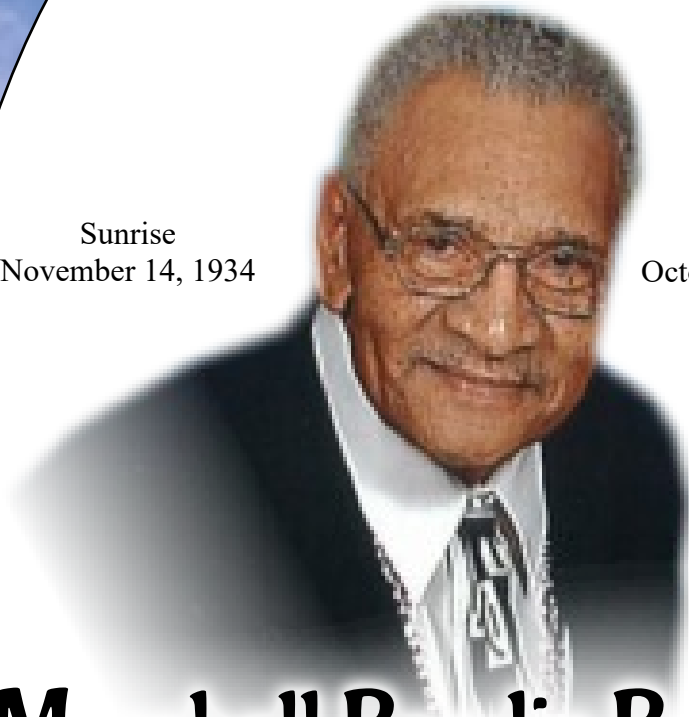


**Celebration of Life
for**

Sunrise
November 14, 1934

Sunset
October 15, 2017



Marshall Brodie Bailey

Service

Wednesday, October 25, 2017 - 11:00 a.m.

LAKWOOD FUNERAL HOME, INC.

6250 Highway 9 South • Howell, NJ 07731

Officiating, Elder Major Mitchell IV

Obituary

Once again the death angel as visited our midst and home and has plucked from our garden another “Rose” in full bloom.

Marshall Brodie Bailey was born on November 14, 1934 to Brodie and Pearl Boyd Bailey in Oxford, NC. He was baptized and was a member of the St. Cyprian’s Episcopal Church in Oxford, NC.

He received his primary education in the Granville County School district. After graduating from high school he enlisted in the US Army. He served from 1955 to 1965 and left the US Army with an honorable discharge.

After his discharge, he relocated to New Jersey and found employment with the US Postal Service. While working full time at the Post Office he attended Bloomfield College and received a Bachelor’s Degree in Mathematics. After retiring from the Post Office he worked in the Newark School system as a Mathematic Teacher.

Marshall had two hobbies; golf and horse racing. Rain or shine you would find Marshall on a golf course and on Saturday, he would be at the Freehold Raceway. He also volunteered time at the Senior Citizen Center in Freehold.

During Marshall’s illness he always maintained a positive attitude and was optimistic about having a full recovery.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Brodie and Pearl Boyd Bailey and two brothers, Curtis V. Bailey and Anthony D. Bailey.

He leaves behind to cherish his memory: his wife of thirty years, Vivian Thomas Bailey; one son, Marshall Maurice Richardson of Newark, NJ; three stepsons, Angelo Bragg (Kelly) and Kenneth Bragg (Sylvia) of Howell, NJ, Miles Thomas (Erin) of Casa Grande, AZ; three sisters, Betty Mae B. Davis of Oxford, NC, Delphine B. Wilkerson and Lisa B. Oden (James) of Norfolk, VA; three brothers, Dexter V. Bailey (Angela), Dewayn E. Bailey (Shannon) and Frank V. Bailey of Norfolk, VA; and a host of relatives and friends.

Marshall will be dearly missed.

Order of Service

Processional Clergy & Family

Prayer of Comfort Elder Mayor Mitchell IV

Scripture Reading Tina Marie Craig

Old Testament

New Testament

Selection

Acknowledgements

Obituary Read Silently

Reflections Please Limit to 2 Minutes

Eulogy Elder Major Mitchell IV

*Greater Bethel Church of God In Christ
201 Martin Luther King Drive • Lakewood, NJ*

Recessional

Interment

Brigadier General William C. Doyle
Memorial Cemetery
Wrightstown, New Jersey 08562

Repast

The Office

Secretariat St. Oak Hall of Development

Howell, NJ 07731

Change of Address

Dear Family and Friends:

Please be advised that I have moved. I received a call from God on Sunday, October 15, 2017 and He informed me that my new home was complete. I know that my mansion needed some finishing touches and that Jesus Christ had to inspect it and give me the final approval.

Well, my new home is finished and what a sight to behold. It is located on an exclusive estate area behind a beautiful Pearly Gate. Of course, you know the streets are paved with gold and every day is Sunday, just like you've been told. Trees with twelve manners of fruit grace my garden here and I can walk and talk with my Master with not a worry or a care.

Here there is peace, joy, happiness. There is no pain, no heartaches, no discontentment, and only sweet serenity. I can dine at the Master's bountiful table and listen to the heavenly choir. Best of all my Heavenly Father is here in all of his glory. Oh yes...I have my own designer here who has fitted me with my own white robe and wings. I could go on and on about my new home but instead I'm gonna pray that you get to move here yourself one day. Before I go let me give you my new address:

Marshall Brodie Bailey
434 Heavenly Lane
Godstown, Heaven 101517

P.S. I don't have a cell phone, but you can always call on God. If you don't know his number, read your bible daily and pray it's listed on every page.

Acknowledgement

*The family of **Marshall Brodie Bailey** acknowledges with deep appreciation the many comforting messages, acts of kindness and other expressions shown to them during their time of bereavement.*

Thank you and may God richly bless each of you.

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