

SERVICE OF THANKSGIVING
For The Life of



REGAL MANLEY JACKSON

March 13th, 1958 – August 3rd, 2023

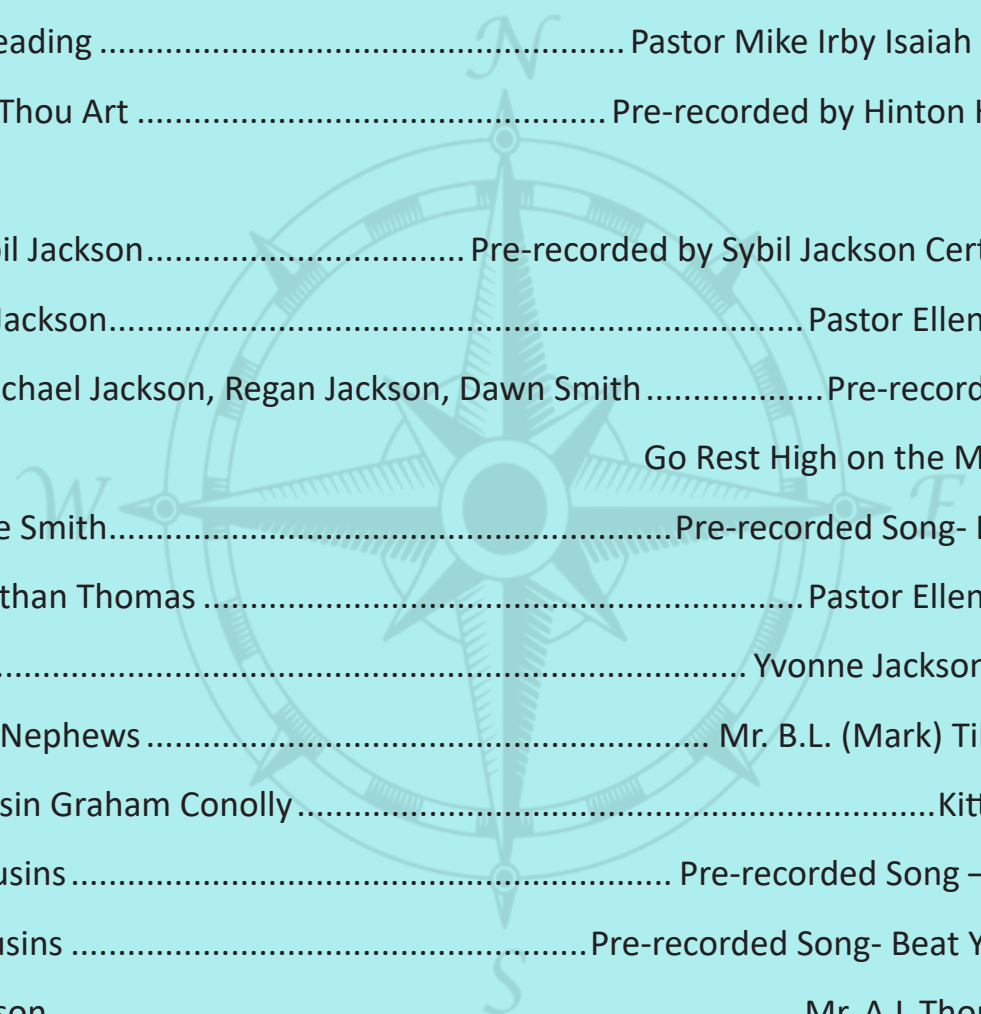
Ashon Ruddy Civic Center
Cayman Brac

Sunday August 27th, 2023
Service 10:30 am

OFFICIATING MINISTER
PASTOR MIKE IRBY
MUSICIAN RAYMOND SCOTT

Interment at the Creek Cemetery

Order of Service



Musical Prelude	Mr. Raymond Scott
Opening Remark.....	Mr. B.L (Mark) Tibbetts JP
Prayer	Mr. B.L (Mark) Tibbetts JP
In The Sweet By & By.....	Congregation (Regal's favorite Song)
Scripture Reading	Pastor Mike Irby Isaiah 41:10/13
How Great Thou Art	Pre-recorded by Hinton H Conolly
Tributes	
Mother Sybil Jackson.....	Pre-recorded by Sybil Jackson Cert. Hon. JP
Wife Carol Jackson.....	Pastor Ellen Peguero
Children Michael Jackson, Regan Jackson, Dawn Smith	Pre-recorded Song- Go Rest High on the Mountain
Son Dwayne Smith.....	Pre-recorded Song- Monsters
Grandson Ethan Thomas	Pastor Ellen Peguero
Siblings	Yvonne Jackson -Walton
Nieces and Nephews	Mr. B.L. (Mark) Tibbetts JP.
Special Cousin Graham Conolly	Kitti Conolly
Jackson Cousins	Pre-recorded Song – My Way
Conolly Cousins	Pre-recorded Song- Beat You There
ALT Thompson	Mr. A.L Thompson Jr.
Cayman Islands Seafarers Association.....	Mr. Delano Bush
	Tolling of the Bell
Regals Life Story	Mr A L Thompson Jr.
Sermon	Pastor Mike Irby
Benediction	Pastor Mike Irby
Recessional.....	Song Pre-recorded -When I Get Where I'm Going

Service Hymn

In the Sweet By and By

There's a land that is fairer than day,
And by faith we can see it afar;
For the Father waits over the way
To prepare us a dwelling place there.

We shall sing on that beautiful shore
The melodious songs of the blessed;
And our spirits shall sorrow no more,
Not a sigh for the blessing of rest.

Refrain: In the sweet by and by,
We shall meet on that beautiful shore;
In the sweet by and by,
We shall meet on that beautiful shore.

To our bountiful Father above,
We will offer our tribute of praise
For the glorious gift of His love
And the blessings that hallow our days.

Pallbearers

Casey Conolly
Graham Conolly
Benton Conolly

Virgil Ebanks
Jeremey Jackson
Graham Rankin

Honorary Pallbearers

Rollin Jackson
George Jackson
Jonathan Jackson
Stewart Conolly
Curtis Conolly
Clayton Conolly
Mackie Whittaker
Curtis Connor
Elvis McKeever
A.L Thompson Jr
Clive Scotland
Neil Dilbert
Nathan Walton
Walter Ebanks

Edward Miller
Burmon Scott
Raymond Scott
Weldon Anderson
Renton Scott
Edward Thompson
Michael Crooks
Kevon Bazil
Steve Billings
Enrique Rankin
Charlie Welds
Alfredo Rojas
Ray Jackson
Ray Hydes

Ushers

Liz Walton-Thompson
Celia Walton
Tricia Conolly
Delano Lazzari
Robin Walton

Guestbook Attendants

Tonia Ebanks
Davina Ebanks

Life Story of Regal Manley Jackson

Regal Manley Jackson was born at the Creek, Cayman Brac, on March 13th, 1958, to parents Frank and Sybil Jackson (nee Conolly). His father, Frank, preceded him in death in 1997. He was the 2nd son and third child of four.

Regal attended Creek Primary School and Cayman Brac High School, and from an early age, he was curious to explore life.

Regal grew up in an era when family, friends, and neighbors were an integral part of your upbringing, and as such, he demonstrated these qualities throughout his life. From a young age, he developed a close bond with his younger sister Yvonne and his Jackson and Conolly cousins. After leaving high school, he would work with his dad in construction and do odd jobs, but he wanted to follow in his dad's footsteps and decided to try life as a seaman. However, he soon realized that he preferred to be on land, and after some time, he returned home. In his later years, Regal joined the Cayman Islands Seafarers Association and attended regular meetings. In 1979, he decided to leave Cayman Brac and seek better opportunities in Grand Cayman, where he lived with his Uncle George and Aunt Pat for a while.

Regal was very ambitious and hardworking; he did his best whatever the job.

While living and working in Grand Cayman, he embraced many work opportunities. These would include working as a meter reader for CUC, working at Hertz Rental Car and Tropicana Tours, managing at Burger King, and for the past 19 years at AL Thompson. In his earlier days, he would also work at Buccaneers Inn and PWD Cayman Brac. His work experience with his dad and Uncle George would also allow him to hone his construction skills, especially carpentry.

In 1980 he met Carol Pars, and they were married in 1986. To this union, two sons, Michael and Regan, were born. Regal would also become a dad to Carol's other two children, Dawn, and Dwayne Smith. Though the marriage would later end in divorce, they remained best friends and continued to care for each other. In fact, Regal always stated she was still his wife because he never signed any divorce papers.

Regal had a unique and infectious personality coupled with some misery and his charismatic smile. He cared a lot for his family, friends, neighbors, work colleagues, and customers at AL Thompson. Regal had a big heart, loved his mother and siblings very much, and was a source of strength and encouragement for them. He always made every effort to be present at important and special family events.

Regal also loved to cook (and eat) but did not care for fast food. He was fun-loving, enjoyed social events, and having a good time. He loved life but hated hospitals. He was also adamant about doing things his way.

Through the years, Regal would occasionally attend Church taking his special grandson Ethan and, at some times, his niece Victoria, and in recent times he attended the Chapel Church of God with his wife, Carol.

Regal passed away suddenly on the morning of August 3rd, 2023, after enjoying a short snorkeling trip with grandson Ethan.

Regal touched so many with his caring, friendly, helpful, and jovial personality.

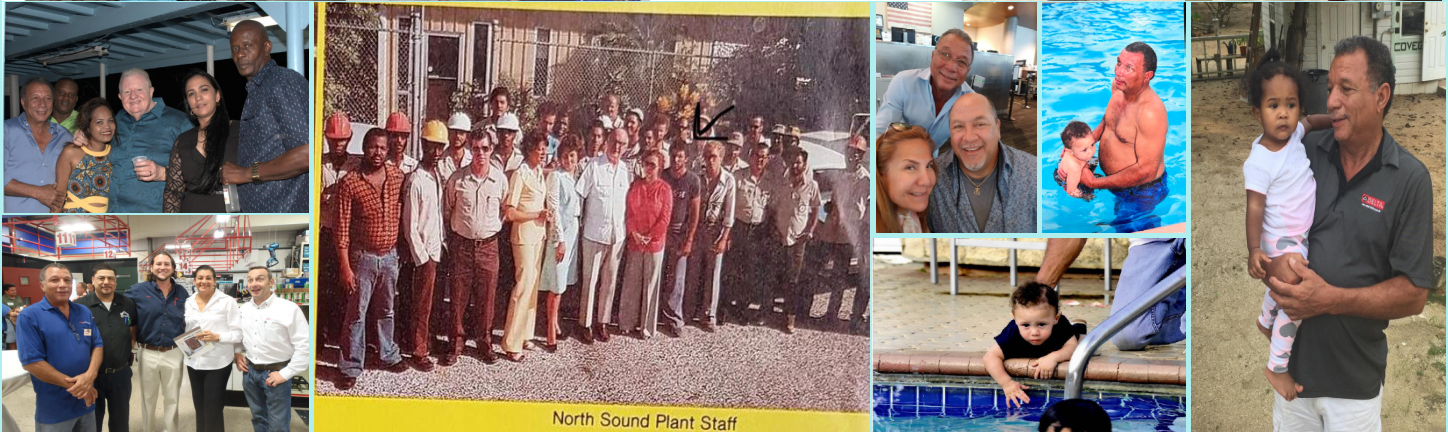
His family, friends, neighbors, and his AL Thompson family will forever miss him.

Left to mourn his sudden passing are:

His mother, Mrs. Sybil Jackson; wife, Carol Jackson; sons Michael and Regan Jackson and Dwayne Smith; daughter Dawn Smith; grandchildren Ethan and Jennelle Thomas, Amber, Reshawn, and Don Smith, great-grandson Taron Smith. Brother Rollin Jackson and sisters Yvette Dilbert and Yvonne Walton: Special Uncle George Jackson, Special cousin Graham Conolly, Aunts, Nephews, Nieces, many cousins, his AL Thompson work family, and a host of other family and friends.

Until we meet In the Sweet By and By.

May his soul rest in eternal peace.



North Sound Plant Staff





GRAVESIDE SERVICE

Opening Remarks Pastor Mike Irby
Prayer Pastor Mike Irby
Committal Pastor Mike Irby
Songs Prerecorded

In the Sweet By & By
Amazing Grace
There you'll be
Precious Memories

Benediction Pastor Mike Irby

Thanks & Acknowledgement

We want to thank our family and friends for their support and comfort during this difficult time.

We would also like to thank Regals AL Thompson family and his work colleagues who demonstrated their love and kindness to him throughout his nineteen years of service and were like his other family.

We would like to acknowledge the Health Services Authority and Health City for their medical care to Regal over the years.

We pray that in whatever way Regal may have touched your life, you will always remember him with a smile.