

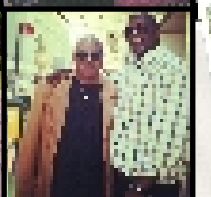
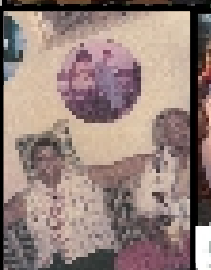
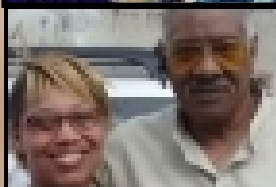
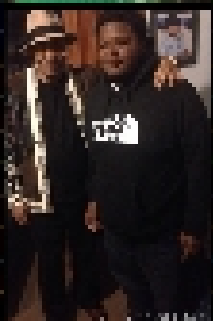
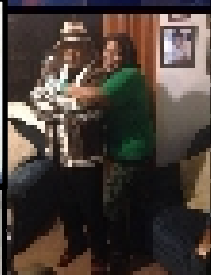
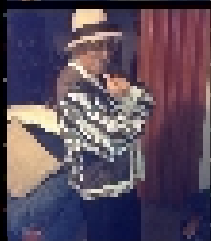
**CELEBRATING THE LIFE
OF**
Kenneth Barron



Sunrise: May 8, 1940
Sunset: January 15, 2018

Service:
Friday, January 19, 2018 - 11:00 a.m.

COTTON FUNERAL SERVICE
1025 Bergen Street • Newark, New Jersey
Bishop Hilton Rawls, Officiating
Mr. Emory Lee, Organist



Obituary

Mr. Kenneth Barron, son of the late Anna Coles and Carroll Benjamin Barron was born at Newark City Hospital May 8th 1940.

Growing up on Rutgers Street in Newark, the youngest male child of 7 siblings (5 girls 2 boys) and groomed by the Newark Public School System; he was the same as any little brown boy of that era. He played marbles, got into mischief, and had to be home when the street lights came on.

This upbringing coupled with being raised by loving parents and village of his community created what those of us here assembled knew to be Kenny Barron "The Man".

Self-esteem and confidence coupled with hot-temperedness and flamboyant sentiment all wrapped in an outright tough personality are the characteristics that became an asset in his adult life. Street smarts trumped book smarts, especially when living an average man's life as he did. His influence will forever remain in the lives of all who knew him.

Kenny peacefully departed this life Monday, January 15th at 12:04AM surrounded by love ones.

Kenneth was preceded in death by Parents: Anna Coles Barron and Carrol Benjamin Barron. Siblings: Carroll Barron Jr., Bernice Arrington, Eleanor Domino. Wife: Lena Barron.

Kenneth is survived by his wife Thelma Scott-Barron. Daughters: Nykisha Barron and Phoebe

Barron. Sons: Kenneth Barron Jacocks (Lavail), Keith Jacocks Sr. (Christnea), Benn L. Barron Sr. (Tarcha) and Step-son: Anthony Scott; 3 sisters Marie Gaskins (Newark), Elaine L. Hill (Florida) and Denise Barron-Irving. 20 Grandchildren: Donell, Ranear, Rajene, Ramyre Kenneth, Alterrek, Robert III, Kenneth Jr. (Kawana), Tyrone, Crystal, Keith Jr., Al-Tariq, Tareva, Armoni, Ebony, Benn Jr., Vasht', Benee-Jolie', Jessica, Tempest and Stefani. 11 Great-Grandchildren: Phoebe, Kareem, Kylie, Madison, Kaylyn, Kierstyn, Kasir, Zyreek, Nyh'Jil, Quanir and Montrell Jr. 7 in laws: Wesley, Willie, Leon, Josephine, Helen, Grace and Mattie. A host of nieces, nephews and extended family.



Order of Service

Processional

Selection

Scripture Reading
Old Testament
New Testament

Prayer of Comfort

Selection

Remarks
(Two minutes each please)

Acknowledgements

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Eulogy
Bishop Hilton Rawls

Recessional

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Farimount Cemetery
Newark, New Jersey

I'm Free

*Don't grieve for me now, I'm free.
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.
Task left undone must stay that way
I found peace at the close of day.
If my parting has left a void,
Then fill it with remembered joy.
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss;
Ah, yes, these things I too shall miss.
My life's been full, I've savored much.
Good friends, good times,
a loved one's touch.
Life up your hearts
and share with me,
God wanted me now;
he set me free.*

Acknowledgement

The family of **Kenneth Barron** would like to thank all who have extended their support and acts of kindness during their time of bereavement. God bless you all for your thoughtfulness and concern.

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