\*Repast will be held immediately following the services at the Bishop C.H. Johnson Fellowship Hall located directly behind the church

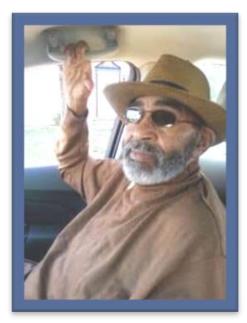
#### Professional Services Entrusted To

Lisa Scott Funeral Home, P.A. 552 Lewis Street Havre de Grace, MD 21078 (410) 939-4940

#### Acknowledgement

The family of the late Vernon Parks, Sr. would like to take this time to express their deep appreciation for your prayers & all acts of kindness shown to them during their time of bereavement. May God continue to bless and keep you in His care.

# Celebration of Life Memorial Service



## Vernon T. Parks, Sr

September 6, 1951-September 8, 2019

Services held at:
Gospel Tabernacle 1<sup>st</sup> Apostolic Faith
Church
330 Superior Street
Havre de Grace, MD 21078

#### Vernon Travers Parks, Sr. was born September

6th, 1951 in Baltimore, Md to the late Paul Edgar Young and Alice Marie Parks. Vernon was raised in Harford County where he attended Harford County Public School & Harford Community College.

Vernon attended Mt Calvary Church at a young age & later became a member of Gospel Tabernacle 1<sup>st</sup> Apostolic Faith Church where he was baptized in Jesus name filled with the Holy Ghost. Vernon's favorite songs was "Jesus Dropped the Charges" This song was a personal testimony for what God had done for him. He thanked God all the time & he would always say the Lord sees everything.

Vernon worked at the Aberdeen Proving Ground for over 10 years as a cook.

Vernon enjoyed fishing, watching tv & listening to music. He loved his family but most of all he loved his grandsons. He had a special relationship with each of them. Vernon loved talking to people. He was a mentor, a great friend & an inspiration to many. He always had a story to tell about something he did or knew.

Vernon was loved by many and leaves to cherish his memory; his 2 daughters Alishia Schofield (Robert) of Havre de Grace, MD; Evangela Parks of Severn MD; 1 Son, Vernon Parks Jr. of North Carolina. 3 grandsons, William & Todd Howard, Dayron Parks; 3 Sisters, Leontine Quant & Sharon Parks both of Florida; Ontranette Parks-Thompson of Aberdeen MD; 1 sister in law, Linda Gibson and a host of nieces, nephews and cousins, and friends as well as special Friends; Shirley Twyman, Wallace Warfield; Clarence Bunn & Sharp

Vernon was preceded in death by his parents Paul Edgar Young and Alice Parks and his 4 brothers; Calvin (Butch) Day Gibson, Gregory Eugene Gibson, Sr., Paul (Vicky) Victor Parks, Edgar (Jerry) Jerome Parks & Michael Theodore Parks.

### "The eyes of the Lord are in every place, beholding the evil and the good." (Proverbs 15:3)

#### Order of Service

Saturday, September 14<sup>th</sup>, 2019 11:30 am Officiating- Sister Sharron Smith

Musical PreludeOrganist
Opening Selection"I Just Want to Praise You"
PrayerEvangelist Linda Gibson
Scripture Reading
Acknowledgments of Cards (Obituary Read Silently)
Selection
Reflections
EulogyElder Harry Lee, Jr.
Benediction

#### Love Lives On

Those we love remain with us for love itself lives on, and cherished memories never fade because our loved one is gone. Those we love can never be more than a thought apart, for as long as there is memory, they'll live within our hearts