



## Johnnie Telfair

August 19, 1950 - September 1, 2021

### OBITUARY for THE LATE DEACON JOHNNIE TELFAIR

Johnnie Telfair was born on August 19, 1950 in Pompano Beach, Florida to the Late John and Nella Telfair. He attended school in the Broward County School System and graduated from Blanche Ely High School with the Class of 1970.

Johnnie worked for many years as a Pool Finisher until his health no longer allowed him to perform his job duties.

On August 24, 1975, he married Gloria Tucker. To this union three children were born: Tamara, Tifanie and Travis.

Johnnie loved attending church. He started attending Thomas Temple Church of God in Christ as a child under the leadership of the Late Elder Charlie Thomas. He continued to serve under the leadership of the Late Elder Robert Lee Robinson and the current pastor, Elder Jamal Robinson. At Thomas Temple, Johnnie attended Sunday School on a regular basis. He was a member of Choir #2 where he led several songs, including "On My Way Home" which was one of his favorites. In addition, he was a dedicated and faithful member of the Senior Usher Board for over 30 years. On December 31, 2020, he was appointed as a Deacon by his pastor, Elder Jamal

Robinson. Johnnie served faithfully at Thomas Temple Church of God in Christ for over fifty years until his demise on September 1, 2021.

He leaves to mourn his passing, his wife: Gloria Telfair; three children -Tamara (Whims) Lesperance of Chicago, IL., Tifanie Telfair and Travis Telfair of Pompano Beach, Fl.; two brothers- Andrew(Charlene) Telfair of Pompano Beach, Fl and Jacob Telfair of Albany, GA.; four sisters- Pamela Telfair of Pompano Beach, Fl., Sandra (Bernard) Fulmore, Mary (Greg)Sheppard and Shirley Telfair-Burger of Fort Lauderdale, Florida; eleven grandchildren, a host of nieces, nephews, grand nieces and nephews, other family and friends. His memory will always be in our hearts.

# Cemetery Details

## Westview Cemetery

NW 18th Ave  
Pompano Beach, FL 33069

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP **10**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Thomas Temple Church of God in Christ  
516 NW 16th Ave  
Pompano Beach, FL 33069

## Service

SEP **11**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Johnnie Telfair*

September 27, 2023 at 05:27 AM



“ *ED PHILLIPS purchased the Simply Elegant Spat hiphyllum for the family of Johnnie Telfair.*



**ED PHILLIPS** - September 10, 2021 at 11:16 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Johnnie Telfair.*



September 09, 2021 at 06:10 PM



“ *3 files added to the album Memories Album*



**L.C. Poitier Funeral Home** - September 09, 2021 at 12:55 PM



“ 5 files added to the album *Memories Album*



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**L.C. Poitier Funeral Home** - September 08, 2021 at 05:13 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray* was purchased for the family of *Johnnie Telfair*.



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September 06, 2021 at 11:49 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of *Johnnie Telfair*.



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September 06, 2021 at 10:39 AM

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“ With our dad at one of his favorite spots...Thomas Temple COGIC  
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Tamara Lesperance - September 06, 2021 at 09:31 AM

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Tamara Lesperance - September 06, 2021 at 09:28 AM

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“ Raina lit a candle in memory of Johnnie  
Telfair



Raina - September 05, 2021 at 11:56 PM