## Order of Service

Processional

Scripture Reading .......Minister Julius Paden
Christian Development Center

Prayer ...... Dr. Kim C. Anderson, Pastor
New Beginnings Missionary Baptist Church

Selection ...... Bethel Baptist Institutional Choir

Reflections ....... Minister Bernard Tyler
Rhodesia Butler
Penny Dickerson

Celebratory Tribute ...... "Lean On Me"

Attitudes Performing Arts

Words of Comfort ...... Elder Robert Dotson Bethel Baptist Institutional Church

Recessional

#### Farewell My friends

It was beautiful as long as it lasted, the journey of my life. I have no regrets whatsoever, save the pain I'll leave behind. Those dear hearts who love and care, and the strings pulling at the heart and soul. The strong arms that held me up, when my own strength let me down. At every turning of my life, I came across good friends, friends who stood by me, even when the time raced me by. Farewell, farewell, my friends, I smile and bid you goodbye. No, shed no tears for I need them not, all I need is your smile. If you feel sad do think of me, for that's what I'll like when you live in the hearts of those you love, remember then you never die.

### Expressions of Gratitude

We are thankful for all the expressions of love received during our loss. It has lessened the hurt, and filled our days with laughter, comfort and strength. May God continue to bless you as you have blessed us.

-The family of the late Vincent Jarrot Brown

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## Vincent Jarrot Brown

August 18, 1962— April 5, 2015

Service

1:30 PM, Saturday, April 11, 2015

Samuel C. Rogers Jr. Memorial Chapel

4315 N. Main Street, Jacksonville, Florida 32206 Elder Robert Dotson, Officiating

### Obituary

Vincent Jarrot Brown was born on August 18, 1962 in Jacksonville, Florida to Jennie Singleton and Claude Brown. He graduated from Jean Ribault Senior High School, Class of 1980, where he was an active band member. Vincent attended Edward Waters College, where he sang in the choir. Vincent also a member of Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc.

Vincent always had a natural talent for performing and was a self taught dancer. He was crowned Mr. Black Jacksonville in 1982. At the age of 22, he studied with the prestigious Alvin Ailey in New York City and the Philadanco Ballet Company in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. After returning to Jacksonville, Florida, Vincent began making a name for himself in the arts. He then became an instructor at Attitudes Performing Arts Studio, where he ended his career.

Vincent was preceded in death by his grandmothers, Alice Nelson and Louise Quarterman; his biological father, Claude Brown and uncle, James Brightman, Sr.

Vincent leaves to cherish his memories, his parents, Jennie and Isadore Singleton, II; siblings, Victor(Kena) Brown, Isadore Singleton, III and Jevial Allen; aunt, Mamie Brightman; nieces, Kevicia Brown and Adonia Dinish; nephews, Victor Brown, II, Isadore Singleton, IV, Edward Dinish, II, and a host of cousins, other relatives and friends.

### ~Fighting To Victory~

The struggle was real. You were always rebellious toward tradition, in a constant tug of war between the world's ideas and your own, but determined to create your own rendition; and I believe that's what made you strong. The battle was sometimes a war of words, spitting venomous opinions, trying to oppress you into conceding, but the victory was always yours. When faced with difficult decisions. It takes courage to take the path less traveled, Facing the fears of judgment and rejection, but you attacked them head on, with your own standard of perfection. Now, the gloves are off and you fought a good fight my brother, I looked on with eyes of amazement. Giving up was just not an option for you, a non negotiable arrangement. We all know, it was time to let go. We all know, you are dancing in glory. We all know, you are singing His praises, no more suffering, no more worry.

Jevial Allen, sister



