

IN LOVING MEMORY OF

Ronald Alexander Seymour

"Baba Dread"



Sunrise
May 30, 1952

Sunset
July 6, 2022

Service

Wednesday, July 20, 2022 • 12:00 noon

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Order of Service

Processional

Selection

Scripture Readings

Old Testament - Psalm 23

New Testament - John 14:1-7

Prayer of Consolation

Selection

Acknowledgements

Obituary

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Eulogy

Viewing

Benediction

Recessional

Interment

Springfield Cemetery
Queens, New York

Obituary

Ronald “Baba Dread” Seymour sadly passed away on July 6, 2022 in Queens, NY. He was 70 years old. He was born in Kingston, Jamaica on May 30, 1952 at Kingston Public Hospital to the late Clifford and Icilda Seymour. He finished his schooling in Jamaica, West Indies before relocating to the United States at the age of 21. Ronald was known to be a big soccer player and Mechanic. In 1983, he met the love of his life Maureen Bonner and together they raised five children; Safari, Shanique, Jaevon, Tesha and Jafari. Ronald was a loving and devoted Father.

Affectionately known to most as Baba Dread, was very passionate about cars, music and dancing Baba danced up until the day he transitioned from this life and could tell you almost anything there was to know about cars. Most of all, he loved his family and friends more than anything. He was well loved by many, always willing to lend a helping hand. Baba was a selfless and caring man who cooked for everyone. Even if it meant he himself did not eat himself, he'd feed you if you were hungry.

Baba will be remembered for his jokes, one of the funniest people you'd meet. He was the life of the party. At times he was a little unpredictable; you never knew what was going to come out of his mouth. He had the ability to make you upset and turn around and make you laugh all at the same time.

Ronald was preceded in death by his parents, Clifford and Icilda; his loving partner, Maureen Bonner; and his sister, Patricia Bernard. Ronald leaves to cherish his memories his sons, Safari Seymour, Jaevon Seymour and Jafari Bonner (stepson); daughters, Shanique Seymour and Tesha Bonner (stepdaughter); adored grandchildren, Sha'Naiza Simpkins, Samiyah Simpkins, Sincere Campoo, Jafari Bonner Jr. and Harlee Genwright; sisters, Marlene Williams and Jackie Seymour; brothers, Maurice Seymour and Horace Seymour. As well as a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, family and friends.

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 gloom filled room,
Why cry for a soul set free?
Miss me a 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 use to do
Miss me-but let me go.*

Acknowledgements

*The family wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation
the many expressions of love, concern and kindness shown
to their family during this hour of bereavement.*

May God Bless and Keep You!

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