

UNTIL WE MEET AGAIN



"Do not let your hearts be troubled. You believe in God; believe also in me. My Father's house has many rooms; if that were not so, would I have told you that I am going there to prepare a place for you? And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come back and take you to be with me that you also may be where I am.

John 14:1-3

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

The family of the late Derrick H. Broome would like to acknowledge with great appreciation all acts of kindness and other expressions of sympathy shown to them during this time of bereavement.

PALLBEARERS

John Patterson - Tyrone Shelborne - Ramesh Navaratnam
Rick Brown - Malcolm Matthews - Desmond Jahari Jones

FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS ENTRUSTED TO:

Marlan J. Gary Funeral Home

The Chapel of Peace East

5456 E. Livingston Ave., Columbus, Ohio 43232

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Homegoing Celebration for



Derrick Hamilton Broome

January 6, 1965 - February 21, 2024

Saturday, March 16, 2024

Visitation: 9:00am Service: 10:00am

First Church of God

3480 Refugee Rd., Columbus, OH 43232

A Life Well Lived

Derrick Hamilton Broome, son of James and Ethel Broome, was born on January 6, 1965 in Brooklyn, New York. Having attended elementary school in New York and high school at Deerfield Academy (MA), Derrick was a proud graduate of Ohio Dominican University in Columbus, Ohio. Derrick had a long career in the field of logistics, and a very successful stint at Pacer International prior to becoming a Board Member at the Intermodal Association of North America from 2016 - 2021. He then became the Vice-President of the Intermodal Division at C.A.T. Global where it is said that he inspired those around him and left a lasting impression on their corporate culture.

Derrick made and maintained lifelong friendships which filled his life with a brotherhood that was vitally important to him and lasted from as early as middle school. Anyone who saw Derrick knew that they would also likely see: Rick, Ron, Eric, Angelo, Vincent, Glen, Andy, Mohan, Phil, Mark or Ramesh. He frequently would travel with Ramesh to see his family. He also developed great relationships with friends met during his work experience including John Patterson.

Derrick married the love of his life, Leanna Fullard, on November 7, 2022 in Negril, Jamaica, who coincidentally, he had known since his childhood as his mother was her teacher for 5th and 6th grade! Though their time together was short, it was filled with love, laughter, travel and precious memories.

Derrick leaves to cherish their memories his loving wife, Leanna (Fullard) Broome; step-daughter, Adria (David) Bernardez; grandchildren; Malachi Boyd, Aden Bernardez, and Amari Bernardez; mother, Ethel L. Broome; aunts, Josephine Scott, Diana Scott and Patricia Brown; sisters-in-law; Jacqueline Johnson and Theresa Myrick; and a host of relatives, co-workers and friends.

ORDER OF SERVICE

PROCESSIONAL.....Clergy

HYMN OF FAITH....."Blessed Assurance"

READING OF THE WORD.....Bishop Vince Monden
The Faith Clinic Community Church

 OLD TESTAMENT.....Psalms 23

 NEW TESTAMENT.....John 14:1-6

PRAYER OF COMFORT.....Clergy

WORDS OF COMFORT.....Clergy

OBITUARY.....Read Silently

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS/RESOLUTIONS.....

MINISTRY OF MUSIC.....

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

Bishop Timothy J. Clark

BENEDICTION.....Bishop Timothy J. Clark

RECESSIONAL.....Clergy, Family and Friends

INTERMENT

Forest Lawn Memorial Gardens
5600 E. Broad St., Columbus, OH 43213



I'm Free

Don't grieve for me for now I'm free,
I'm following the path God laid for me.

I took his hand when I heard him call,
I turned my back and left it all.

I could not stay another day,
To laugh, to love, to work or play.

Tasks left undone must stay that way,
I've found that peace at the close of day.

If my parting has left a void,
Then fill it with remembered joy.

A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,
Ah yes, these things I too will miss.

Be not burdened with times of sorrow,
I wish for you the sunshine of tomorrow.

My life's been full, I've savored much,
Good friends, good times, my loved one's touch.

If my time seemed all too brief,
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.

Lift up your heart, rejoice with me,
God wanted me now, He set me free.

