

Tomorrow

*When tomorrow starts without me
And I'm not there to see,
If the sun should rise and find your eyes
All filled with tears for me.*

*I wish so much you wouldn't cry
The way you did today
While thinking of the many things
We didn't get to say.*

*I know how much you love me.
As much as I love you,
And each time that you think of me
I know you'll miss me too.*

*But when tomorrow starts without me,
Please try to understand,
An angel came and called my name
And took me by the hand,*

*And said my place was ready,
In Heaven far above,
And that I'd have to leave behind
All those I dearly love.*

*But when I walked through Heaven's gates,
I felt so much at home.
When God looked down and smiled at me,
From His great golden throne.*

*He said, "This is eternity,
And all I've promised you"
Today your life on earth is past,
But here it starts anew.*

*I promise no tomorrow,
But today will always last,
And since each day's the same way
There's no longing for the past.*

*So when tomorrow starts without me,
Don't think we're far apart.
For every time you think of me,
I'm right here in your heart.*

Acknowledgement

*During a time like this we realize how much our Family & Friends mean
to us. Your expressions of kindness will always be remembered.
God bless you.*



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*Homegoing Service
In Loving Memory of*

Ms. Debra E. Morgan

*Sunrise
June 22, 1961*

*Sunset
July 8, 2011*



Service

Monday, July 18, 2011 - 10:00 a.m.
NEW MOUNT ZION BAPTIST CHURCH
171 W. 140th Street
New York, NY 10030

Dr. Carl L. Washington, Jr. Pastor - Officiating

Obituary

A Time for Everything - Reflections of life

To everything there is a season, and a time to every purpose under the heaven

Ecclesiastes 3:1

A Time to be Born

Ecclesiastes 3:2

Debra (Debbie) Elizabeth Morgan was born on June 22, 1961 to Samuel and Ruth Morgan both who have preceded her in death. She was the only child born of this union and Debbie was the apple of “Morgan’s” eye. At the time, Debbie was born she had two older sisters, (Jean who is deceased) and Sharon Newsome. At an early age, she frequently attended mass at St. Marks Roman Catholic Church in Harlem. She attended St. Marks Catholic School and St. Aquinas High School from which graduated in 1979. While attending High School, Debbie was a member of the prestigious All City-Wide Chorus and performed at Carnegie Hall in concert. It was a memorable achievement in Debbie’s life. She was also active in the Mt. Calvary United Methodist Church Youth Group under the loving and watchful eye of “Papa” Joe Turner. They loved each other like father and daughter and are now together once again. During these years Debbie helped raise her sister’s children. She was a loving and devoted aunt to her nieces and nephews and often sacrificed her own free time to help care for them.

A Time to Live

Isaiah 38:16

During these teenage years, Debbie met Charles, who would become the love of her life, father of her two children and her husband in every sense of the word. She was also the love of his life and he was devoted to her. They made a good life and shared many good memories together. His unwavering love, care and support helped Debbie during the most difficult time in her life. Charles, the rest of us who loved her thank you!

A Time to Serve

Galatians 5:13 & St. Matthew 9:38

*Following her graduation from St. Aquinas High School, Debbie completed one (1) year at Pace University. However, she decided to put her education on hold to begin a career that would lead to a position with the Sony Entertainment Group. Debbie was a dedicated employee for nineteen years and well-liked by her co-workers. Debbie may have been small in stature, but she was **big** at heart and a very giving person. She also had a **lot** of heart and spunk! She was truly Ruth Morgan’s daughter! Even during her illness she fought a brave fight without a single complaint. Most importantly, she never gave up hope and we never gave up on her. But she finally said she was “tired”, and the Lord called her home to rest early Friday, July 8, 2011. She was the epitome of a strong Black woman in many ways. Debbie loved her family, a good party, the beach, seafood, bus outings and SHOES! She loved to laugh and she enjoyed life. Those who knew her were blessed to have done so and will treasure the memories. Her spirit is at rest with our Lord Jesus Christ and forever in our hearts.*

A Time to Die

Ecclesiastes 3:2

Debbie Elizabeth Morgan fought a good fight. Debbie slipped quietly from our presence on early Friday morning July 8, 2011 at King’s Harbor and leaving behind her earthly labor. Now, there is a void and emptiness in our hearts.

A Time to Mourn

Ecclesiastes 3:4

Debbie leaves to cherish her memory: her devoted “husband”, Charles Frails of New York, NY. Her loving children, Destiny Morgan and Devin Frails both of New York, NY. Grandsons, Brandon Boaster and Landon Boaster both of New York, NY. Her sister, Sharon Newsome, of New York, NY. Nieces, Michelle Russell, Earlene Hayde, Kizzy Swain and Dasheen Bowen all of New York, NY. Nephews, Lamont Peterson of Upstate, NY, Marvin Poole and James Felder both of New York, NY. Cousin, Ezel Johnson of New York, NY. Step-sons, Charles Edward Frails III (Mooch) of New York, NY, Eric Frails and Errol Frails both of Wilson, NC. Sister-in-law, Ernestine Geter of Cleveland OH., God daughters, Whitley Giles and Desiree Deliazard. God sons, Terry Telfair and Ferdinand Nunnery both of New York, NY. Life-long friend, Shenetta Turner-Smith and her husband, Gregory Smith of South River, NJ and good friend Crystal Hulin and her husband, Herman Hulin of Bronx, NY. Special Aunt, Shirley McFarlan and Special Cousin, Renee McFarlan. Also a host of great nieces, nephews, cousins, family and friends.

*Lovingly and Respectfully Submitted,
The Family*

Order of Service

Family Processional

Solo “Amazing Grace”

Scripture Reading Renee McFarlan-Brown

Old Testament: Psalms 37:23-25

New Testament: Matthew 11:28

Solo “His Eye is on the Sparrow”

Prayer of Comfort Sophie Felder

Remarks

Acknowledgement of Condolences

Obituary Shenetta Turner-Smith

Solo “I Won’t Complain”

Tribute from the Family Michael Watts

Eulogy Dr. Carl L. Washington, Jr. Pastor

Final Viewing

Committal

Benediction

Recessional

Interment
Ferncliff Cemetery
Hartsdale, New York

Repast immediately following Interment:
St. Marks Social Hall located at 65 W. 138th Street, New York, NY 10037.