

Celebrating the Life of
Robin Joseph Sampson



Sunrise: May 2, 1971
Sunset: October 26, 2017

Service

Friday, November 3, 2017 - 6:00 p.m.

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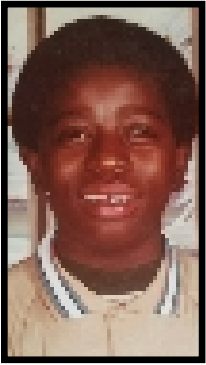
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Elder-Elect Raymond Saddler, Pastor

Elder Diane Berry, Eulogist

Barry Antoine Pringle, Organist

Obituary



Robin J. Sampson was born on May 2, 1971 in Georgetown, Guyana - South America. He was the youngest child of Eileen and Sydney Sampson (deceased). At the age of ten, he migrated to New York City with his parents and siblings. While residing in New York City (Harlem), he completed grade school, junior high school at Booker T. Washington where he met some of his best friends, and went on to graduating high school from Louis D. Brandies.

In his early 20's, Robin held various jobs and made numerous amount of friends along the way. He met Blanca R. White-Quattlebaum and they became parents to their two boys. They maintained a strong bond not only as parents but as friends. As time matured he was given the nickname "Mente" by his close friends and the rest was history. He met and married Michqwelyn Lyons-Sampson and they also became parents to their two boys.

Robin was a very humble individual that took family and friendship to heart. He loved his children dearly and he recently became a grandfather four months ago to a beautiful baby boy! As the person he was he made himself available to anyone who needed an ear to listen. He was employed with the New York City Board of Education until he became ill. Robin departed from us last Thursday morning at home and was taken to Montefiore Hospital where he was pronounced deceased with his family by his side.

Robin leaves behind his family and best friends to celebrate his memories: children, Rashad, Raszal, Takeshi, Namiko, Nasir, Isiah, Brian and Zion; grandson, Israel; daughter-in-law, Denequa; sister, Sharon; brothers, Paul, Errol and Neil; nieces, Crystal, Tandy, Audrey, Tiffany, Stacey, Jasmine and other nieces too many to name; nephews, Nathaniel, Amani, Johnathan, Kwesi and other nephews too many to name, great nieces, Theresa, Jhalia and Heaven; uncles, Joseph and Charles; brothers-in-law, Seneca and Nimrod; sister-in-law, Laura; cousins just to name a few, Jane, Denese, Lisa, Rhonda, Brian, Natasha and Christopher; best friends, Donald, Lamont, Larry and Phillip. He was preceded in death by his sister, Jacqueline; brothers, Raymond and Richard; and aunt, Gwendolyn.

Order of Service

Processional

Selection.....Barry Pringle

Scripture Readings.....Theresa Sampson
& Jhalia Sampson-Mills

Poem Reading.....Tandy Armstrong-Nash

Selection.....Barry Pringle

Prayer of Comfort

Eulogy

Obituary.....Jessica Meyers

Acknowledgements (Two Minutes Max)

Selection.....Barry Pringle

Benediction

Recessional/Final Viewing

Final Disposition

*Oxford Hills Crematory
Chester, New York*

*Please join the family after the service at:
The Dream Center - Harlem
205 West 119th Street between Adam Clayton Powell Jr. Blvd.
& St. Nicholas Avenue*

I'm

Free

*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!*

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Thank You:

We the family of **Robin J. Sampson** would like to express our appreciation for your kind words of sympathy shown following his passing, your support in this difficult time has given us comfort throughout the entire family.

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