In Loving Memory of



Sunrise November 16, 1920 *Sunset* March 9, 2012

Saturday, March 17, 2012 - 10:00 a.m.

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2352 8th Avenue • New York, NY 10027 Rev. Dr. Eric Turner, Officiating Bobby Arrington, Organist

<u>Obiluary</u>

Martha Wright was born in Germantown, PA to the late Mr. Lee and Mrs. Alice Smith on November 16, 1920. She spent a great time of her life in her hometown. Later, she met a man name Mozelle Wright (deceased) and married him and had two children by the name of Deborah Wright, and the late Raymond Wright.

She moved to New York to stay with her Uncle Charles Rodvill and Aunt Carrie Rodvill. She later resided in The St. Nicholas Housing Projects Building 255 West 127th Street. Martha was one of the first tenants to move in and receive a plate for fifteen years of being a great tenant. Later as time progressed she divorced and became a single parent and raised her children to the best of her ability and gave them open arms of Love and Support.

As the years moved on, she met a gentleman by the name of Patrick John Tisdale Sr., who couldn't resist a woman of her nature. Once they met it was Love at first sight they got married on March 23rd in the 1960's, and Martha and Patrick Tisdale Sr. was now to be forever together for Life. They both had a set of their own family and became one with all.

Martha was a well loving, caring person, fun loving is only one of the super qualities that describes her. Martha's strength and wisdom is something that stood out for all, no matter what the situation was, she handled it with grace and Poise!!" She worked as a social worker for over twenty-seven years and retired in 1983 to relax her quick thinking brain... She loved to donate money to foundations for hurt veterans and hungry children across seas. She always received a letter of her grateful hand and heart. She was the strong leader of family and friends and her mind was shaped for a woman of her age up into the last month of her time.

Martha leaves behind: a wonderful dear husband, confidant and best friend, Patrick J. Tisdale Sr.; daughter, Deborah Wright, and deceased son, Raymond Wright; her stepchildren, Bernice Tisdale, deceased Patrick J. Tisdale II, and Novin Tisdale. Martha also raised her granddaughter, Cherise Wright from cradle; sisters, Estelle Lawerence, Marlevina Clayton, deceased Sylivetta Bernard Evans; brothers, Raymond Clayton, deceased Macky Clayton and deceased Leroy Clayton (Martha and her siblings were very close); seven beautiful grandchildren, which two are deceased Corey and Gerand; a host of great-grands (her rock is Chanel Wright) who was her caretaker for a couple of years; her great-grand her little princesses, Chaqual Burnett who she always wanted to hear a melody or two to make her glow. She also friendly adopted a son, Mr. Joe Paige who has been there through her last late years through thick and thin; her God-daughter, Arnette Wheeler who she loved, Martha loved to entertain and be a host to all; favorite cousin, Herbie; and a host of nieces and nephews, cousins, extended family and friends.

She loved all and wanted the best for all.. and as she would say ... "I will reward you!!!!!" Those where her favorite words! And no one would want anything, just her love and grace.

<u>Order of Service</u>



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Mount Hoilness Cemetery Butler, New Jersey To My Wife! Well Marth, my dear beloved wife I will be calling you from time to time because I love you so much you are my wings and I will always love you MARTH!!! Love your husband Pat!

To My Grandma-Mom.

Thank you for allowing me to come into your whole world of raising all until grown and having to start all over again. I am truly blessed and I need to appreciate that more and more everyday. Cause without you and grandpa I would be lost. You are the light to my soul how can I express the pain; missing you, speaking with you, making you laugh, telling me to shut the Hell up and listen and not shout... boy it's so much I wanna say I love you grandma you are my rock!!

Love always Cherise (ya baby)

Acknowledgement

The family wishes to thank everyone for there condolences and best wishes during our time of bereavement.

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