A precious one from us has gone,
A voice we loved is stilled,
A place is vacant in our hearts,
which can never be filled
And after a lonely heartache and
many a silent tear, but always a
beautiful memory of one we
loved so dear.

From his sisters

Pallbearers
JOHNNY UPCHURCH  HUGH HAGEN
JOHNNY COMER  JAMES SCOTT
KLENARD HICKS  LEE CLOUD

Honorary Pallbearers
ED ARENSDORF  ALFRIETA MONAGAN
JOHN BANDRIDGE  DEE MORRIS
WENDY DEUTELBAUM  MARK REED
OZZIE F. DIAZ-DUQUE  FRANCES (BONNIE) ROYSTER
DAVID GREENE  JAMES D. SMEAD
TRACE HAGEN  PETER THORNTON
WANDA HARRIS  LAWRENCE WILLIAMS
CLASSIE HOYLE  MENARD WRIGHT
SUSAN MASK  FRANK MOORER
CAROLE LEVIN  JAY BERRY
JAMES LOCKETT  KOBIE T. COLMON
LAVERN MIDDLETON  ERSKINE PETERS
LARRY SHAPIRO

In Appreciation
The family wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation the
many comforting messages, floral tributes, prayers and many other
expressions of kindness and concerns.

Jonathan Walton, Jr.

September 15, 1945  July 31, 1988
Samedi, August 6, 1988
Visit.: 11:00 A.M.
Funeral: 11:30 A.M.

UNITY FUNERAL PARLORS, INC.
4114 South Michigan Avenue
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Obituary

JONATHAN WALTON, JR., born September 15, 1945, in Chicago, Illinois to the union of the late Jonathan Walton, Sr., and Mrs. Fannie Williams Walton. He made his transition from this life in Chicago on Sunday, July 31, 1988.

He accepted the hope of christianity as a way of life at an early age and remained a faithful disciple until his passing.

In 1962 Mr. Walton graduated from Hyde Park High School in Chicago, Illinois and entered the University of Illinois, Chicago Circle Campus. He received the Bachelor of Arts degree from the University of Illinois in 1968 and completed further study on a Post Baccalaureate Fellowship at Haverford College, the Master of Arts degree from Princeton in 1974 and the Ph.D. from Princeton in 1979.

After joining the faculty of the University of Iowa in 1977 he served a joint appointment in History and the African American World Studies Department. During his 11 years at Iowa he became a vital and vibrant force in the University community. Until his transition he was an active scholar and dedicated confidant to many. Along with holding active membership on University committees he was a member of the African American World Studies Programs, the Iowa NAACP, Helen Lennie Reading Group, Iowa City Cedar Rapids Reading Club, American Historical Association, Association of Social and Behavioral Science, National Conference of Black Studies Organization of American Historians and Southern Historical Association.

He leaves to mourn his transition and cherish his memory, his mother, Mrs. Fannie Williams Walton; three sisters, Mrs. Velma Comer, Ms. Addie Walton and Mrs. Sherianne Hicks; aunts and uncles, Linnetta and Charles Rosby, Katie Allen, Beatrice Walton all of Chicago, Lillie Walton of Memphis, Tennessee, Charlie Walton and Pinkie Walton of Memphis, Benjamin and Juanita Williams of Los Angeles, California, and The Rev. Prince and Alberta Williams, Jr. of Detroit, Michigan; nieces and nephews, Sheila and Jackson Sole, Teresa Comer, Johnny Comer, Sherri Comer, Tina Comer and Kienard Hicks all of Chicago and a large number of other close relatives and friends too numerous to list them all by name.

May the angels lead you into Paradise
May the martyrs await your coming
and escort you to Jerusalem.
the new holy city of heaven
May the choirs of angels welcome you
and with the poor man Lazarus, no longer poor
May you enjoy eternal rest.

Humbly submitted,
The Family

Order Of Service.

Officiating, The Reverend Prince A. Williams, Jr.
God’s Kingdom of Prayer
Detroit, Michigan

ORGAN PRELUDE ........................................... Barbara Boyle
PROCESSIONAL

SCRIPTURE ............................................. St. Matthew 17:5
Isaiah 9:6

PRAYER ............................................. Rev. Solomon Jenkins

SOLO .................................................. "He Ain’t Heavy" Niambi Webster

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

OBITUARY ............................................. W. H. Knight

SOLO ............................................. "This Little Light of Mine" Lee Cloud

REMARKS (5 minutes each)
Faculty - University of Iowa .......... Malcolm J. Rohrbough
Melba Joyce Boyd
Former Students ......................... Ciemea Hudson
Doby McPherson
Friends ........................................... Mary Arnold (Iowa)
Macon Wilson (Chicago)
EULOGY ............................................. Rev. Prince A. Williams, Jr.

SOLO .................................................. Lydia Jenkins

BLESSINGS OF REMAINS ................. Rev. Williams, Jr.

BENEDICTION ....................................... Rev. Jenkins

RECESSONAL

ORGAN POSTLUDE .................................. Barbara Boyle

INTERMENT

RESTVALE CEMETERY
Immediately following the services
Mr. Norman J. Williams, Vice President-Funeral Director