

Celebrating The Life of



Marvin Junior Newton

Sunrise
October 24, 1947

Sunset
November 14, 2014

Friday, November 21, 2014

Visitation: 10:00 AM

Service: 1:00 PM

PEACE OF MIND FUNERAL HOME

5325 W Greenfield Avenue

Milwaukee, WI 53214

Reverend James Moragne, Officiating

Reflections of Marvin's Life

Marvin Junior Newton was born to Victoria Newton on October 24, 1947 in New Albany, Mississippi. And on Friday, November 14, 2014 he departed this life at Wheaton Franciscan Hospital in Franklin, Wisconsin.

Known as "The Fig", Marvin received his high school diploma from Roosevelt High School in 1965 in Gary, Indiana. Following graduation, he enlisted in the United States Air Force, and while he was stationed in Germany he earned the rank of Senior Airman. Marvin was honorably discharged, after four years of service, and returned to Gary, Indiana, where he earned a Welding Certification and began a career with the U.S. Steel Mill.

On November 22, 1969 Marvin was united in holy matrimony to Castoria Kindred. The two were blessed with a daughter, Kelly Janine Newton. Upon the conclusion of this union, he briefly relocated to Texas in hopes of new beginnings. Always the family man, his stay in Texas was short-lived, as he desired to be closer to family. Marvin returned to the Midwest and established roots in Milwaukee, Wisconsin in 1980.

In 1980, Marvin accepted Christ as his personal savior and joined Mount Moriah Baptist Church where he sang in the choir.

Shortly thereafter, Marvin again found love and united in holy matrimony with Gloristine Lucas on April 18, 1981. They were blessed with two children, Rosalyn Nicole and Marvin Jay Newton, Jr.

Marvin continued his chosen career in welding and machine operating for the next twenty years and was highly respected by his peers. Marvin spent his time enjoying the company of friends and family, watching sports, and lending a hand to those in need. He also took time to mentor and share his wisdom with the young men he encountered. Marvin will be remembered most for his bright smile, humor, and charisma.

Marvin Junior Newton was preceded in death by his mother, Victoria Westland; step-father, Willie Westland; and brother, Joevon Newton. Left to cherish his precious memories are his three children Kelly, Rosalyn, Marvin (Quatisha); five grand-children (Dijah, Dysen, Devin, Jayden and Madisen), five sisters, Eugeneice Kelly, Alicia Ludwig, Lorraine Tipton (Kevin), Venonia Westlan-Pratt (Ralph), Renonia Garrison, one brother, Terrance Westlan; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Order of Services

Prelude "God Has Smiled on Me"
 Processional..... Minister and Family
 Scripture Reading..... Reverend James Moragne
 Prayer..... Reverend James Moragne
 Musical Selection
 Words of Expression..... Please Limit Remarks to 2 minutes
 Reading of Obituary..... To Be Read In Silence
 Musical Selection
 Military Honors Presentation
 Eulogy
 Recessional



Our Gratitude

The Family of Marvin Newton wishes to express our heartfelt gratitude for the flowers, prayers, and other expressions of love so affectionately shown during our time of bereavement. A personal acknowledgement will be made at a later time. Again thank you, may the love of God forever remain with each of you. Please continue to keep us lifted in prayer.

I'm Free

Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free,
I'm following the path God laid for me.
I took his hand when I heard his call,
I turned my back and left it all.

I could not stay another day,
To laugh, to love, to work, to play.
Tasks left undone must stay that way,
I've found that peace at the close of the day.

If my parting has left a void,
Then fill it with remembered joy.
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,
Ah yes, these things I too will miss.

Be not burdened with times of sorrow,
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.
My Life's been full, I savored much,
Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch,

Perhaps my time seemed all too brief,
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.
Lift up your heart and share with me,
God wanted me now, He set me free.



Daddy Loves You

Do not cry for me, for I must go. Heaven waits for me.
I got here fine and oh it's grand, there is so much here
to see. The Father met me at the gate as you watched
with tears in your eyes. You could not see, but
all around were angels by your side.

They told me when I go, they would care for
you. With my body in so much pain it was all
that I could do. I told you before I left I didn't
want to die, but I have never been so happy, so
don't see it as good-bye.

I have no more pain and the love here is great. I
even received a brand new body when I walked
through the gate. So do not weep any more for God is holding my
hand; I'll be waiting for you as you reach the promise land. I
will meet you at the gate when the Father guides you through,
until I see you again remember...

Daddy Loves You.