

Celebrating the Life of
Branieze Layne

Sunrise: July 4th, 1935



Sunset: November 3rd, 2012

Friday, November 9th, 2012 - 11 O'Clock A.M

Roy L. Gilmore's Funeral Home, Inc.

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St. Albans, New York 11412

Reverend Darren A. Ferguson, Officiant

Obituary

Branieze "Muriel" Layne was born to the proud parents, Norman Jacobs and Muriel Gilkes in Georgetown, British Guyana. Her mother died nine days after her birth. Branieze was raised by her loving grandparents Ellen & William Gilkes.

"Muriel" as everyone called her attended Freeburgh Anglican School, a British primary school from which she graduated. She worked for several years until her marriage to Hilbert McDonald Layne on December 7, 1963. They had 5 children: Deborah Ann (March 1964), Sandra Elizabeth (April 1965) and Kevin Anthony (December 1966) were born in Guyana. Bryan McDonald (March 1972) and Sean McDonald (April 1977) were born in New York City.

She was a faithful wife, dutiful mother and loving grandmother to 6 grandchildren:

At 8:10am on November 3rd, 2012 Muriel departed on her flight to glory.

To cherish her memories, she leaves behind, her loving grandchildren: Dominique Amanda, Jacqueline Alexis, Janelle Theresa, Jayson Richard, Nia Bryanna & Tia Lauren, loving cousins (sisters): Jeanette "Shirley" Gilkes and Ausleen Gittens & Paul & Micah Martin, Angel sent by God: Jennifer Burgess, And a host of friends and extended family that she dearly loved and appreciated.



Order of Service

Invocation

Scripture Reading

Old Testament Psalm 23

New Testament: John 14: 1-6

Selection - Ms. Marshà Hosley

Prayer of Comfort

Obituary

Reflections (2 Minutes)

Acknowledgements

Selection - Ms. Marshà Hosley

Eulogy: Reverend Darren A. Ferguson

Final Viewing

Committal / Benediction

Interment

Pinelawn Memorial Park
Farmingdale, New York

"LIFE IS ETERNAL"
*THE GOOD LORD SAID,
SO DO NOT THINK OF YOUR
LOVED ONE AS DEAD
FOR DEATH IS ONLY A STEPPING-STONE
TO A BEAUTIFUL LIFE WE HAVE NEVER KNOWN,
A PLACE WHERE GOD PROMISED
MAN HE WOULD BE
ETERNALLY HAPPY AND SAFE AND FREE,
A WONDERFUL LAND WHERE WE LIVE ANEW
WHEN OUR JOURNEY ON EARTH
IS OVER AND THROUGH
SO TRUST GOD AND DOUBT HIM NEVER,
FOR ALL WHO LOVE HIM LIVE FOREVER,
AND WHILE WE CANNOT UNDERSTAND
JUST LET THE SAVIOR TAKE YOUR HAND,
FOR WHEN DEATH'S ANGEL COMES TO CALL
GOD IS SO GREAT AND WE'RE SO SMALL...
AND THERE IS NOTHING YOU NEED FEAR
FOR FAITH IN GOD MAKES ALL THINGS CLEAR.*

Acknowledgements

*The family of Brantjeze Layne would like to thank all of you
for your expressions of comfort during this difficult time*

Interment will immediately follow the Service

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