

**HOME GOING CELEBRATION  
OF**



*Joseph Elimus Redwar*

**SUNRISE**  
May 20, 1938

**SUNSET**  
April 15, 2022

**SATURDAY, APRIL 23, 2022 - 10:00 A.M.**

**First Congregational Christian Church**

1240 Clinton Ave • Irvington, NJ 07111

*Pastor Dr. Delores Watson, Officiant*

# Obituary

On May 20, 1938, **Joseph Elimus Redwar** aka Smithy or Uncle Joe was born to Mr. James Smith and Ms. Julia Redwar in New Amsterdam, Berbice, Guyana who he now preceded in death. Joseph received his education from Scott School in New Amsterdam, Berbice. While in school, Joseph assisted his grandmother with her food service business which was at the Transport and Harbor location in New Amsterdam. Joseph became well-known to the employees at the Transport and Harbor that they eventually employed him as a Sailor on their Passengers' Vessel. While working as a Sailor, Joseph became an Auxiliary Fireman with the Guyana Fire Service at the New Amsterdam, Berbice location. Joseph transitioned from his position as a Sailor from Transport and Harbor to work overseas on Tugboats, Cargo ships, and Oil Tankers as an Ordinary Seaman which he eventually worked his way up to a Boatswain. His employment on these Vessels, allowed him to visit many countries in Africa, Asia, the Caribbean, Europe, North America, and South America. After spending many years working on Sea, Joseph retired and later migrated to the United States. Joseph was employed with the Morris County School District as a Bus Attendant until he retired in 2008. Joseph spent his retirement years doing the things he loved. He loved being around family and friends; and was the 'life of the party' at family gatherings. On April 15, Joseph transitioned from his earthly life unexpectedly after a brief hospital stay.

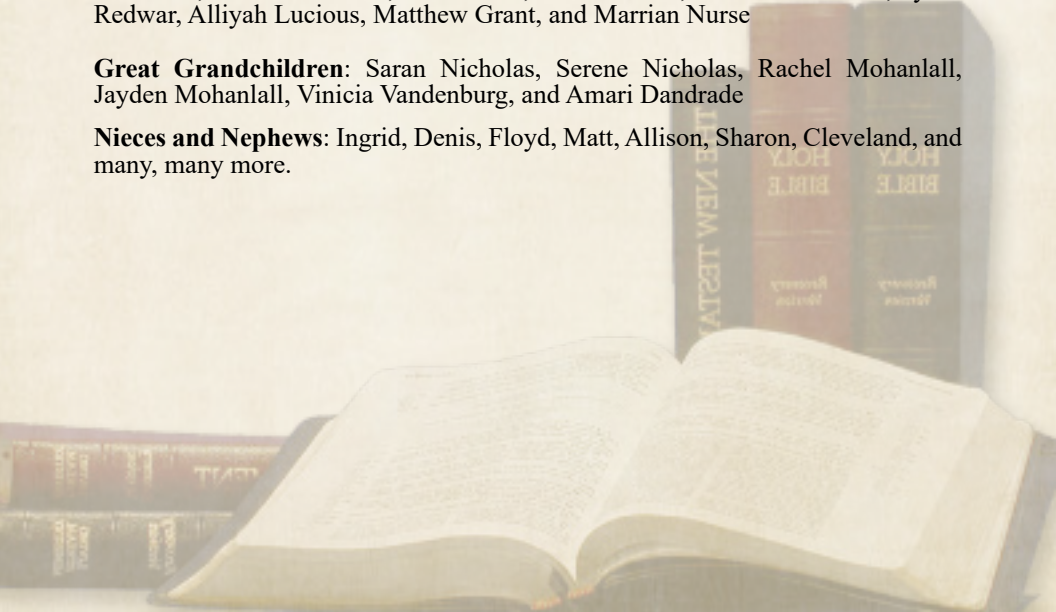
He precedes in death James Smith (father), Julia Redwar (mother), Lucille (sister), Colleen (daughter), Ruby (sister), and Doreen (sister) He leaves behind to mourn his departure from this earthly life are his wife Earla Redwar and his sister Doris Jacobs

**Children:** Yvette Mohanlall, Audrey Redwar, Gloria Lucious, Anthony Dandrade (Marcia), Roger Wills, Michelle Redwar, Adrian Redwar (Shaundell) and his good friend Jerrylene Holoman

**Grand Children:** Letiza Rudder, Tito Mohanlall, Chin Mohanlall, Anthony Dandrade, Nikita Dandrade, Carol Wills, Nakita Fraser, Trashawn Redwar, Tyrell Redwar, Alliyah Lucious, Matthew Grant, and Marrian Nurse

**Great Grandchildren:** Saran Nicholas, Serene Nicholas, Rachel Mohanlall, Jayden Mohanlall, Vinicia Vandenburg, and Amari Dandrade

**Nieces and Nephews:** Ingrid, Denis, Floyd, Matt, Allison, Sharon, Cleveland, and many, many more.



# Order of Service

PASTORAL PROCESSION OPENING SENTENCES .....	Pastor Dr. Delores Watson
OPENING HYMN .....	“Blessed Assurance”
PRAYER OF COMFORT .....	Rev. Colin Vickerie
SCRIPTURE READING	
Psalm 27.....	Anthony Dandrade
Hymn of Consolation.....	“It is Well With My Soul”
TRIBUTES	
Sons.....	Adrian Redwar Anthony Dandrade Mark Griffith
Sibling.....	Doris Jacobs
Grand Daughter.....	Nikita Dandrade
Niece .....	Matilda Giddings
SPECIAL SELECTION .....	Annakie Allan
TRIBUTES	
Grand Sons.....	Anthony Dandrade (Shonelle) Trashawn Redwar Tyrell Redwar
SCRIPTURE READING	
2 Cor: 4; 7-16.....	Nikita Dandrade
SPECIAL SELECTION .....	Annakie. Allen
OBITUARY .....	Mark Griffith
SERMON SCRIPTURE	
Lamentations 3: 21-25 .....	Trashawn Redwar
SERMON .....	Pastor Dr. Delores Watson
PRAYER FOR THE FAMILY .....	Tyrell Redwar
FINAL COMMENDATION .....	Pastor Dr. Delores Watson
FINAL VIEWING .....	“When We All Get to Heaven”
BENEDICTION	

*Interment*

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# *Don't Cry for me*

*Don't cry for me now I have died,  
for I'm still here I'm by your side.  
My body's gone but my soul is here,  
please don't shed another tear.  
I am still here I'm all around,  
only my body lies in the ground.  
I am the snowflake that kisses your nose.  
I am the frost, that nips your toes.  
I am the sun, bringing you light.  
I am the star, shining so bright.  
I am the rain, refreshing the earth.  
I am the laughter, I am the mirth.  
I am the bird, up in the sky.  
I am the cloud, that drifting by.  
I am the thoughts, inside your head while.  
I'm still here, I can't be dead.*

-Anon

## *Acknowledgment*

The family of Joseph E. Redwar wishes to thank those who extended their well wishes, prayers, and other forms of support to them during this period of bereavement. We are grateful for the love and support offered by some very special persons that choose this moment to reciprocate that which they many have received from Joseph  
May God bless you all and may he rest in eternal peace.

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# Hymns

## When We All Get To Heaven

Sing the wondrous love of Jesus,  
Sing His mercy and His grace;  
In the mansions bright and blessed  
He'll prepare for us a place.  
When we all get to Heaven,  
What a day of rejoicing that will be!  
When we all see Jesus,  
We'll sing and shout the victory!  
While we walk the pilgrim pathway,  
Clouds will overspread the sky;  
But when trav'ling days are over,  
Not a shadow, not a sigh.  
Let us then be true and faithful,  
Trusting, serving every day;  
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Will the toils of life repay.  
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Onward to the prize before us!  
Soon His beauty we'll behold;  
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## Blessed Assurance

Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine  
Oh, what a foretaste of glory divine  
Heir of salvation, purchase of God  
Born of His spirit, washed in His blood  
Perfect submission, all is at rest  
I in my Savior, am happy and blessed  
Watching and waiting, looking above  
Filled with His goodness, lost in His love,  
oh oh  
This is my story, this is my song  
Praising my Savior all the day long  
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Oh, what a Savior, wonderful Jesus  
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You are victorious  
Praise to the risen King  
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Oh, what a Savior, ah  
Wonderful Savior, ho, oh

## When We All Get To Heaven

When peace like a river attendeth my way  
When sorrows like sea billows roll  
Whatever my lot, Thou hast taught me to say  
It is well, it is well with my soul  
It is well (it is well)

With my soul (with my soul)  
It is well, it is well with my soul  
Though Satan should buffet, though trials  
should come

Let this blest assurance control  
That Christ (yes, He has) has regarded my  
helpless estate

And has shed His own blood for my soul  
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With my soul (with my soul)  
It is well, it is well with my soul  
My sin, oh the bliss of this glorious thought (a  
thought)

My sin, not in part, but the whole (every bit,  
every bit, all of it)

Is nailed to the cross, and I bear it no more  
(yes!)

Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul!  
It is well (it is well)

With my soul (with my soul)  
It is well, it is well with my soul

Sing it as well

It is well (it is well)

With my soul (with my soul)

It is well, it is well with my soul

And Lord, haste the day when my faith shall be  
sight

The clouds be rolled back as a scroll

The trump shall resound, and the Lord shall  
descend

Even so, it is well with my soul!

It is well (it is well)

With my soul (with my soul)

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Sing up to Jesus, it is well!

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