

# ORDER OF Worship

ORGAN PRELUDE

PROCESSIONAL (For Trustees, Deacons & Choir members only)

CLOSING OF THE BIER

OPENING SENTENCES.....Reverend Julius A. Renwick, M. Div., Pastor

HYMN....."When We All Get to Heaven" #594

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Old Testament: Psalm 23

New Testament: John 14:1-6

PRAYER OF COMFORT.....Apostle Rochelle Davis  
*On Fire For Christ Ministry*

HYMN....."Rock of Ages" #559

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

OF CONDOLENCES.....Deaconess Brendella Stephans

OBITUARY

WORDS OF COMFORT OR FAMILY TRIBUTE (optional)

SOLO/HYMN....."Stand".....Joseph Williams

EULOGY.....Pastor Renwick

HYMN....."I'll Fly Away" #600

BENEDICTION

RECESSIONAL....."I'll Fly Away" #600

## Interment

CHELTEN HILLS CEMETERY  
1701 Washington Lane  
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## PALLBEARERS

Anthony Harrell  
Angelo Chisolm  
Tyron Harrell  
Mike Johnson  
Larry Harrell  
Thomas Harrell

## MEASURE OF A MAN

Not, How did he die?  
But, How did he live?  
Not, What did he gain?  
But, What did he give?  
Not, What was his station?  
But, Had he a heart?  
And, How did he play  
his God-given part?  
Not, What was his shrine?  
Nor, What was his creed?  
But, Had he befriended  
those really in need?  
Not, What did the piece  
in the newspaper say?  
But, How many were sorry  
when he passed away?  
Was he ever ready  
with a word of good cheer,  
To bring back a smile,  
to banish a tear?  
These are the units  
to measure the worth,  
Of a man as a man,  
regardless of birth.



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IN LOVING MEMORY OF  
*Sylvester*  
**HARRELL**

*Sunrise*  
MARCH 30, 1953

*Sunset*  
OCTOBER 8, 2023



# Funeral SERVICE

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 20, 2023

Viewing 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM | Service 11:00 AM

**MOUNT EPHRAIM BAPTIST**

2200 W. Tioga Street | Philadelphia, PA 19140

# Sylvester's LIFE STORY

On this day, Sunday, October 8, 2023, our Brother Sylvester Harrell, left this world for a peaceful life with Jesus Christ in his God's Home we pray to be with our mother, Candace Elizabeth Harrell (Fulmore), and our dad, David Harrell. Sylvester is one of nine children (seven sons, and two daughters).

To meet him is to never forget him! He was always trying to lend a hand to someone in need (especially women), he had a soft spot for women with children, and elders could have the shirt of his back. His smile was contagious. When he smiled, you automatically smiled. His smile has been called the "Six Million Dollar Smile".

Sylvester, "Ves" as we lovingly called him, attended Thomas A. Edison High School in North Philadelphia. He signed up for the Service at age seventeen to serve in the United States Marine Corps. Sylvester was extremely proud and committed to serving; he walked tall and proud. He sent letters frequently to his mother. Our mother was so very happy every time a letter arrived - you could see the sparkle in her beautiful brown eyes. Ves had the strength and know-how just like our Dad, whatever needed to get done - Ves could do it!

Sylvester has many nieces and nephews and he had different relationships with each. He also leaves his best friend, Terry O. Sparrow from since about the age of about fourteen. Ves mentioned to his best friend, after he came out of the service, that his life dramatically changed after our mother passed, he also mentioned this to his special friend, Phyllis Sparrow, some years later.

*Lovingly Submitted,  
The Family*

