

*Home Going Services
In Loving Memory of*



Dorothy Maillard

Sunrise

December 10, 1916

Sunset

August 16, 2012

Service

Tuesday, August 21, 2012 - 10:00 a.m.

GREATER REFUGE TEMPLE

2081 7th Avenue • New York, NY 10027

Obituary

Dorothy Ethel Maillard was born to Irene and Alonzo Ferguson, raised in Charleston, South Carolina. She was one of twelve children. She attended Burke High School in South Carolina. She moved to New York City for better opportunities. She met and married William Maillard, Sr. in December 1939. They had three children.

Over the years, Dorothy worked many positions. She did domestic work, Nurses Aide Assistant at St. Barnabas Hospital, School Aide at I.S. 201, and her last job where she worked as a Case Aide for BCW/ACS for twenty-five years. She would always say, "In all my jobs I was always an aide and when I Pass I will be God's Aide." She was an Eastern Star.



Dorothy loved to play the piano, dance, read and sing gospel songs which she did beautifully. She also enjoyed going to the movies and Gospel Concerts. She had a fashion flare style, and always dressed elegantly. She enjoyed traveling. She was a kind hearted, gift giving, loving person. Dorothy loved to tell jokes and make people laugh. She loved the Lord Jesus Christ, and worshipping Almighty God in church where she was a member of Greater Refuge Temple since 1968.

Dorothy was preceded in passing by her parents, Irene and Alonzo, husband, William Maillard, first son, Billy Jr., first grandson, William Billy III, brothers, John, Jack, Robert, James, sisters, Thelma, Amy, Alberta, Ruth and Sade.

Dorothy leaves behind her two daughters, Norma and Laurette; two sons-in-law, James Callender and Jimmy Bembry; grandson, Julian and girlfriend, Taleida; two great granddaughter, Skylar and Adrianna; her brother, St. Julian; sister, Alverta; cousin, Cleo; and many other cousins, nieces, nephews; special friend, Susan; and many dear friends.

Dorothy always said "Give it to Jesus in prayer". She was very grateful for her long life. She is now Free.

Order of Service

Processional

Selection

Scripture Psalm 91:1-5 & Psalm 92:1-5
Proverbs 31:20-31
John 4:23&24

Prayer

Selection Senior Choir

Acknowledgements

Obituary

Eulogy

Selection

Committal

Viewing

Recessional



Interment

Calverton National Cemetery
Calverton, New York

Change of Address

Dear Family and Friends

Please be advised that I have moved. I received a call from God, the Chief Architect, and the other day He informed me that my new house was complete. You all know that I had been working on my new residence, sending up timber, packing up and getting ready to go. I knew that my house needed some finishing touches, and that the Chief carpenter, Jesus Christ, had to inspect it and given me the final approval. On Thursday, August 16, 2012, He let me know that my home was complete and that it was OK to move in. So He told me to go ahead and change my address. Well, my new home is finished and what a sight it is to behold. It is located in an exclusive estate, in an area behind a beautiful pearly gate. It is just over the other side of a serene celestial shore. Of course, you know the streets are paved with gold and everyday is Sunday, just like you've been told. Trees with twelve manners of fruit grace my garden, here and I can walk and talk with my Master with not a worry of care. I lived in a home built by man, for only a short time, but my new home is so much better than any place I've lived. There is Peace here; Joy, Happiness, no Pain. No heartaches, no strife or discontentment; Only sweet serenity I can dine at my Master's table and listen to a heavenly choir - And best of all, my Heavenly Father is here - in all His Glory. Oh yes, I have my own designer who has fitted me with my very own white robe and my own wings. I could go on and on about my new home, but instead I am going to pray that you get to move here yourself one day. Before I go, let me give you my new address:

Dorothy Maillard

1 Golden Street

Pearly Gates, Heaven

P.S. I don't have a telephone, but you can always call on God. If you don't know His number, read your bible - it's listed on every page!

Acknowledgement

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