

With Love, To Grandpa

SHERQUIANA: *Granddaddy you love towards me was and will always be a tree of love, wisdom, humility, hardworking, riches, and prosperity passed on to me. Thank you for always being there when needed by phone or by visitation of trip via train to get to see you. Like a tree that flourishes whose roots that go down deep into the Earth is your love that is rooted down deep in me.*

ROBERTA: *One of the hardest acts of a grandchild is to bury their Grandparents. I can't express how much I miss you. There will never be another one to replace you and the love I always have for you. I love you, Grandpa.*

LOUISA: *Emerald, you can love so deep like the sea. Just like serenity, Very cheerful and full of life, strong and wise. Miss you forevermore, Grandpa.*

ROY: *I wish that I had more time to get to know my Grandpa how much I really care about him. I love my Grandfather with all my life thank you and stay in God's hands R.I.P. GRANDPA.*

DEDICATION FROM GRANDCHILDREN:
SHERQUIANA, ROBERTA, LOUISA AND ROY

Acknowledgment

Our family wishes to extend its profound and sincere gratitude for the outpouring of love, support and prayers during this difficult time. Through our cherished memories, **LOUIS** will live on in our hearts forever. May we continue to celebrate his life by living freely and with gratitude every single day that we have the ability to take a breath.

Arrangements Entrusted to:



BENTA'S
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Celebration of Life Service



Louis Thomas, Jr.

SUNRISE: AUGUST 26, 1926 - SUNSET: APRIL 22, 2020

Visitation

Friday, May 1, 2020 • 11:00 A.M.

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Interment

CALVERTON NATIONAL CEMETERY

Calverton, New York

Isaiah 53:1-5

NKJV



Who has believed our report? And to whom has the arm of the Lord been revealed? For He shall grow up before Him as a tender plant, And as a root out of dry ground. He has no form or comeliness; And when we see Him, There is no beauty that we should desire Him. He is despised and rejected by men, A Man of sorrows and acquainted with grief. And we hid, as it were, our faces from Him; He was despised, and we did not esteem Him. Surely He has borne our griefs And carried our sorrows; Yet we esteemed Him stricken, Smitten by God, and afflicted. But He was wounded for our transgressions, He was bruised for our iniquities; the chastisement for our peace was upon Him, And by His stripes we are healed.

DEDICATION FROM DESHAWN & SHERQUIANA CLARKE-WIMPY



Obituary

LOUIS THOMAS was born on August 26, 1926 in New York, N.Y. to the late Louis Delancey Thomas and Margaret Watson Thomas. He was baptized as a Christian in the late 1920s by his Mother and Father and the assistance of the Chaplain.

Louis had one sister deceased named Doris Thomas Cauldwell. He had a few nicknames such as Thom, Daddy, Granddaddy, Grandpa, Daddy O and others.

Louis Thomas married Josephine Clarke Thomas which was his love of his life his "Jo." He had four children, Louis "Duke" Thomas deceased, Sheryl Thomas, Margaret Clarke Thomas and Louis "Peanut" Thomas deceased.

Louis served in the USA Army as a Private First-Class Soldier. At aged 19 in the year of 1945 he fought in World War II. At aged 20 in the year of 1946 he fought in the Korean War. He received two Honorable discharges for his service. Louis Thomas found employment at PepsiCo and retired from work as an MTA Bus Operator (driver). Louis Thomas loved listening to Jazz music and he enjoyed playing the Bass.

Louis Thomas lineage is survived by his six Grandchildren Sherquiana Clarke-Wimpy, Roberta Clarke, Louis Clarke, Roy Clarke, Louis Thomas and Lydia Williams. Louis Thomas had six Great Grandchildren Shawn, Donaven, Dai-neshia, Cassandra, Sharif Jr. and Savion. He has left behind a host of family by in-law and friends that will dearly miss him.

