

The Broken Link

We little knew that day, God was going to call your name.
In life we loved you dearly, in death, we do the same.

It broke our hearts to lose you. You did not go alone.
For part of us went with you, the day God called you home.

You left us beautiful memories, your love is still our guide.
And although we cannot see you, you are always at our side.

Our family chain is broken, and nothing seems the same,
But as God calls us one by one, the chain will link again.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

The family of the late **Odell "Bozie" Brooks** wishes to express our sincere appreciation for the many prayers, calls, cards, texts and other acts of kindness shown towards our family during this time of bereavement.

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Always In
Our Thoughts
Forever
In Our *Hearts*

Bozie

Odell Brooks

June 22, 1939 - April 20, 2019

Tuesday April 30, 2019 11:00 a.m.

Perry Funeral Home Chapel
34 Mercer Street • Newark, NJ 07103

Rev. John Baker, Officiant

Always In Our Thoughts

Forever In Our Heart



Odell "Bozie" Brooks

Musical Prelude..... Musician

Processional..... Clergy, Family & Friends

Invocation

Musical Selection

Old & New Testament Scripture

Prayer of Comfort

Words of Reflections

(Please limit to 2 minutes please)

Silent Reading of Obituary.....Music Playing Softly

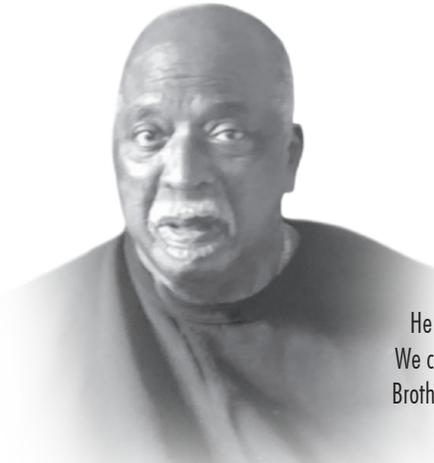
Musical Selection

Message of Hope..... Rev. John Baker

Recessional..... Clergy, Family & Friends

THE INTERMENT

Hollywood Memorial Park
1500 Stuyvesant Avenue • Union, NJ 07083



OUR FATHER OUR BROTHER

Our Father Our Brother was more than just that
He was also our friend. Every time we
Saw him he had a huge grin! He may have been
down to his very last dime but you would never
had known it because he always wore a smile.
He had a very big heart and was always willing to give.
We can truly say without a doubt he was the kind of father,
Brother and friend that we were blessed to have in our lives.

Odell "Bozie" Brooks was born June 22, 1939 in North Carolina to the late Gladys Brooks and William "Bill" Artis. Heavenly angels guided him home on April 20, 2019.

Bozie, as we all called him, worked for 35 years at the Montclair Golf Course in Montclair, NJ as a Greenskeeper.

He moved to Newark, NJ in 1964 at the age of 24 where he later married Rose Marie Rock on August 3, 1968. God blessed Bozie with four children, Bridgette Winston, Eugene L. Brooks, Odell Brooks Jr. and Tisha D. Brooks.

Bozie had a smile that could light up a room and a stature to match. He was loved

and respected by many people. He will be deeply missed yet never forgotten.

Bozie was preceded in death by his three siblings, Virginia Lee Brooks, Vicky Faye Brooks, Delphus Brooks and sister-in-law, Marietta Brooks.

Odell will be remembered by his wife, Rose Marie Brooks, two daughters, Bridgette Winston and Tisha Brooks, two sons Eugene Brooks and Odell Brooks Jr., three sisters Ann Wilcox, Lawanda Carter (Tom) and Robin Brooks, three brothers Harold Brooks, Tyrone Brooks (Agnes) and Angelo "Lope" Brooks, four grandchildren and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.