## "Don't Cry For Me"

Do not cry for me, for I have lived my life to the extent of time which God has granted me. Do not cry for me, for I have walked a long way in my lifetime, I have moved on to fulfill my destiny. Do not cry for me, for I am not lost, I am home where I am free. When you think of my passing, picture my face in your mind and reminisce of the times that have passed be it good or bad; Do not cry for me for I am with God, and my life has just begun.

# In Loving Memory of Cora Lee Jones

Sunrise April 30, 1914

Sunset January 28, 2013

#### Hcknowledgements

Perhaps you sent a lovely card or sat quietly in a chair. Perhaps you sent a floral piece If so, we saw it there. Perhaps you spoke the kindest words as any friend could say. Perhaps you were not there at all just thought of us on that day. Whatever you did to console our hearts, We Thank You, Whatever the part.

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Service Friday, February 1, 2013 - 12:00 Noon **ST. AUGUSTINE ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH** 170 Sussex Avenue Newark, New Jersey Rev. Orlando Gonzalez-Administrator **Rev. James McConnell, SMA-Officiating** 

Mass For the Repose of the Soul of Cora L. Jones

### **Gathering Rite**

Entrance

Please Stand

ganist-Eugene Brown Penitential Rite Opening Prayer

Liturgy of the Word

First Reading

Please be seated

Valerie Kelly A reading from Is: 25-6-7

<sup>6</sup> On this mountain, for all peoples, <u>Yahweh Sabaoth</u> is preparing a banquet of rich food, a banquet of fine wines, of succulent food, of well-strained wines.

<sup>7</sup> On this mountain, he has destroyed the veil which used to veil all peoples, the p<u>all enveloping</u> all nations;

<sup>8</sup> he has destroyed death for ever. <u>Lord Yahweh</u> has wiped away the tears from every cheek; he has taken his people's shame away everywhere on earth, for <u>Yahweh</u> has spoken.

<sup>9</sup> And on that day, it <u>will</u> be said, 'Look, this is our God, in him we put our <u>hope</u> that he should save us, this is Yahweh, we put our <u>hope</u> in him. Let us exult and rejoice since he has saved us.'

The Word of the Lord All: Thanks be to God

Responsorial Psalm Gary Williams Psalm 23:1-6

> <u>Interment</u> Hollywood Memorial Park Union, New Jersey

## Obituary

On April 30, 1914, **Cora Lee Jackson** was born to James and Lula (Tyson) Jackson in Birmingham, Alabama. She returned to God's loving arms on Monday, January 28, 2013 at South Mountain Healthcare and Rehabilitation Center in Vauxhall, NJ. She was 98 years old at the time of her death. She was one of seven children: Ernest (Jimmy), George, Charlie, Annie Mae, Harvey, Rufus (Cout) and Johnnie Mae (Doll). Cora attended public schools until approximately the seventh grade. At some time in her youth, James moved the family to West Virginia after the death of Lula, his wife.

While in West Virginia, Cora met Silas Jones, Sr. On September 14, 1931, Silas and Cora were married. Out of the union, they had six children: Edith (Plunk), Silas, Jr. (Duke), Shirley (Jean), James, Charles and Darlyne (Renee'). All of the children were born in West Virginia except for Renee'. During that time, Silas worked in the coal mine and Cora was a housewife.

In 1952, the family moved to Newark, New Jersey. During this time, Cora was primarily a housewife but did work later in life at factories. In January 1975, Silas Sr. passed away and Cora remained a widow until the time of her death. Mrs. Jones spent most of her time interacting with her large family. She kept an extremely tidy home and was a great cook. She was extremely close to her sister, Doll. She always introduced herself as Mrs. Silas Jones and could tell a colorful story. She was a long time member of Queen of Angels Roman Catholic Church and sent her tithes in regularly even when she could no longer attend. She enjoyed playing the pick it. She was one of a kind and will be greatly missed.

In the 1997, Cora could no longer live by herself and went to live with her daughter, Renee' and granddaughter Tineshia. She remained there for almost two years until she then moved in with her daughter, Edith and her husband, Robert. During that time, Gwen White was her caretaker. Afterward, Cora required more care and was moved to Runnells Hospital in Berkley Heights, NJ. Just prior to her death, Cora was moved to South Mountain.

Mrs. Jones was preceded in death by her parents, all of her siblings, her husband, two sons: James and Charles Jones, and two grandchildren: Gary and Regina Williams. She leaves to mourn her death: her children Edith Williams (Robert) of Hillside, NJ; Silas Jones Jr. (Eva) of Newark, NJ; Shirley Caughman of Rahway, NJ and Darlyne Bobbitt of Newark, NJ. In addition, she leaves to mourn a sister-in-law, Katie Nell Howard of Madison Heights, Michigan; a daughter-in-law Deborah Jones; a special niece Gussie Mae Kelly; six grand-sons: Samad Wadir, Rickey Jones, Marc Caughman, Sean Lawrence and Chris Jones; five granddaughters: Karima Abdul-Haqq, Lori Caughman, Deborah Jones, Regina Jones Booker and Tineshia Bobbitt; 16 great grand children, approximately 15 great- great grandchildren and a host of additional family members and friends.

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