

*Celebrating the Life of*



*Allen A. Anderson*  
*"Button"*

**Sunrise: August 20, 1962 - Sunset: June 29, 2024**

**Monday, July 15, 2024  
11:00AM**

**Ruth Fellowship Ministries**  
**733 South Second Street, Plainfield, New Jersey**  
**Rev. Tracey L. Brown – Pastor**

# Order of Service

Musical Prelude

Opening Selection

Scripture Readings ..... Jeanette Lacks  
Old Testament - Ecclesiastes 3: 1-8  
New Testament - I Corinthians 15: 51-57

Prayer of Comfort ..... Rev. Mary Leonard

Solo ..... “Going Up Yonder” - Omega Randleman

Acknowledgements .....Monique Raimey

Reflections .....2 Minutes - Family and Friends

Obituary .....Maureen Stith

Selection ..... “I Will Always Love You” (by Whitney Houston)  
Amiyah Raimey

Message of Comfort ..... Rev. Mary Leonard

Committal

Recessional

## **Private Cremation**

***Immediately following the service, family and friends are invited to the repast hosted by honorary family member and longtime friend Maureen Stith at 521 Pleasant Avenue, Piscataway, NJ. This is an outside event.***

# Obituary

**Allen Alexander Anderson “Button”**, was born August 20, 1962 to the late Charlie and Viola Anderson. Born the youngest of six siblings, he is predeceased by his father, mother, sister Faye Clark and brother Charles D. Anderson. Allen departed this earth June 29, 2024.

Allen was raised in Plainfield, NJ and attended the Plainfield Public School System. He met and vowed nuptials with his lifetime partner Mary (Tasha) Leonard-Anderson. Of this union derived two children, Keyisha and Za’heem Anderson and stepson Tyshawn Davis.

Allen worked 20 plus years with formerly P.M.U.A. currently City of Plainfield Solid Waste & Sewer Utility until he retired from Union County January 31, 2024. He also worked at AT & T (Servomation Corp.) Food Service as a cook in his earlier years of employment for several years.

He relocated his family to Edison, NJ in 2023. He enjoyed cooking and sports. His favorite football team was the Washington Commanders formerly the Redskins. His favorite baseball team was the NY Mets and his favorite basketball team was the NY Knicks.

Surviving are his daughter and son Keyisha and Za’heem Anderson and stepson Tyshawn Davis; sisters Robyn McCloud of Edison, NJ, and Maggie Irek Anderson of Smyrna, DE; brother Dennis Anderson (Kim) of Smyrna, DE and a step-sister Rebecca Anderson of GA. Also surviving are a host of nieces, and nephews: Shaheed Raimy (Monique), Ahmad Raimy, Theodore and Elijah Clark, Ashley McCloud, Dennis Shareef and Kiera Anderson. In addition, he leaves to mourn his good friend Charlie Greer and a myriad of great nieces and nephews along with other relatives and friends.

## Pallbearers

Bobby Prater, Foster Webb,  
Willie Jenkins, Leroy Washington,  
Charlie Greer, Mike Phillips

# Acknowledgements

*Perhaps you sent a lovely card, or sat  
quietly in a chair. Perhaps you sent a  
floral piece if so we saw it there.*

*Perhaps you spoke the kindest words as  
any friend could say. Perhaps you  
were not there at all, just thought of us  
that day. Whatever you did to console  
our hearts we thank you so much  
whatever the part.*

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