

*In Loving Memory of*



*Sandra Denise Everett*

**Sunrise**

*July 9, 1959*

**Sunset**

*September 30, 2011*

Thursday, October 6, 2011 - 11:00 a.m.

**COTTON FUNERAL SERVICE**

130 Main Street • Orange, New Jersey



*To Those Whom I Love  
And Those Who Love Me*

*When I am gone, release me, let me go  
I have so many things to see and do  
You mustn't tie yourself to me with tears  
Be happy that we had so many years.  
I gave you my love, you can only guess  
How much you gave me in happiness  
I thank you for the love you each have shown  
But now it's time I travel alone  
So grieve for a while for me if you must  
Then let your grief be comforted by trust.  
It's only for a while that we must part  
So bless the memories within your heart  
I won't be far away, for life goes on  
So if you need me, call and I will come  
Though you can't see me or touch me, I'll be near  
And if you listen with your heart you'll hear  
All my love around you so soft and clear  
And then, when you must come this way alone  
I'll greet you with a smile and say,  
"Welcome Home."*

## *Reflections of Life*

**Sandra Denise Everett** was born to the late William H. Everett and Lydia Ferrell on July 9, 1959 in Mapleton, NC. Sandra was the middle child of five children.

At an early age, the family relocated to Orange, NJ where she started and completed her education in the Orange School system. As she grew up and matured into a beautiful youngwoman she bore three “Crazy” but beautiful children that she so deeply loved.

She began her working career as a food service aide with the Orange School system that she enjoyed deeply.

“**Nisey**” as she was so affectionately called brought fun and laughter to everyone that she crossed paths with. The Laughter and Love she showed towards others and most of all her presence will be so deeply missed.

Sandra impacted the lives of every child she came in contact with whether through her own nieces and nephews or babysitting which became one of her favorite things to do.

While enduring many life struggles she found her way to the Broadway House in Newark, NJ where she met and formed loving and lasting relationships as well as a one on one relationship with God.

When departing from Sandra she would always say “**LUH-U**”.

Sandra was preceded in death by her step-mother, Joanne Everett, sisters, Deborah Everett and Lorena Wright, nephews, Shuntez and De-Juan Everett and her great-nephew, Amir Phelps.

She leaves to cherish her memories: three children, Keisha Everett-Vann (Efrem), Rajaun Everett and Duquan Everett; four grandchildren, Jasmine, Semaj, Elijah and Efrem, Jr.; step-father, James Ferrell; four sisters, Linda Everett, Tracey Phelps, Tina and Schermelle Wright; three brothers, Suliamann Everett, Cortez Wright and Mark Tyree; and a host of nieces, nephews, family and friends.



# Homegoing Order of Service

- Processional ..... Clergy & Family
- Musical Selection ..... Pavielle Gordon
- Scripture Reading ..... Cortez Wright  
Old Testament Psalm 90:1-12  
New Testament St. John 14:1-6
- Words of Comfort ..... Sonji Holmes
- Musical Selection ..... Pavielle Gordon
- Obituary ..... Shamil Roberts
- Remarks & Reflections (2 min each)
- Eulogy ..... Linda Gaden  
*Spiritual Coordinator/Chaplain - Broadway House*
- Recessional ..... Clergy & Family

**Interment**

Evergreen Cemetery  
Hillside, New Jersey

*Following the interment the family invites you to join them for a repast at  
98 High Street, Community Room, Orange, NJ 07050.*



### *Acknowledgement*

The family of **Sandra Everett** would like to thank you for your love, prayers and all who have extended their support and acts of kindness during their time of bereavement. God bless you all for your thoughtfulness and concern.

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