(LITTLE) BOBBY JAMES HUTTON

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We gather here today in this land
where all Human Rights for all
are non-existing evil intentions,
the mirror of society,
in the continuous highway of Life
reflecting the same hopes and frustrations
that we have expected for too many generations.
Finding the cup half-filled with empty promises,
we forget our past is re-lived when
it is not remembered.
Planning the journey from the present back to the past,
we wonder why we have arrived at the same gate,
halfway through the same journey,
walking with good intentions,
weighing nightmares against dreams,
with aspirations denied,
progressions detoured,
tasting the knowledge of common sense
and searching for the thread of existence.
In the process of translation
our history continues to be
hidden in the velvet folds of oppression.
We, the Chosen People,
can not do any less than
fulfill the Ancestor's prophecy
of our greatness

1.
Stumbling in the direction of Life, first determining to live through the Middle Passage then to survive the de-humanizing of chattel slavery auctions, bullwhips, picnics and war. Marching on through boycotts, demonstrations, riots and political promises. Stepping around integration, redlining, community meetings about unemployment, health issues and gentrification.

Our heroes rise from the neighborhoods Young, out spoken, and conscience with the balance between frustration and regret, necessity developing the keen minds of genius but political promises continue to be contradictions.

Our youth offered ROTC as an alternative to court justice while the State prison becomes an industry. Driving while Black makes computers a weapon. Crowded classrooms are propped-up with failure. Communities sleep with toxic contamination and all the stereotypes that justifies selected persecution.

Stepping with caution Young teens understand their identities are simply computer printouts declared by Rules of Society denying self-definition. And the slogan, No Child Left Behind has new meaning for our youth without adult credentials 2.
Halfway in the journey of yet another circle of Life, necessity developed the keen minds of genius in the vision of the Black Panther Party knowing the difference between freedom and being free.

The need for change was in the visions and strategies of what has to be. The 10 point programs of Marcus Garvey's Negro Improvement Program of Steve Biko's South African Students Organization of Dr. Huey P. Newton's Black Panther Party are all through our story.

The Black Panther Party began and is remembered as a grass-roots organization serving and educating the people witnessed and documented circumstances and situations born from observation and determination.

The programs it started continue under other names Shoes, food, clothing, and a health clinic all free So the student could walk firmly into achievement with the subsistance to help them learn. The Youth Institute teaching to the un-taught the vital neccessities of education to strengthen the community.

3.
And, Little Bobby Hutton, Treasurer, young, outspoken and conscience using the sling-shot against Golitah, earned his respect and immortality. His memory lasts longer than his life an example of personal truth with value and purpose

Just as Aesop educated with his Fables exposing confidential lies and public secrets, Mumia's notes predict the agenda on the Program for the New American Century and Gil Scott Heron is still telling you it won't be televised!
In the Spirit of our youth stepping to the rhythm of pride Before the journey is completed for our future Conscienceness, Pride, Unity and our Youth waits at the crossroads knowing Power Is In Unity!

POWER TO THE PEOPLE!