In Loving Memory of



Henry C. Gillyard

Sunrise: August 22, 1943 Sunset: September 27, 2017

<u>Service</u> Wednesday, October 4, 2017 - 7:00 p.m.

PARADISE BAPTIST CHURCH

23 Fort Washington Avenue • New York, NY 10032

Rev. Lee Arrington, Officiating

<u>Obituary</u>

Henry C. Gillyard was born on August 22, 1943 to the late Henry Gillyard, Sr. and Margaret Gillyard. He departed this life on Wednesday, September 27, 2017 at Rosery Hill Home.

On January 5, 1963, he married Delores Harvin-Gillyard. From this union they had one daughter, Angelicia.

Henry received a formal education from Baltimore and New York City Public Schools. He served in the United States Army. Later he became a mason and tried out for the Mets baseball team. He was employed by New York City Housing Authority for 25 years. He became a member of Paradise Baptist Church in 2000 and served in many capacities.

Henry was preceded in death by his wife, Delores.

He leaves to cherish his memory: daughter, Angelicia Edwards; son-in-law, Michael Edwards; granddaughters, Mikece and Amber Edwards; great grandson, Khalid Hines; daughter, Damora; granddaughters, Denise and Emily; brother, Bob Gillyard; sister-in-law, Asum Gillyard; brother-in-law, Sonny Gray; three sisters, Brenda, Paula and Evangeline; and a host of nephews, nieces, cousins and friends.

Order of Service

Processional

Selection

Scripture Readings

Prayer

Selection

Acknowledgements

Remarks

Obituary

Selection

Eulogy

Committal

Viewing

Recessional

<u> Interment</u>

Calverton National Cemetery Calverton, New York

Serenity Prayer

GOD, grant me the Serenity
to accept the things I cannot change,
Courage to change the things I can, and the
Wisdom to know the difference.
Living one day at a time;
Enjoying one moment at a time;
Accepting hardship as the pathway to peace.
Taking, as He did, this sinful world as it is,
not as I would have it. Trusting that He will make all things right if
I surrender to His Will;
That I may be reasonably happy in this life, and
supremely happy with Him forever in the next.
Amen

-Author unknown

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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