

Celebrating the Life & Legacy
Of
Edward M. Wimberly, Jr.

Sunrise
August 14, 1942

Sunset
October 21, 2017



Service:

Thursday, November 2, 2017 - 7:00 p.m.

CARNIE P. BRAGG FUNERAL HOME

256 Rosa Parks Blvd.

Paterson, New Jersey

Pastor William Cash, Officiating



Reflections of Life

Edward M. Wimberly, Jr. was born in Newark, NJ on August 14, 1942 to Moses and Ethel Wimberly.

After completing his education in the Essex County School system, he would relocate to the city of Paterson. While here, Edward, better known to most as "Sonny," would subsequently enlist into the Marine Corp. where he would serve four years before being honorably discharged in 1966.

After his return home, Edward, a true believer in education, would enter and successfully obtain his Associates degree from the Passaic County Community College (PCCC). After a brief stint with the Board of Education, Edward would work a variety of jobs before spending his final twenty plus years with Gift Box Corporation of America in Carlstadt, NJ.

In early 1970, he met Linda Gaston and subsequently married four years late in August 1975. From this union, they had one son, Tremaine. They remained married for more then forty years. He was a devoted husband and father who was well loved and respected by many. He especially was committed to his son with whom to date this bond was cemented.

Edward was preceded in death by his parents, Moses and Ethel Wimberly and his siblings.

Edward leaves to mourn his beloved wife, Linda Wimberly of Newark, NJ; his son Tremaine Wimberly (Alysia) of Maplewood, NJ; his grandchildren, Sidney A. Foxworth of Cleveland, OH and Zauri & Zekai Wimberly; a brother, John "Buddy" Wimberly; a sister, Priscilla; and a host of other family and friends, for whom the family is forever grateful.



Order of Service

Processional.....Pastor William H. Cash

Prayer

Old Testament Reading.....Mark Hickman
Psalms 121

New Testament ReadingMinister Todd Kelley
1 Corinthians 15:51-58

Musical SelectionLCWCI

Poem.....Minister Alysia Wimberly
Written by Grandchildren-Sidney Foxworth, Zauri
& Zekai Wimberly

Cards, Condolences &
Reading of the Reflections of Life...Crystal Wimberly

Musical Selection.....LCWCI

Eulogy.....Pastor William H. Cash
Life Changing Word Church International
Haledon, NJ

Recessional.....The Family

Interment
Fairlawn Cemetery
Fair Lawn, New Jersey

The Master Called

I'm sorry I had to leave you.
My loved ones, oh so dear.
But you see, the Master called me,
His voice was very clear!
I had made my reservation
A heaven bound ticket for one,
And I knew that He would call me
When He felt my work was done.
I know that your hearts are heavy
Because I have gone away,
But when the Master called me,
I knew that I could not stay.
Yes, I'm sorry I had to leave you
My loved ones, oh so dear,
But, you see, the Master called me
And, now I'm resting here.
Yes, I've crossed on over to glory
And to you all I say
Just stay in the hands of Jesus
And we'll meet again someday.

-Author unknown

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