

ORDER OF SERVICE

Processional

Clergy and Family

Opening Hymn

“Holy, Holy, Holy”

Scripture Reading:

Missionary Ruby Allen

Old Testament & New Testament

Prayer of Comfort

Starretha Bell-Williams

Musical Selection:

Brother Joseph Glover

Family Tributes

Remarks (2 min):

Musical Selection:

Brother Joseph Glover

Reading of Life Reflection:

Mrs. Eleanore Pigford

Sermonic Selection:

Brother Joseph Glover

Benediction



THE ONES WE LOVE LIVE IN OUR HEARTS FOREVER

A Father

A light is from our household gone. A voice we loved is stilled, A place is vacant in our home. Which never can be filled. God gave me a beautiful father A father who never grew old. You were always there with a helping hand. Help us now to accept his plan. We miss you now, our hearts are sore. As time goes by, we miss you more. Your loving smile, your gentle face. No one can take my father's place. May the Choirs of Angels receive you and may you have rest and peace everlasting.



your daughter & granddaughter

I miss you, brother

I thought of you with love today, but that is nothing new. I thought about you yesterday and days before that too. I think of you in silence, I often speak your name. All I have are memories and pictures in a frame Your memory is my keepsake with which I'll never part.

Tommasine & Tamika



Acknowledgement

The family of the late Rodney Bumpus wishes to express their heartfelt gratitude for the outpouring of love, support, and sympathy during this difficult time. Your comforting words, kind gestures, and presence have been a great source of strength for us.

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CELEBRATING

The Life Of



Rodney
BUMPUS

OCTOBER 22, 1958- AUGUST 21, 2025

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2530 N Broad Street, Philadelphia, PA 19132

SATURDAY, AUGUST 30, 2025 - 1:00PM

VIEWING 12:00PM

Rodney Bumpus, affectionately known as “Pop,” was born on October 22, 1958, in Philadelphia, PA, to the late Willie Thomas Bumpus and Ardelia Bumpus. On August 21, 2025, after a courageous battle with cancer, Rodney peacefully received his wings. At an early age, Rodney was baptized at the National Temple Church of the Living God. He was educated in the Philadelphia public school system and graduated from Thomas A. Edison High School. Determined and hardworking, **Rodney** went on to earn certifications in both carpentry and masonry. His skill and dedication led him to work with Clifford Durrell Construction and become a proud member of Local 322, during the presidency of Sam Staten. Over the years, **Rodney** held several positions, including roles at Pep Boys, the Sears Roebuck business department, and the American Red Cross, where he ultimately had to step away due to a back injury. His last job, before his health began to decline, was as a repairman for a property company overseeing about 15 apartment buildings. He continued to work with pride and determination until he was physically unable. **Rodney** had a deep love for the simple joys in life. He cherished going fishing with his parents and his brother Robert, and found great pleasure in weekly bowling and breakfast outings with his beloved nephew, who was like a son, Taron Bumpus. A devoted father and grandfather, **Rodney** loved spending quality time with his daughter, Shachale, and his granddaughter, Jayonna.



Even while battling illness, **Rodney** never stopped trying to fix things, always offering a helping hand, no matter how he felt. **Rodney** will be remembered for his big heart, humble spirit, and generous nature. His love for his family knew no bounds, and he was always there when someone needed him. Thoughtful to a fault, **Rodney** gave without hesitation, often putting others before himself.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Ardelia and Willie Bumpus; three brothers, Thomas, Robert, and Gregory; a nephew Robert jr (Pj) three nieces, Nevaeh, Cassetae, and Jimia; and a host of aunts, uncles, and cousins.

Rodney leaves behind a legacy of love, strength, and generosity. His memory will be cherished by his only daughter, Shachale Denine Tally, and his treasured granddaughter, Jayonna Nicole Tally. He is also survived by his two sisters, Tommasine Adams and Tamika Bumpus-Freeman; his favorite nephew and companion, Taron Bumpus; a host of nieces and nephews, great-nieces, great-nephews, cousins and will forever echo in our hearts.

Rodney’s love, laughter, and quiet strength will deeply be missed but never forgotten.

The Family
Interment
Private

