Committal

Viewing

Recessional

"How Great Thou Art" Rev. David Jenkins

<u>Interment</u>

George Washington Memorial Park Paramus, New Jersey

Repast
Alhambra Ballroom Inc.
2116 Adam Clayton Powell Jr. #3

New York, NY 10027

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!

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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