

*Home Going Celebration for
Mary J. Wright*

*Roses Bloomed
February 2, 1940*

*Roses Withered
August 24, 2012*



Eulogistic Services

Wednesday, August 29, 2012 - 11:00 a.m.

COTTON FUNERAL SERVICE

1025 Bergen Street • Newark, NJ

Obituary

Mary I. Wright, seventy-two years old, departed this earthly life on Friday, August 24, 2012.

Mary was born, February 2, 1940, in Henderson, NC; daughter of the late Annie Burwell and Henry Allen Burwell Sr. She received her education from the Williamsboro Elementary School and good old H. & I Henderson Institute High School. She joined Saint Beulah Holiness Church and gave her life to the Lord at an early age. She served on the usher board, sang in the choir, served as a Sunday school teacher and program committee person. She worked for the Woodbridge Developmental Center for thirty-five years, before retiring in 2002.

She was married to the late Melvin D. Wright, and out of this union was born their son, Clifton E. Wright. Melvin was stepfather to Mary E. Floyd and Jacqueline E. Burwell.

Mary had a loving and generous heart, and was always giving to others. She resided in Newark, New Jersey until God called her home.

She was preceded in death by her beloved brothers: Frank Burwell, John Burwell, Thomas Burwell and Willis Burwell.

She leaves her loving memories to be cherished by: her two beautiful daughters, Jacqueline E. Burwell and Mary E. Floyd, both of Newark, NJ; her two loving sons, Clifton E. Wright and his wife Jacqueline of Henderson, NC, Curtis Dukes and his wife Sharon of Irvington, NJ; her sister, Mildred Burwell of Newark, NJ; her brother, Henry Allen Jr. of Center Moriches Long Island, NY; her god-daughter, Rhonda McKenney; her dear sister in Christ, Ms. Estella Holley; eight grand-children; (also extended grandchildren); two great-grand-children; a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Order of Service

Organ Prelude

Processional
Clergy/Family

Instrumental Selection
"I Have A Friend"

Scripture Reading
John 14:1-4

Prayer

Selection
"Oh I Want To See Him"

Acknowledgement /Obituary

Selection
"I Will Fly Away"

Eulogy

Recessional Selection
"On My Way Home"

Postlude

Interment

Rosehill Cemetery
Linden, New Jersey

Repast:
At The Home Of Joyce Jackson
667 Irvine Turner Blvd., Newark, NJ

Floral Bearers

Granddaughters/Nieces

Pall Bearers

Grandsons/Nephews

God saw that you were getting tired and a cure was not to be, so He put his arms around you and whispered, "Come to Me" With tearful eyes you slipped away from us all, without even a good bye. Although we love you and will miss you dearly we could not ask or make you stay. A Golden heart has stopped beating and hard working hands are now at rest God broke our hearts to prove to us all, He only takes the best.

THE FAMILY

In Appreciation

The family acknowledges with sincere appreciation the many kind deeds and comforting expressions of sympathy extended to them in their time of sorrows. May God bless each of you is our prayer.

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