

Celebration of Life for



Sunrise
April 27, 1931

Sunset
February 11, 2012

Helena L. Rhone Willis

Thursday, February 16, 2012 - 11:00 a.m.

ETERNITY FUNERAL SERVICE

129 Engle Street • Englewood, New Jersey

Dr. Lester W. Taylor Jr., Officiating

Organist, Bryant Crockett

Reflections of Life

Helena L. Rhone was born in Hawkinsville, Georgia on April 27, 1931 and was the only child of her late parents, Willard Preston Rhone and Jessie Mae Harper.

Helena migrated to Harlem, NY in 1946 as a small child along with her mother and her mother's first cousin, Ella Lou Scott.

During her teen years, she formed a very strong bond with her cousins, Anne Whitehead Rafra Jackson and the late Bernice Scott Hazelhurst. Their friendship lasted through the years filled with raising their children, social events, shopping and traveling.

In 1949, Helena graduated from Commerce High School. She began her career as a Secretary for Westside Furniture Company. Helena then moved on to become an Administrative Assistant for the Marshall's office; and finally an Office Manager for the Harlem Legal Services, Inc.

On August 22, 1954, the late David B. Willis joined Helena in holy matrimony at Crucifixion Church. This union produced daughter, Robin D. Willis.

After an illness in 1994, Helena moved to Hackensack, NJ to join her daughter, Robin and son-in-law the late Calvin R. Chamberlain, Jr. Helena was proud of her two beautiful grandchildren, Teryn and Taylor. Helena touched many lives and will be missed dearly.

She was preceded in death by her late husband, David B. Willis.

Helena leaves to cherish: her loving and caring daughter, Robin D. Chamberlain; her grandchildren, Teryn Jessica and Taylor Justin Chamberlain; cousins, Anne Jackson, Robert Scott (Muriel), Calvyn Weston, Cheryl Rafra, Rashida Hawthorne, Jason Whitehead, (Crystal) Eileen Robinson (Michael); Vivian Scott Chew (Ray), Loren Scott; and a host of other relatives and close friends.

Order of Service

Organ Prelude

Processional

Opening Prayer

Hymn of Comfort

Scripture Reading

Old Testament.....Psalm 100: 1-5
New Testament.....John 14: 1-4

Solo

Prayer of Comfort

Selection

Expression Acknowledgement/ Tribute

Obituary

Eulogy

Recessional

Interment

George Washington Memorial Park Cemetery
234 Paramus Road
Paramus, New Jersey

I'm Free

*Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free
I'm following the path God laid for me
I took his hand when I heard Him call
I turned my back and left it all.*

I could not stay another day.

*To laugh, to love, to work or play.
Tasks left undone must stay that way,
I found that peace at the close of day.*

*If my parting has left a void,
Then fill it up with remembered joy.
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,
Oh, yes these things I too will miss.*

*Be not burdened with times of sorrow,
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.*

My life's been full, I savored much.

Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.

*Perhaps my time seemed all too brief,
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.*

*Lift up your heart and share with me,
God wanted me now, He set me free!*

Acknowledgement

*The family acknowledges with deep appreciation all acts of
kindness extended to them during this bereavement hour.
God bless you for all your thoughtfulness and concern.*

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