

Leonard Cornell Walker



Sunrise: September 20, 1959 Sunset: November 2, 2017

Obituary



Leonard Cornell Walker was born on September 20th, 1959. He was the second child born to James and the late Mary Walker in Roxboro, North Carolina. There aren't enough words to describe who he was or his amazing personality, to know him was to truly love him. He was charming, humorous, and above all a great father.

As a child, loved ones affectionately called him "Cornell". His childhood was filled with him participating in different sports and a mechanics program while completing high school. After high school, Cornell enjoyed riding motorcycles with his brothers and friends. Cornell had a real passion for cars, especially his own. Cornell spent plenty of time with family and friends, you could often catch him on 116st Street and Manhattan Avenue in New York City.

The months leading to his passing weren't easy for him. He fought hard to remain here with his loved ones. On November 2nd, 2017, he succumbed to his failing health. Although he is gone in the physical, his smile will live on with us forever.

He leaves to mourn: his father, James Walker; three brothers, Donell, Londell, and Anthony Walker; three children, Sade, Marquis, and Sharnelle Walker; two grandchildren, Kassadi Walker and Kyian Robinson; as well as a host of family and friends.

The entire Walker family would like to thank everyone for their prayers and condolences, and ask that each of you touched by Cornell continue to celebrate his life.

Service

Thursday, November 9, 2017 - 6:00 p.m.

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2365 8th Avenue • New York, NY 10027 Rev. Dr. Eric B. Turner, Officiating

Order of Service

Processional

Selection

Scripture Readings

Prayer

Selection

Acknowledgements

Remarks

Obituary

Selection

Eulogy

Committal

Viewing

Recessional

Interment

Old Mt. Zion Baptist Church Cemetery Roxboro, North Carolina

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!

-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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