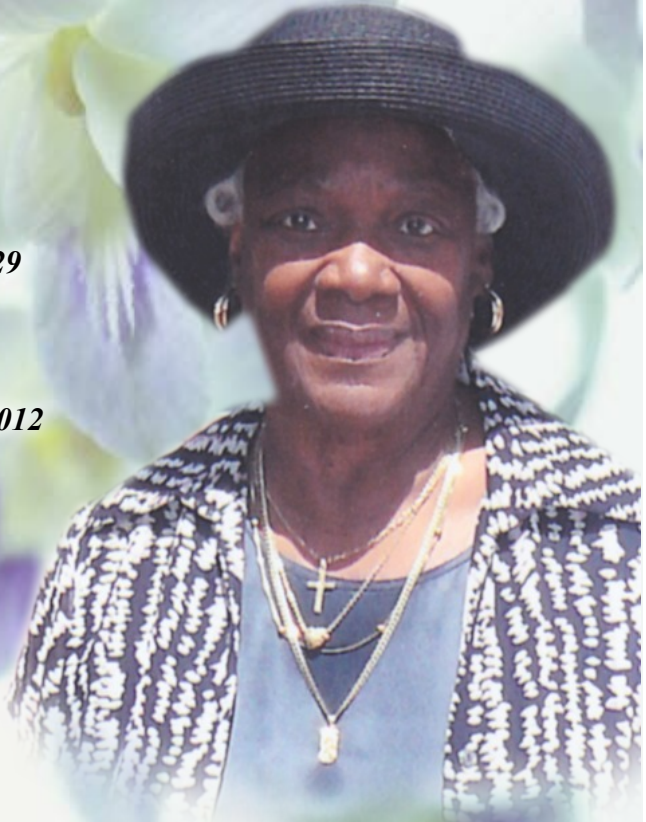


In Loving Memory Of
Mildred Byrd

Sunrise
April 10, 1929

Sunset
September 1, 2012



Services

Saturday, September 8, 2012 - 9:00 a.m.

GREATER FRIENDSHIP BAPTIST CHURCH

*84 Custer Avenue
Newark, New Jersey*

Reverend John T. Teabout, Officiating

Obituary

Mildred Byrd, affectionately known as Sister and Aunt Millie, daughter of the late Lillian and Simon Young, was born April 10th, 1929 in Newark, New Jersey. She departed this life September 1st, 2012.

Millie was educated in the Newark Public School system, followed by Cosmetology School. She worked in the Garment Industry for many years until her retirement.

Millie spent her retirement years traveling with her husband and friends, enjoying her grandchildren and in later years she enjoyed spending summers with her great granddaughter.

Millie loved the Lord and in 2005, she became a member of Greater Friendship Baptist Church under the leadership of Rev. John T. Teabout where she was welcomed with open arms and loved. She supported her daughter on the activities of the We Care Ministry.

Millie was devoted to her family and was always loved and admired by her cousins, enjoyed spending time with family. Her home was always open and full of love, food and laughter. Shopping was one of her passions.

She was predeceased by her son, Charles H. Cooper, Jr. and is survived by: her daughter, Lori Byrd; grandson, Eddie Kyle Lomack (Memphis, TN) Aaron Cooper (Oakland, CA); great grandchildren, Daviody Jones (Oakland, CA) and Kyla Michelle Lomack (Memphis, TN); and a host of other relatives and friends.

Order of Service

Organ Prelude

Congressional Hymn “Blessed Assurance”

Scripture Readings..... Desiree Woods

Old Testament - Ecclesiastes 3:1-4

New Testament - John 4:1-4

Musical Selection The Solid Rock - GFBC Choir

Acknowledgements/Obituary Lisa Moore

Special Tributes/Remarks

Selection Emmanuel - GFBC

Eulogy.....Rev. Dr. John T. Teabout

Recessional

Interment

Evergreen Cemetery

Hillside New Jersey



“Together

Forever”

In Time

The dark clouds soon will pass away-and then the sun will shine-to calm your fears and dry your tears -with tenderness divine-remember this when troubles rage-all things must have an end deep faith in God will always make your waning hopes ascend-I know it's hard to see the light- when everything looks gray-but after all is said and done-it is the only way- for constant grieving only makes-things worse than what they are- whereas a positive approach is better, yes, by far- for every trouble there's a day- though sometimes hard to find-keep trying and your gain will be-a special peace of mind- then one fine day you'll wake to hear- the day hills daily chime- for everything must reach an end- if only given time.

Do not weep for me- for I have lived I have gained my hands with my fellows hand to leave the planet better than I found it.

Do not weep for me- for I have loved and been loved by parents, children, grandchildren and relatives and friends.

Do not weep for me- when you have reach out to touch another heart as now I have touch God's face. I am there.

Do not weep for me- I am not gone.

Acknowledgements

The family wishes to express their deepest and most sincere thanks to all who shared with them in this time of sorrow.

May God bless and keep you in a most gracious way.

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