

*Celebration of Life*  
**Leverne Clinton**



*Sunrise: December 18, 1960-Sunset: December 15, 2017*



Saturday, December 23, 2017 - 9:30 am

**Mount Olive Baptist Church**

400 Arlington Avenue

Jersey City, New Jersey 07304

**Reverend John H. McReynolds, Pastor**

**Reverend Priscilla Joyner, Officiant**

## Obsequies

**Leverne Clinton (Heavy)** was born on December 18, 1960 at the Margaret Hague Hospital, Jersey City, NJ to Mary Snowden Clinton and the late William Clinton. He transitioned home to be at rest on December 15, 2017.

Leverne was educated in the Jersey City Public School system. He was introduced to God at an early age and accepted Him as his Lord and Savior. He was baptized at the Mount Olive Baptist Church under the leadership of Reverend Ernie L. Murray, Sr. It was his belief and faith in God that carried him through life's trials and tribulations.

Leverne also called Lee or Heavy was indeed a kind soul. He lead a positive life style. He had a very big heart. He was a loving and kind person. If he could help you with anything he would. Leverne was self employed most of his life as a construction worker.

Leverne was preceded in by death by his father William Clinton, Stepfather Rev. John Pettiford, another brother Jeffrey Clinton, and Lucius and Nelie Pearl Snowden.

He leaves to cherish his memory and celebrate his life his beloved mother Mary Clinton Pettiford, of Melborne Florida. Three sons Hassan, Kareem, and Kissan Clinton of Newark, New Jersey. Two daughters Ieasha Clinton of Newark, New Jersey, and Shaniqua Riley of Jersey City, New Jersey. Nine grandchildren Nasie Blake, Nabil Sanchez, Dhanovan Clinton, Hassan Jr., Hazire and Hazel Clinton, Imori Higgins, Isabella Higgins, and Ziyonna Clinton. One sister Althea Gordon of Jersey City, New Jersey. Two brothers Anthony Clinton (Zelda) of Conyne, GA, and, Christopher Clinton (Michelle) of Plainfield, New Jersey. On brother in law David Gordon of Newark, New Jersey. Five aunts Pernell Elnora James of Santee, SC, Willie Mae Proleau of Vance, SC, Gussie Mae Grant (Leroy) and Alfew Snowden of Jersey City, NJ, Edith Snowden of Rochester, N.Y. Two uncles Leroy Jenkins of Pinesville, S.C and William Jamison of Vance, SC. Special friend Patricia Patterson. And a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends all who loved him and will miss him very much.

# Order of Service

Processional.....Clergy and Family

Musical Selection

Scripture

Old Testament

New Testament

Prayer of Comfort

Musical Selection

Acknowledgements

Reflections .....(2 Mins. per person)

Obituary

Musical Selection

Eulogy.....Reverend Priscilla Joyner

Recessional.....Funeral Director

**Interment**

Bayview Cemetery  
Jersey City, New Jersey

*God saw him getting tired and a cure was not to be,  
He wrapped him in his loving arms and whispered  
'Come with me.' He suffered much in silence, his  
spirit did not bend, He faced his pain with courage,  
until the very end. He tried so hard to stay with us,  
but his fight was not in vain, God took him to His  
loving home and freed him from the pain. -*



### *Acknowledgements*

We the family of **Leverne Clinton** would like to express our heartfelt thanks, gratitude and appreciation for your love, support, kindness, but most of all your prayers. We ask that you continue to keep us in your prayers today and the days ahead. Special thanks to the Mount Olive Baptist Church and to the Family Funeral Home LLC.

The Family of Leverne Clinton  
"Heavy" will remain

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