



Samuel E. King

March 5, 1905 - February 16, 2007

“Sunset and evening star, and one clear call for me; And may there be no mourning at the bar, when I set out to sea.” A. Tennyson Samuel E. King who was known to most as “Honey” King quietly slipped into eternal rest on Friday February 16, 2007. He was born on March 5, 1905. Honey was the seventh son born to of the late George (Bud) King and Nellie Murphy King. He was the longest surviving son. Honey’s maternal grandfather (Nicholas Murphy) was the brother of the late John H. Murphy Sr. founder of the AFRO Paper. He had been a life-long member of Grace AME Church in Catonsville, Maryland. Honey attended Catonsville Public Schools and completed his education in vocational training at Frederick Douglass High School, class of 1925. His work experience includes forty-eight distinguished years as a club car attendant. He also owned “K&M” Venetian Blinds, the only Black owned company of its kind located in New York State. Honey was married forty-five years to the late Mildred (Billie) King of New York. Honey always had a great zest for life and loved to meet and talk to people. This was demonstrated throughout his lifetime. Late in life Honey began a singing career and traveled extensively. He has performed throughout North and South America as well as the Caribbean Islands. He spent the winter months in Honolulu, Hawaii. While there he often shared the stage spotlight with the famous Hawaiian singer “Don Ho” as well as others. Honey made appearances on both local and national television shows, as well as had engagements at the well-known “Cotton Club” in New York City. He had an acting role in the Harlem

Renaissance theater production, which was shown across America displaying historical views of changes observed in his lifetime that occurred in Harlem New York. Honey leaves a loving legacy of family, friends and relatives His picture often was often published in periodicals. On May 23, 2003 The New York Times interviewed Honey; the article was titled "The World they Knew, Now They Watch."

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“ Please accept my condolences for the loss of your loved one. We all want to live no matter how hard life gets, and none of us want to lose our loved ones in death. That's because Jehovah God has put time indefinite in our hearts, which is a desire to stay here with our loved ones forever. This is God's purpose for us, to live eternally in peaceful conditions; without death hanging over our heads like a cloud. That is why he promises to end sickness and death forever, and bring about a peaceful new world. Rev.21:4 tells us that he will wipe out every tear from our eyes and death will be no more. Also there is a wonderful hope for those who have died; to be ressurected back to life in a paradise earth. Psalm 37:29 tells us, "The righteous themselves will possess the earth, and they will reside forever upon it." Also 2nd Peter 3:13 says; But there are new heavens and a new earth that we are awaiting according to his promise, and in these righteousness is to dwell. One day, no more sorrow, no more tears or pain, but everlasting happiness. May those bible thoughts lift your spirits, and help you to cope with your loss.##imported-begin##R Johnson##imported-end##

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“ May I send my condolences . Time does by fast, it will soon be a year since Mr. Samuel circle of life was broken.Just think, Mr.Samuel lived for 102 years, having the time of his life and enjoying it.The bible say that soon the earth will become a paradise free from dying , Rev.21:3-5,all things being made NEW.Imagine the happiness to be our when the dead are resurrected, John 5:28, great JOY. I am looking forward to that happening.May all the many many cherish and precious and marvelous memories of Mr.Samuel stay alive and help you all in life journey.##imported-begin##Lillian Crosby##imported-end##

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“ I am sorry to learn of the death of Samuel. This must have been a difficult time for all of you. I'm forwarding scripture that will comfort you. Psalm 90:10 says that the usual human life span is 70 or 80 years. This was true when Moses wrote it but not so from the beginning. (compare Genesis 5:3-32.) Hebrew 9:27 says...It is reserved for men to die once for all time. This, too, was true when it was written but not the case before God passed judgement on sinful Adam.##imported-begin##JT Nunnally##imported-end##

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