



Always There

*When you remember me, Please do not weep.
My body may not be there. It has chosen to sleep.
I'm not that far away. My soul lives on,
Looking down, watching over, you and everyone.
And when you feel sad and life seems so blue,
Just remember that my spirit has its arms around you.
And on those special days, times that you wish I could see,
That cool breeze flowing past you... Well, that will be me,
So don't be sad. Have no fear. God has taken me under his wing,
But I'll always be near. I still watch you every minute, every day.
My love and soul are with you, and that's where they will stay.*

Acknowledgements

The family of Mr. Jerry Townsend would like to express our sincere gratitude for the many ways in which you have shown your love. Thank you for the visits, phone calls, floral arrangements, the delicious food and most of all your prayers. May His loving kindness and tender mercy shower you in the days ahead! Special thanks to the staff of L.E. Floyd Funeral Home and Cremations. Please continue to keep us in your prayers.

~ The Townsend Family ~

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Homegoing Celebration

*In Loving Memory
of*

Mr. Jerry Townsend

Sunrise

November 09, 1963



Sunset

April 27, 2020

Saturday, May 02, 2020

Two O'clock in the Afternoon

L.E. Floyd Funeral Home Chapel

115 Buie Street – Red Springs, North Carolina 28377

Apostle Moses Townsend, Officiating

The Obituary

During the early hours on Monday, April 27, 2020 God's heavenly angels quietly escorted our beloved Jerry Townsend from labor to reward which is that home not built by hand, but whose make and builder is God.

Jerry Townsend, son of the late Betty Louis Townsend. Jerry was born November 9, 1963 in Brooklyn, New York and departed this earthly life on Monday, April 27, 2020 at Southeastern Regional Medical Center in Lumberton, North Carolina. He was preceded in death by his brother, Mr. Andre Jermaine Townsend and grandparents, Mr. Hector and Mrs. Mary L. Ferguson.

Jerry graduated from Red Springs High School with the Class of 1982. Jerry was known by his friends and family as "Jett, JT Money, and the Shoe man." He was well known for his saying, "You tell them hurry."

Jerry loved his family and they loved him. There was nothing he would not do for them if he could and the smile on his face when he was with them showed how much they meant to him.

He leaves to cherish his memory his father, Malcom Townsend, Sr., one son: Kendall Devon Buie of Fayetteville, NC; three grandchildren: Christopher Buie, Deivon Pouie, and Aaliyah Buie. Four brothers: Malcolm Townsend, Jr. (Rose), Calvin Townsend (Lisa), James Curtis Townsend all of Red Springs, NC and Jeffrey Townsend (Tojuanna) of Louisburg, NC. Four aunts: a very special aunt/mom Hattie Kells, Sallie McCormick, Peggy Ferguson all of Red Springs, NC; Sadie Winston of Fayetteville, NC; Rosa Lee, Virginia Wiggins (Damon), Alberta Townsend of Washington, DC; Rebecca Carthens, Elizabeth Cole of Duffie, NC. Three uncles: James Hector Ferguson, Rev. Moses Townsend and Lavern Townsend (Margie). A fiancé, Cindy McKinnon and three step-children and four grandchildren of Lumberton, NC. His best friend/sister Demetress Holmes Mitts of Lumberton, NC. Two special friends from Philly, PA Brian Palmer (Ski) and Tommy Sally. His protégé, Kentrell Hasty, Jerry Burden, Jr., Kentrell Hasty @ YouTube featuring JTMoney and a host of other relatives and friends.

The Order of Service

Apostle Moses Townsend, Officiating

Prelude.....	Musicians
Processional.....	Ministers & Family
Solo.....	Pastor Stephanie L. McArthur
The Scripture Readings:	
Old Testament.....	Minister
New Testament.....	Minister
Prayer of Comfort.....	Minister
Praise Dance.....	Ms. Jada Kells
Reflections.....	(Please limit to 2 minutes)
Acknowledgements.....	Ms. Shearlie McBryde
~ Obituary read silently ~	
Solo.....	Reverend Lance A. Hair
Eulogy.....	Apostle Moses Townsend
Solo.....	Pastor Stephanie L. McArthur
Recessional.....	



Interment
Community Rest Cemetery
Red Springs, North Carolina