



Calvin C. Lewis

May 20, 1938 - October 13, 2016

Calvin C. Lewis was born on May 20, 1938 in Greene County, Alabama to the late Robert Ennis Lewis, Sr. and Janie B. Lewis. Calvin declared Christ as his Savior at an early age, and became a member of the Christian Valley Baptist Church after being baptized. He completed his education and received his high school diploma from the Greene County School District.

Calvin found employment working construction in nearby Tuscaloosa, subsequent to completing his high school education. After staying in Tuscaloosa for several years, he moved to Montgomery, Alabama, where he worked in the food industry. Calvin frequently visited his family in Greene County while he was living in Tuscaloosa and in Montgomery. After his mother passed away, Calvin helped to support his family, as his father became the only parent for a number of young children. Calvin mentored his younger siblings, and provided financial support to the entire family.

A number of Calvin's siblings moved from Alabama to New York after finishing high school. Calvin relocated to New York in 1970 to join his other siblings. He found employment there, working in the manufacturing industry, until he retired.

Calvin was an integral part of the Lewis family. He loved his family members and enjoyed spending quality time with them. Calvin also loved to dance and

his particular style of movement was very unique. He won a “Dancing with the Stars” contest several years ago at a senior citizens center. Calvin also had good culinary skills and gained fulfillment from preparing meals for his family and friends.

Calvin joined Mt. Calvary U.F.W. Baptist Church some years ago and attended church regularly until he started having health issues. Calvin will be missed by his family and many friends. He leaves behind to mourn his four sisters: Bethenia Gaines, Thelma Hubbard, Rosalyn Hall (James) and Dilcy Hall; four brothers: Robert Lewis (Altonia), John Lewis (Sharon), Ralph Lewis (Velma) and William Lewis; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Submitted in Sorrow,

The Family

Cemetery Details

Springfield Cemetery

121 Springfield Blvd
Springfield Gardens, NY 11413

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **19**. 5:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Grace Funeral Chapels
607 North Conduit Blvd.
Brooklyn, NY 11208
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Funeral Service

OCT **20**. 10:00 AM (ET)

Mt. Calvary United Baptist Church
298 Howard Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11233

Tribute Wall



“ *Calvin C. Lewis*

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