

'in daddy's arms'

in daddy's arms i am tall

& close to the sun & warm

in daddy's arms

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i can see over the fence out back

i can touch the bottom leaves of the big magnolia tree

in cousin Sulkie's yard

in daddy's arms

in my daddy's arms the moon is close

closer at night time when I can almost touch it

when it grins back at me from the wide twinkling skies

in daddy's arms i am tall

taller than Benny & my friends Ade & George

taller than Uncle Billy

& best of all

i am eye-ball-even-seven with my big brother Jamal

in my daddy's arms

i am strong & dark like him & laughing

happier than the circus clowns

with red painted grins

when daddy spins me round & round

& when the whole world is crazy upside down

i am big and strong & proud like him

in daddy's arms

my daddy

—Folami Abiade

Interment

With Full Military Honors

Monday, March 1, 2021 • 11:30 AM

Washington Crossing National Cemetery

830 Highland Rd. | Newtown, Pennsylvania 18940

A Note of Thanks

We thank you with sincere gratitude and appreciation for your prayers, donations and kind expressions of sympathy extended to us during our time of bereavement. Sincerely, The family

Life Celebration Service



Lloyd Perry

Sunrise

August 24, 1929

Sunset

February 21, 2021

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SERVICE

Saturday, February 27, 2021

Viewing 8:00 AM • Service 10:00 AM

SAINTS MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH

47 S. Warner Avenue, Bryn Mawr, PA 19010

Michael A. Stitt, Senior Pastor/Teacher



The Obituary

Lloyd Perry, 91, of Exton, PA, formerly of Philadelphia, PA, went home to be with the Lord on Sunday, February 21, 2021. Born in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, he was the son of the late Ephraim and Ruth Brown Perry. Lloyd was the beloved husband of Phyllis B. Perry for 64 years, who preceded him in death. Through this beautiful union they had three sons, Rodney Perry (who preceded him in death), Scott A Perry and Steven A. Perry. He served in the United States Army during World War II, until he was honorably discharged. Lloyd received an associate degree in Applied Sciences from the Community College of Philadelphia. He was employed at Philadelphia Electric Company for 40 years until he retired.

Lloyd accepted Jesus Christ as his Lord and Savior at an early age. He was a former member of First Baptist of Salisbury, located in Salisbury Maryland, and Christian Faith Fellowship located in Downingtown, PA. During that time, he faithfully served on the food pantry, usher board, and the pastor's aide ministry. He attended Saints Memorial Baptist Church in Bryn Mawr, PA until his death. One of his greatest joys was listening to jazz, especially the soothing guitar sounds of Wes Montgomery and Pat Metheny. One of his favorite songs of Pat Metheny was, "Tell Her You Saw Me." He will always be remembered in our hearts as a warm, kind-hearted, devoted husband and family man, who provided for his family and loved his wife extraordinarily. He is survived by two sons, Scott A. Perry (Rosalind) of Jessup, Georgia, and Steven A. Perry (Lantrese) of Exton, PA; four grandchildren: Asia Stewart (Caleb), Scott Perry, Jr., Steven A Perry, Jr. (Lauren), and Lauren N. Perry; seven great-grandchildren: Kallen, Khayla, Kamila, Marion, Harper, Rowan, Willow, and many other nephews, nieces, relatives, and friends. In addition to his parents, his wife, and his son he is preceded in death by two brothers, Kenny Perry, Allen Perry, and two sisters, Audrey Perry, and Janet Perry.

Order of Service

Reverend Michael A. Stitt, Officiating

- The Processional *Clergy and Family*
- The Final Viewing
- Opening Sentences *Ministerial Staff*
- Opening Hymn *"Blessed Assurance"*
- Scripture Readings
 - Old Testament* *Palm 91:1-2*
 - New Testament* *Romans 8:35-39*
- Prayer of Comfort *Ministerial Staff*
- Music Selection *Take Me To The King*
(recorded by Tamela Mann)
- Reading of Acknowledgements
and Resolutions *Deacon Michael Coston*
- The Obituary *(Read Silently)*
- Reflections
 - Grandchildren* *Steven Perry, Jr. and Lauren Perry*
- Music Selection *The Lord is My Shepherd - Jeff Majors*
- The Eulogy *Reverend Steven Perry*
- Closing Selection *Oh I Want to See Him*
- Recessional Directives *Ventnor T. Wright,*
Funeral Director
- The Benediction *Reverend Michael A. Stitt*
- The Recessional *Clergy and Family*

