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... Foot Prints ...

One night a man had a dream. He dreamed he was walking along the beach with the Lord. Across the sky flashed scenes from his life. For each scene he noticed two sets of footprints in the sand: one belonging to him and the other to the Lord.

When the last scene of his life flashed before him, he looked back at the footprints in the sand. He noticed that many times along the path of his life, there was only one set of footprints. He also noticed that it happened at the very lowest and saddest times in his life. This really bothered him and he questioned the Lord about it. "Lord, you said that once I decided to follow you, you would walk with me all the way. But I have noticed that during the most troublesome times in my life, there is only one set of footprints. I don't understand why - when I needed you the most, you would leave me."

The Lord replied, "My precious, precious child. I love you and I would never leave you. During your times of trial and suffering, when you saw only one set of footprints, it was then that I carried you."

Arrangements

Thomas T. Edwards Funeral Home, Inc.

Interment

Concordia Cemetery

PALL BEARERS

Billy Goodwin

Jerry Hems

William Montgomery

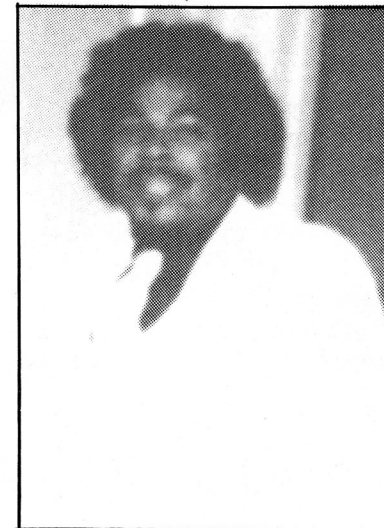
Joe Sylvester

Homegoing Services

for

Fulton Horton

October 28, 1941 - October 10, 1989



MONDAY, OCTOBER 16, 1989

11:00 a.m.

HOPEWELL BAPTIST CHURCH

1307 Fillmore Avenue
Buffalo, New York 14211



Rev. Dennis Lee, Jr., Officiating

OBITUARY



Fulton Horton, son of the late Lester and Helen Horton of Gunnersville, Alabama was born, October 28, 1941 in Gunnersville, Alabama. He entered into rest October 10, 1989 in Roswell Memorial Institute after a long illness.

Fulton leaves to cherish his memory; his wife: Lavern Horton; three sons: Fulton, Marcus and Glenn (Sabrina) Horton, all of Buffalo; two brothers: Robert Bettis of Chicago, Jeffrey Smith of Buffalo; a mother in-law: Louise Scott; two step-children: Bryon and Kimberly Rhodes; seven grandchildren. And a host of relatives and friends.

ORDER OF SERVICE



Minister CRAIG

- Processional Mrs. Hill
- Selection Mass Choir
"He'll Understand"
- Scripture Ecclesiates 12:1-7
St. John 14:1-7
- Prayer Rev. Willis Reed
- Acknowledgement and Condolences Deborah Devers
- Obituary Shalise Shannon
- Remarks Colin Rhodes
- Solo Camille Lester
- Eulogy Rev. Dennis Lee, Jr.
- Recessional