



Herman Napoleon

January 8, 1964 - January 15, 2022

Herman Napoleon was known to many as COCOMO or Joe. He was born January 8, 1964 in New Haven, CT. The 8th child out of the union of Harris and the late Pearlie Mae Napoleon. Herman departed this life on Saturday, January 15, 2022.

Herman attend the old Iuy Street Elementary School, later Edward Street School, East Rock Junior High School and Wilbur Cross High School all in New Haven, CT. Herman was a fun loving guy, loved by everyone who knew him especially his family. Whenever he was around friends and family, we knew it was never going to be a dull moment. To his many friends he was COCOMO or Joe but to his family he was Herman, our baby brother.

Herman was preceded in death by his Mother Pearlie Mae Napoleon and sister RiseAnne Napoleon. He leaves to cherish his memory nine children: Chanel Newell of Tampa, FL, Antonio Newell of Atlanta, GA, Capri Burnett of Ansonia CT, Jonathan Green of Atlanta, GA, Rozanna Hermisha Allen of New Haven, CT, Jefferey Thompson of New Haven, CT, Danelle Williams of Waterbury, CT, Shane Walter of sisters; Reginald Napoleon, Pearlestine (Willie) Boyd, Deborah (John) Belcher, Cassandra Napoleon, Waldo Napoleon, Jonathan Napoleon, Gail Molly, and a host of nieces, nephews and cousins.

Cemetery Details

Hamden Plains Cemetery

Hamden, CT

Previous Events

Calling Hours

JAN 26. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Ebenezer Chapel
50-56 Dwight St.
New Haven, CT 06511

Funeral Service

JAN 26. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Herman Napoleon*

October 09, 2023 at 06:14 AM



“ *Our sincere condolence to the family, Darnell & Lynda Freeman*



Lynda Boykin Freeman - January 27, 2022 at 01:31 PM



“ *I would like to send my condolences to the family for lost in this time of bereavement, May God with you.*

Mark Brandon - January 26, 2022 at 02:03 PM



“ *Condolences to the Napoleon Family, Praying for your comfort, strength and peace in knowing Herman is Safe in His Arms! Hallelujah! Love Joanne Scales and Family*



Joanne Scales - January 26, 2022 at 09:25 AM



“ *Sending my sincerest sympathy for your loss. May Herman rest in peace.*

*Love your cousin,
DonnaMarie Barber*

DomnaMarie Barber - January 25, 2022 at 07:14 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Herman Napoleon.*



January 25, 2022 at 01:28 PM



“ *I would like to share this with the Napoleon family that I learned when I was among the Jews.*

When I die give what's left of me away to children and old men that wait to die.

And if you need to cry, cry for your brother walking the street beside you.

And when you need me, put your arms around anyone and give them what you need to give me.

I want to leave you something, something better than words or sounds.

Look for me in the people I've known or loved, and if you cannot give me away, at least let me live in your eyes and not in your mind.

You can love me best by letting hands touch hands, and by letting go of children that need to be free.

Love doesn't die, people do.

So, when all that's left of me is love, give me away.

Dahlila Hampton

Dahlila Hampton - January 25, 2022 at 12:55 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Herman Napoleon.*



January 24, 2022 at 11:16 PM



“ *Love Always, Chanell, Madlyn and Antonio purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Herman Napoleon.*



Love Always, Chanell, Madlyn and Antonio - January 24, 2022 at 04:54 PM



“ *My condolences to the Napoleon family. May God give each and everyone the strength in mind, heart and spirit to get through this time of bereavement of Herman.
My thoughts and prayers are with the family.*

Dahlila Hampton

Dahlila Hampton - January 24, 2022 at 11:06 AM



Herman gave me two beautiful children Chanell & Antonio Newell, I love the Napoleon Family my heart hurts I couldn't be there but I pray that God continues to wrap His loving arms around the entire family. Fire earth has no sorrow that Heaven cannot heal. I'm down here praying for comfort. Rest now Cocamo I'll love you forever! (Yvette)

Jocelyn Fagan - January 26, 2022 at 10:45 AM