



Charles Onayo

June 9, 1932 - September 1, 2013

Charles Onayo was born June 9, 1932 in Chicago, Illinois to the union of John and Mary Francis Onayo.

Chee, as he was affectionately known, was raised in the Morgan Park neighborhood by Walter and Flora Shelton. He attended Shoop Elementary and Morgan Park High Schools. After graduating high school, he enlisted in the United States Air Force.

Chee was known for his morning routine of reading his daily newspaper, while enjoying a breakfast of hot tea and buttered French bread.

On the morning of September 1, 2013, Chee fell asleep in death. He was preceded in death by his grandson, Derrick Hill and his beloved wife, Willa Wiley-Onayo.

Chee leaves to cherish his memories, his children, Linda, Bridgette, Charles (Carter), Ali, Cheemika, Cynthia, Ginger, John (Chip); a niece, Chiquita Watson; 21 grandchildren; 29 nieces and nephews; and a host of great grandchildren, other relatives and friends.

Previous Events

Service

SEP **26**. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Charles Onayo*

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“ *Isaiah 25:8 He will actually swallow up death forever, and the Sovereign Lord Jehovah will certainly wipe the tears from all faces.*

Gail McGrew - September 24, 2013 at 07:00 AM