

## Obituary 2014

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Play this in the cemetery  
Am I ready to pay my respects? Born ready  
Hit your friends on social media, hurry  
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Maya Angelou, words can't describe  
I know how a caged bird sing, still I rise  
Born April 4th, 1928  
St. Louis, Missouri, destined to be great  
Silenced by molestation as a child  
She used her silence to study books for a while  
Author, poet, dancer, actress, singer  
Fifty honorary degrees, director, leader  
The cause of her death, natural causes  
Her voice defended our culture, she was flawless  
Joan Rivers, comedian, actress  
Right under Johnny Carson, that's what she practiced  
Born June 8th, 1933  
Brooklyn, New York, went to college in CT  
The Fashion Police, she was charismatic  
The cause of her death, surgery ended tragic

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Big Bank Hank, a pioneer for real  
Member of the legendary group, Sugar Hill  
Born January 11th, 1956  
Bronx, New York, a place it never forgets  
First hip-hop act to have a crossover single  
Rapper's Delight, they made the pop charts mingle  
The cause of his death, kidney failure, cancer  
Why? Only God know the answer  
Rubin Carter, a boxer known to bang  
Better known in the ring as The Hurricane  
Born May 6th, 1937  
Clifton, New Jersey, soon to be a legend  
Had a promising career, his future got stripped  
Did 20 years for a crime he didn't commit  
The cause of his death, prostate cancer  
Why? Only God know the answer

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Robin William, comedian, actor  
The art of making other people laugh, he mastered  
Born July 21st, 1951  
Chicago, Illinois, the place he was from  
Started comedy as child in interviews he mentioned  
He made his mother laugh so he can get attention  
Academy Award for Best Supporting Actor  
Emmy Awards, Golden Globes, he racked up

The cause of his death, committed suicide  
Take it one day at the time, words of the wise  
R.I.P. Ruby Dee  
R.I.P. Earl Hayes  
R.I.P. Stephanie Mosley  
Hope your journey can bring you some better days  
R.I.P. Casey Kasem  
R.I.P. Eric Garner  
R.I.P. Mike Brown  
No justice, no peace, let's go harder  
2014 obituary, I swear  
I hope I don't have to do this again next year