





Sunrise: October 11, 1938 Sunset: December 20, 2017

<u>Service</u> Wednesday, January 10, 2018 - 11:00 a.m. EMMANUEL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH 737 E. 6th Street • New York, NY 10009

## The Life of Joe Capel

Joe Capel, the beloved son of the late Vera Capel, born on October 11, 1938 in North Carolina was educated in the North Carolina school system.

Joe Capel was married to the late Beatrice Capel, to this union Scott, Debbie and Name was born. In later years, he married Lottie Capel.

Joe was a very active member at Emmanuel; he was a member of the Property and Grounds Committee, Men Fellowship Group, Gospel Choir, Senior Choir and he held the position as Elder.

Joe was a hard worker, he worked for the Emmanuel Daycare Center. After leaving Emmanuel Daycare he was employed by the Department of Sanitation. Even during his illness, when he felt up to it, he would come into the church and check to see what repairs were needed and get them done.

Joe was a man of God, he knew that God had created us with a longing to know that our presence in this world counts. He knew that God designed us to find fulfillment of that desire through His son, Jesus Christ. Joe knew that dependence on the Lord was central to an abundant life and trusting Him with all of our heart means giving Him control over our families, finances, jobs and everything else in our life.

Joe would help you to understand that the abundant life also involves acknowledging the Lord in all we do. In your weakest moment in your life Joe would help you to see that this was just a season you are going through. He would tell you the life becomes fruitful as we surrender ourselves to God and carry out His will.

After a long battle with his illness, and keeping the faith Joe was called home to be with the Lord on Wednesday, December 20, 2017. Joe is predeceased by Edward Terry and his sister, Joann Terry. He is survived by: his son, Scott Capel; granddaughter, Debriel; and great-grandchildren; brothers, Ernis Terry and Clevlen Terry; nieces; nephews; step daughter, Norma Robinson; and a host of friends and relatives.

<u>Order of Service</u>

Organ Prelude
Processional Hymn
Invocation
Congregational Hymn"Pass Me Not"
Scripture Lessons Old Testament - Psalm 23 New Testament - 2 Corinthians 5:1-10
Prayer of Comfort
SoloSister Janet Thomas
Acknowledgements and Resolutions
Remarks and ReflectionsFamily and Friends
Musical Interlude
The Life of Joe Capel
Solo
Eulogy
The Lord's Prayer
Recessional Hymn"It Is Well With My Soul"

<u>Interment</u>

St. Michaels Cemetery East Elmhurst, New York



The Lord is My Shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures; He leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul. He leadeth me in the path of righteousness for His name's sake. Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil; for Thou art with me; Thy rod and Thy staff they comfort me. Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies. Thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life; and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.



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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