

MISS ME BUT LET ME GO

When I come to the end of the road and the sun has set for me
I want no rites in a gloomed filled room
Why cry for a soul set free
Miss me little-but not too long
And not with your head bowed low
Remember the Love that we once shared
Miss me-but let me go
For this is a journey that we all must take
And each must go alone
It's all part of the Master's plan
A step on the road to home
When you are lonely and sick at heart
Go to the friends we know
Laugh at the things we used to do
Miss me-but let me go

(Unknown Author)

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

Perhaps you sent a card, sent a floral piece, Or just sat quietly, know we saw you there. Perhaps you spoke a kind word, said a prayer, or just thought of us, Whatever you did, just know, The Mack Family Thank You.
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CELEBRATION OF LIFE FOR EDWARD MACK SR.



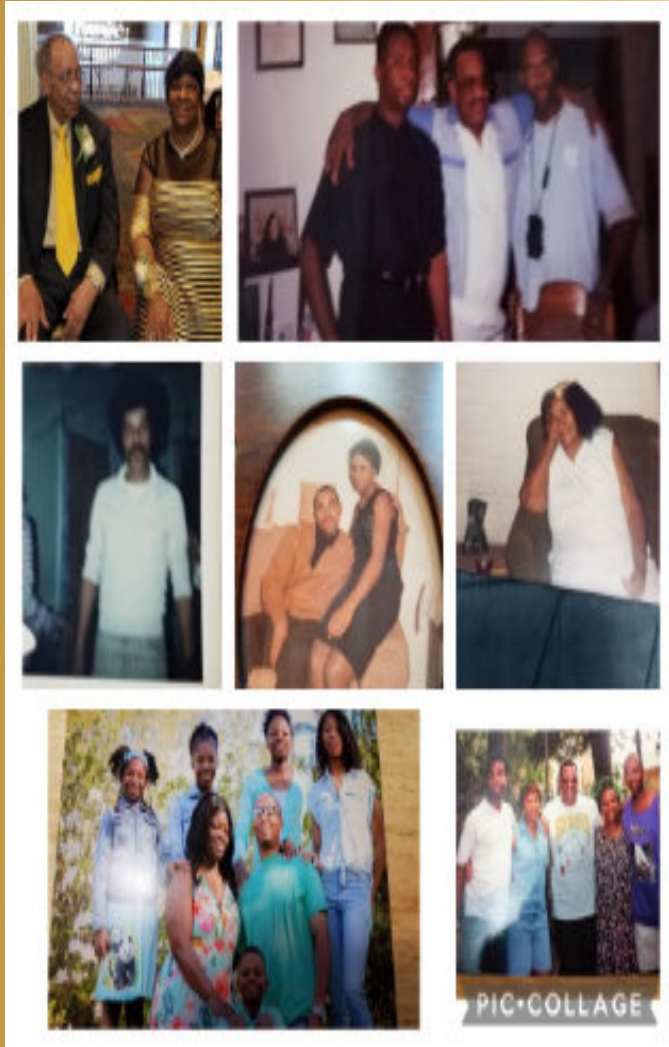
Sunrise: August 20, 1944
Sunset: March 10, 2022

Service:
Thursday, March 17, 2022 - 12 Noon

Gospel Mission Baptist Church
67 Ridgewood Avenue • Newark, New Jersey

Reverend Edna Mack Pastor
Reverend Orlando Riley Officiating

FOREVER IN OUR HEARTS



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Musical Prelude
 Processional.....Family
 Solo.....Jennifer A. Rose/Daughter
 Scriptures
 Old Testament.....Psalms 23Pastor Cedric McCoy
 Beulah Grove Baptist
 New Testament.....John 14:1-6
 Prayer of Comfort.....Pastor Orlando Riley
 New Bethel Baptist Church

Expressions of Love (2 minutes please)
 Jennifer, Sean and Edward Jr. (his Children)
 Trustee Mills
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Acknowledgements.....Missionary Brenda Mills
 Reading of the Obituary.....Dorothy Robinson
 Solo.....Jennifer A. Rose

Eulogy.....Pastor, Reverend Edna Mack
 Recessional

REPAST AT THE CHURCH

INTERMENT

Giles-Harris Funeral (in charge)
 Thyne Memorial Presbyterian Church Cemetery
 5120 Hwy 47, Chase City, Va.

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Edward Mack Sr. transitioned from labor to reward on March 10th 2022 at University Hospital in Newark, New Jersey.

He was born on August 20th, 1944 to the late Howard Mack Sr. and Sallie Mary Arrington Mack in Chase City, Virginia.

Edward was educated in the Chase City School System. He moved to Newark, New Jersey in 1964 and was drafted into the Army in the Infantry Division, September 1, 1965, where he fought in the Vietnam war and was awarded a Medal of Honor for his bravery. He was also a Gunnery.

After his discharge from the Army in 1967, he returned to Newark, NJ where he met and married Edna Starks, June 22, 1968. To this union of 53 years, they have three children, Jennifer A, Rose Starks(South Carolina), Sean Mack(Beverly) of Florida and Edward Mack Jr. of Newark, NJ.

Edward worked several jobs over the years, Meeker Foundry, BASF Wyndotte, and Elan Chemical. He retired from Elan in 2008.

Edward knew the Lord from an early age. He

loved to read the Bible and became an usher at Grace Temple Baptist Church and later continued that ministry at Gospel Mission Baptist Church serving alongside his son, Edward Mack Jr. until his illness hindered him from doing so.

Edward known as Ed or Papa Mack by many was a dedicated husband, father, brother, grandfather, great-grandfather and friend. He was kind to everyone he met. To know him is to Love him.

Edward was predeceased by his parents and sisters Frances, Ella, Lillian and brother Howard. He leaves to cherish his memories, his devoted wife, Edna, daughter, Jennifer, and sons, Sean and Edward Jr., grandchildren Richard (Deanna), Shanike, Edward D, Bobby, Renee, five great grandchildren, three sisters, Alma (Nelson) of Chase City Va., Mattie (Thomas) of Powthan, Va., Joyce (Alvin) Clarksville, Va., nine sister-in-laws, four brothers-in-law and a very dear friend Kenneth (Stickman) McGhee Sr., (Side kick) Charlie Phillips, great-grandchildren Rionna, Dionne, Kionna, Arionne and Richard, a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, friends, and a special family at Gospel Mission Baptist Church.

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