In Loving Memory of

Dudley Lloyd Black

Sumrise February 22-194

Sunset January 23, 2025

Saturday, February 8, 2025 Viewing - 10:00 a.m. Service - 11:30 a.m.

MCCALL'S BRONXWOOD FUNERAL HOME

4035 Bronxwood Avenue • Bronx, New York 10466 Dr. Anne Madumere, Officiating Pastor Jay Gooding, Eulogist Rev. David Jenkins, Organist

Obituary

Dudley Black was born on February 22, 1941, to the late Kathleen and Gerald Black in Linton Park, St. Ann, Jamaica, West Indies. He departed this life on January 23, 2025, at Jacobi Medical Center in the Bronx, NY.

Dudley was a resident of the Bronx for over 40 years, though his journey away from Jamaica began at just 18 when he moved to London, England to join his aunt. During his time in London, he worked diligently and mastered the construction trade. In 1979, he brought that same hardworking spirit to the Bronx, where he found purpose and passion in his work at Gun Hill Building Supplies.

In his retirement, Dudley embraced a simple yet fulfilling routine. He was often seen taking early morning walks at 5 AM, a habit that not only kept him active but also connected him with his community. A visit to his sister Marion was always part of his day, and along the way, he became known as the friendly neighborhood man who greeted everyone with kindness. It was in these years he met, fell in love and shared a home with Ms. Fanny Robinson.

Dudley was a quiet soul, but his presence was warm and welcoming. He was a man who loved and feared God. His favorite saying was "God and time". He had a deep love for music, especially soft melodies that filled his home. He also enjoyed sharing and hearing jokes, bringing laughter to those around him. Above all, he was a kind, loving, humble, and family-oriented man whose gentle nature left a lasting impact on everyone who knew him.

He is survived by his five sisters: Sylvia, Pauleth, Ann, Joan, and Marion; seven nephews; six nieces; a host of grandnephews, grandnieces, cousins, and many other relatives and friends. He is predeceased by his brothers, Gerald Jr. and Delroy, his sister, Dorothy, and his lifetime partner, Fanny.

Though Dudley has left this world, his kindness, laughter, and gentle spirit will live on in our hearts forever. May he rest in eternal peace.

Order of Service

Processional
Selection
Scripture Reading Old Testament Psalm 90: 1-12 Ricardo Gordon (Nephew)
Special SelectionDr. Anne Madumere (Pastor, Family Friend)
Scripture Reading New Testament1 Corinthians 15: 50-58 Pauleth McHugh (Sister)
Prayer of ComfortDr. Anne Madumere (Pastor, Family Friend)
Selection
Words of Remembrance
Obituary & AcknowledgementRona Thompson (Cousin)
Selection"It is well with my Soul"
Sermon Pastor Jay Gooding
Committal & Benediction
Remarks by Funeral Director
Final Viewing
Recessional"The Lord is my Shepherd"
Dellheanana

<u>Pallbearers</u>

Leeming Chuck (Nephew) Anthony Sanderson (Grandnephew) Wayne Sinclair (Nephew) Ricardo Gordon (Nephew) Garfield Sanderson (Nephew) Gavin Small (Nephew)





The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake. Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me: thy rod and thy staff they comfort me. Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.



Acknowledgments

The family of Dudley Lloyd Black wishes to express their heartfelt appreciation for the many prayers and acts of kindness, and for all expressions of sympathy at this time of bereavement.

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