



Leroy Harrison James

June 30, 1932 - January 16, 2010

LEROY H. JAMES, son of the late Arthur and Effie James, was born on June 30, 1932 in Washington, D.C. He departed this life on January 16, 2010 after a lengthy illness. Leroy spent his formative years in Baltimore, where he received his primary and secondary education in the Baltimore City Public School System. He was a standout basketball player. He also received college credits at the Hampton Institute before he answered the country's call to duty in the U.S. Army, where he received numerous commendations and was honorably discharged in 1955. He then continued his education at the University of Missouri. He worked as a printer at some of the country's more prominent newspapers; the Afro-American, the Washington Post and the Sun papers, just to list a few. He retired in the early 1970s. He met and later married the former F. Priscilla Curtis in 1969. Over his lifetime, Leroy made numerous friends and will be sincerely missed by them all. He is survived by: his wife, F. Priscilla James; a son, Rodney Curtis (Ella); a daughter, Carole Curtis; two grandchildren, Shaneka Curtis and James J. Walker III; a brother, Brigadier Gen. (Ret) Avon C. James (Norma); a brother-in-law, Michael Curtis; a nephew, Stephen James (Rachel); a niece, Sheryl Jones; two great nephews, Grant and Austin Jones; and a host of other relatives and friends.

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“ *Leroy Harrison James*

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“ *I would like to convey my condolences for the loss of your loved one. The Bible teaches about a future time when all those who have fallen asleep in death will live again by means of a resurrection on a paradise earth (John5:28-29, Psalm37:11,29). May you find solace in Jehovah the God of all comfort (2Cor1:3-4) and he will sustain you during this difficult time (Psalm55:22).##imported-begin##C. Murphy##imported-end##*

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“ *I would like to extend my deepest sympathy to the family and friends of Leroy Harrison James. Losing a loved one in death is a painful time. This is a pain that Jehovah God promises will one day no longer exist (Revelation 21:3,4). May you take comfort in knowing that our loving Heavenly Father promises us that soon all those in the memorial tombs will come out to life on a paradise earth by means of a resurrection (John 5: 28,29 and Psalms 37:29). As you await the fulfillment of this promise, may you find comfort from "the Father of tender mercies and the God of all comfort who comforts us in all our tribulation" (2 Corinthians 1:3,4).##imported-begin##S. Brown##imported-end##*

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“ I wish to send my deepest condolences to the family and friends of Leroy. When we lose a loved one it's like an unreality. We feel so powerless knowing that no matter what we do, we cannot bring our loved one back to us. I think of death as a long journey that my loved one has gone on and one day he will return to me. This is in harmony with the bible which lets us know that our loved ones are sleeping in death, and one day they will awaken. Daniel 12:2 even says, "There are many of those asleep in the ground of dust who will wake up." That's the loving promise of Jehovah, the God of tender mercies who never fails to fulfill his promises. Isaiah 55:11. May you be comforted and strengthened by his wonderful promise of the resurrection. Acts 24"15###imported-begin###
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