



## Mr. Desmond Cortez Gonzalez

November 27, 1962 - June 13, 2017

Desmond was born Tuesday, November 27, 1962, in Bridgeton, New Jersey, son of the late Emerito Gonzalez and the late Sylvia Walton Gonzalez.

A graduate of Bridgeton Senior High School, Bridgeton, NJ, Desmond attended welding trade school, a superior training school for heavy equipment. After serving his country in the U. S. Army Reserve, he received an honorable discharge.

Desmond's work history included employment as a bus driver with Boyo Transportation Services, proprietor of a floor buffing/carpet cleaning business, cutting hair as well as working on cars.

His Christian faith was evidenced by his active membership with New Anointed Christian Fellowship Ministries where he served as a Sunday School Teacher.

Having played football in his younger days, Desmond was an avid supporter of the San Francisco 49ers. He was also quite proficient at drawing and sketching.

On Tuesday, June 13, 2017, at fifty-four years of age, at his home in Harrisburg, PA, Desmond transitioned from this life into eternal life. He leaves to lovingly remember and celebrate his life, his wife, Cynthia Everett Gonzalez of Harrisburg, PA; his sisters, Portia Powell, Gladys Gonzalez, both of Harrisburg, PA, Artemis Newman of Bridgeton, NJ; brother-in-law, Jeffrey Powell of Harrisburg, PA; his sons, Desmond Anthony of Phoenix, AZ, Tiyon Johnson of Bridgeton, NJ, Antonio K. Gonzalez of Buffalo, NY, Allan Johnson

of Syracuse, NY, Dallas Johnson of Buffalo, NY, Tracy Lee Robinson of Syracuse, NY, Tyler Robinson of Syracuse, NY; daughters, LaToya K. Johnson of Bridgeton, NJ, Amber Johnson of Syracuse, NY; nineteen grandchildren; the happily anticipated arrival of one great-grandchild; as well as other relatives and friends.

Submitted in Sorrow and Love, The Family

# Previous Events

## Flower Delivery

JUN 27. 8:30 AM - 9:00 AM (ET)

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Harrisburg, PA 17104  
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## Viewing

JUN 27. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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## Service

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“ *The Molineauxs purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Mr. Desmond Cortez Gonzalez.* ”



**The Molineauxs** - June 26, 2017 at 08:12 PM

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“ *Dawn Collins sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Desmond Cortez Gonzalez* ”



**Dawn Collins** - June 26, 2017 at 01:27 PM

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“ *Dawn Collins lit a candle in memory of Mr. Desmond Cortez Gonzalez* ”



**Dawn Collins** - June 26, 2017 at 01:26 PM

RJ

“ *Ronald Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Desmond Cortez Gonzalez*



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**Ronald Johnson** - June 25, 2017 at 04:28 PM



“ *Stacey White lit a candle in memory of Mr. Desmond Cortez Gonzalez*



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**Stacey White** - June 25, 2017 at 04:15 PM

VG

“ *Valerie Griffin lit a candle in memory of Mr. Desmond Cortez Gonzalez*



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**Valerie Griffin** - June 25, 2017 at 02:37 PM