



Genova Joe Barber

March 1, 1963 - July 19, 2008

GENOVA BARBER, son of the late Willie Mae Poole and Willie Eli Barber, was born on March 1, 1963 in Baltimore, Maryland. He suddenly departed his earthly life on Saturday, July 19, 2008 after a brief illness. Genova received his education from the Baltimore City Public School System. Genova (a.k.a. Joe) would always put a smile on your face, as well as a smile in your heart. Joe had a famous saying "I'll holla at ya, when I smile at ya." He had a strong passion for his family, telling amazing stories and enjoying life. Joe took great pride in his work. Throughout his adult life, Joe worked at St. Joseph's Hospital, March's Funeral Home, as well as his brother's business, Eli Barber Bus Transportation. Joe was a very dedicated, hard-worked and diligent man who will be missed by all who knew and loved him. This past Easter, Joe gave his life over to Christ at the Sharon Baptist Church. He was always willing to lend a helping hand to assist others. It is with broken hearts that we say goodbye to Genova. Our time with him was too short. He leaves to cherish his memory: his father, Willie Eli Barber; son, Corey Eli Barber; nine brothers, Eli Barber, Daryl Barber, Willie Barber, John Barber, Roy Barber, Tyrone Barber, Clarence Barber, Clarence Porter and Douglas Porter; five sisters, Helen Poole, Gloria A. Watson (GA), Debra Poole, Bernadine Poole and Ida Mae Jackson; three grandchildren, Kory'e Barber, Kaniah Barber and Corey Eli Barber Jr; several sisters-in-law and brothers-in-law, a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews and friends, especially Bren-Bren, a loving and devoted friend. They say there is a reason they say that time will heal, But neither time

nor reason will change the way we feel;For no one knows the heartache that lies behind our smiles,No one knows how many times we have broken down and cried.We want to tell you something so there won't be any doubt,You're so wonderful to think of but so hard to be without.We cannot bring the old days back, when we were all together,The family chain is broken now, but memories live forever. Submitted by Your Loving Son, Corey Eli Barber

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“ *Please accept my condolences for the loss of your loved one. One of my favorite comforting scriptures is Acts 24:15- "There going to be a resurrection." May you also receive much comfort and hope every time you think about this wonderful promise.##imported-begin##Sharon Hill##imported-end##*

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“ *May the Lord bring comfort to your family at this sorrowful time... Genova will truly be missed!!##imported-begin##Lakiah Henson##imported-end##*

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“ I'd like to send my warm condolences to the family of Genova. When a family loses a loved one in death it is something so hard to come to terms with. The bible promises a resurrection back to life for those who have died. Just think of how wonderful it will be to see our loved ones come to life again. Jesus demonstrated how the resurrection will take place by raising many while he was here on earth. Two of the resurrections he performed were his friend Lazarus, and a 12-year old little girl. Mark 5:38-43. Can you imagine how her parents felt when they saw their daughter come to life again? One day we will have that same joy, because Acts 24:15 promises that there will be a resurrection of both the righteous and the unrighteous. May the promised day of salvation help you to cope in the days to come.##imported-begin##R
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