Celebrating The Life of

Johnnie J. Jeffries

Sunrise November 4, 1951

Sunset July 5, 2023

Service Friday, July 21, 2023 • 11:30 a.m.

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Order of Service

Processional
Selection
Scripture Readings: Old Testament - Psalm 23 New Testament - John 14:1-3
Prayer of Consolation
Selection "He's Able - Kirk Franklin"
Acknowledgements
Remarks Cherrelle Jeffries and Jazelle Smith Loved Ones and Friends (2 minutes please)
ObituaryZanobia McBean
Selection "Walk Around Heaven - Patti Labelle"
Eulogy
Viewing
Benediction
Recessional
Interment

Pinelawn Memorial Park Farmingdale, New York

## Obituary

Johnnie J Jeffries (affectionately known as "Brother") was born November 4, 1951, to the late Johnnie and Marie Jeffries. Johnnie lived in Johnson projects in Harlem, NY. In 1959 the Jeffries family moved to the Hollis, Queens area. As a young boy Johnnie would spend his days taking apart model cars an putting them back together again. On snowy days, Johnnie would go over to Jamaica Estates and ride down the hills.

Johnnie graduated from Francis Lewis High school in Queens. Johnnie was a part of the 1969 graduating class. Johnnie was also among the first to racially integrate the high school. After graduating Johnnie became an electrical apprentice. He later worked his way up to a journeyman position. Johnnie was a member of the international Brotherhood of Electrical workers local 3.

Johnnie was always working. He loved to stay busy. If he was not repairing cars or trucks he would be remodeling homes. He often said " Why should I pay someone when I could do it myself." That was one of the many infamous comments of Johnnie Jeffries.

At age 16 Johnnie started working at a local mechanic shop. It was there that Johnnie discovered his passion for trucks. His boss took him for a ride and showed him how to operate it. The rest was history.

As the years went by Johnnie calling for trucks grew stronger. Johnnie created his own truck driving company Five D line Inc. Five D represented his five daughters. Five D online Inc was a very thriving business. Johnnie eventually owned 5 trucks.

Surviving is Johnnie's daughters Charissa, Simon, Monique, Yolanda and Cherrelle (Boo Boo). Johnnie's sister Laverne an her husband Michael , Along with his significant other Paula Stewart. Grandchildren Zanobia , Quanajah, Ashanti, Malika, Emani, BaSheba, Ebony, Malachi, Jazelle, Elania, Princess, and Amir. 6 great randchildren. Host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. The family of Johnnie J Jeffries would like to extend their gratitude to all who extended prayers and condolences.

Remember Me

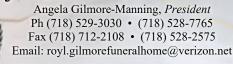
To the living, I am gone, To the sorrowful I will never return, I am at peace with myself and the Lord, I cannot speak, but I can listen I cannot be seen but I can be heard, So remember me in your heart and thoughts, Remember me in your memories, Remember me of the times we loved, Remember me of the times we laughed, Remember me of the times we cried, Remember me of the times we fought And always remember me of the times we lived together. I am resting in peace with the highest hope that some day we shall all unite again in God's Kingdom.

## Hcknowledgements

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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