

Order of Service

- Processional.....Clergy and Family
- Opening Hymn....."I'll Fly Away"
- Scripture Reading.....Old Testament - Psalm 23
Pastor Leonard Washington
New Testament-1 Corinthians 15:51-57
Elder Perry McCant
- Prayer of Comfort.....Pastor Lester Walters
- Musical Selection.....Minister In Training Yaima Shepp
- Remarks.....2 Minutes Please
- Family Remarks.....2 Minutes Please
- Acknowledgment of Cards, Resolutions & The Obituary.....Minster Tonya Nash
- Musical Selection.....HTOD Music Ministry
- Eulogy.....Bishop Dominique Joachim, Sr.
Senior Pastor Holy Temple of Deliverance, Inc.
- Final Remarks & Benediction.....Bishop Dominique Joachim, Sr.
- Recessional.....Clergy and Family

Interment

Cheltenham Cemetery
1701 E. Washington Lane
Philadelphia, PA 19138

When I Go

*When I go
Don't learn to live without me
Just learn to live with my love
In a different way.
And if you need to see me
Close your eyes
Or look in your shadow
When the sun shines
I'm there.
Sit with me in the quiet and you will know
That I did not leave
There is no leaving when a soul is blended
With another.
When I go
Don't learn to live without me
Just learn to look for me in the moments
I will be there.*

(Donna Ashworth)

Pallbearers

Family and Friends

Flower Bearers

Family and Friends

Acknowledgment

The family wishes to extend sincere appreciation for all prayers, cards, emails, calls, and all expressions of sympathy and love shown during this time of bereavement. May God continue to bless each of you is our prayer.



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Celebrating
THE LIFE OF

EVANGELIST

Bernard BLACK

MAY 3, 1942 — JANUARY 21, 2023

Service of Love

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 2023 | 10:00AM

HOLY TEMPLE OF DELIVERANCE
126 W Seymour Street, Philadelphia, PA 19144
Pastor Cheryl Joachim, Officiant
Bishop Dominique Joachim, Sr., Eulogist

LOVED BEYOND WORDS. MISSED BEYOND MEASURE.

His Life & Legacy

With the joy of the Lord, we celebrate the life of Evangelist Bernard Black. Bernard was born in Birmingham, Alabama on May 3, 1942 to Fannie Pearl and Willie Black. At the age of eight, his family moved to Sanford, Florida, where he was raised and educated in the Seminole County school system. Bernard graduated from Crooms High School in Sanford Florida.

In 1965 Bernard moved to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. In 1968 he saw a young lady that he really liked and declared that she would become his wife. It took Bernard twelve years to convince her. On July 31st, 1980, he married Bernice Horton, this blessed union lasted for forty years. That same year Bernard accepted Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior of his life. Under the leadership and training of his Pastor, Bishop Dominique Joachim, Sr., Bernard served as a Minister and Sunday School Teacher until he became ill.

Bernard was employed as a Facility Manager for the Jewish Community Center and as well along with his wife, Bernice were owners of a small business – B&B's Maintenance. For relaxation Bernard liked to bowl, and to play dominoes and checkers. He found great joy in watching football and boxing. To his wife's advantage he loved to cook and fix things around the house. Bernard also loved to travel to any place where there was plenty of water. The scenic views of the oceans and rivers were a great joy to him, often taking a boat ride.

Whether Bernard was in church, in the streets, or in the house, it was his joy to lift up the name of Jesus, and life's circumstances never stopped him from lifting up the name of Jesus, over the last three years due to his illness, he often used the telephone to continue to evangelize and he did it with great joy. Bernard was an encourager, prayer warrior and was always a giver.

Our beloved Bernard leaves behind his wife, Bernice, two sons Steve Black (Jacqueline), and Steven A. Horton. Two grandsons, Tyreik Jones and Steven A. Horton II, two great grandchildren, Taylor Jones and Gabriella Horton, six siblings, Samuel L. Black, David Black (Kathy), Julia Pearl Stewart (Mack), Donnell Black, Dan W. Shellings (Wanda) and Larry E. Black. A host of nieces and nephews, along with several grand and great grand nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents.

Lovingly Submitted,

The Family

