



*In Loving Memory of*  
***Eloise Gibbs***

*Sunrise*  
March 29, 1919

*Sunset*  
February 2, 2013

**Service**

Friday, February 8, 2013 - 12:00 Noon

**UNITY FUNERAL CHAPELS INC.**

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## Obituary

**Eloise Miriam Gibbs** was the fifth of six children born to William and Annie Gibbs on March 29, 1919 in the city of Philadelphia and attended public school in Philadelphia. She was fond of learning especially reading, a skill she flourished in and encouraged her son and grandchildren. She possessed a melodious singing voice which she displayed as a young girl singing in church.

Early in her working life she worked as a seamstress in Philly at she was adept at serving, a skill learned along with her sister from her mother. In April 1945, she gave birth to her only son, M. Clifford Anthony. A devoted mother she continued living and working in Philadelphia until a few years after the birth of her grandchildren, Tracey and Michael Anthony in 1964 & 1966. She moved to New York to be near them and she greatly assisted in their upbringing and education in 1970.

She was employed by NYC Transit Authority for twenty years with heavy participation in union affairs retiring in 1991. She was always available to offer support to her siblings and loved ones as well as friends. She was known for giving sound advice when needed and asked.

She leaves behind: a son in NJ; a grandson in Minnesota; granddaughter in the Bronx and numerous cousins, nieces and nephews in the NY area. She entered into eternity at 3:35 a.m. February 2, 2013 and now enjoys the presence of the Lord Jesus Christ.

(A reprint of her favorite Psalm 27 is located on the back of the program)



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## Interment

Mount Rest Cemetery  
Butler, New Jersey

## Psalm 27

The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear? the Lord is the strength of my life; of whom shall I be afraid? When the wicked, even mine enemies and my foes, came upon me to eat up my flesh, they stumbled and fell. Though an host should encamp against me, my heart shall not fear: though war should rise against me, in this will I be confident. One thing have I desired of the Lord, that will I seek after; that I may dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life, to behold the beauty of the Lord, and to enquire in his temple. For in the time of trouble he shall hide me in his pavilion: in the secret of his tabernacle shall he hide me; he shall set me up upon a rock. And now shall mine head be lifted up above mine enemies round about me: therefore will I offer in his tabernacle sacrifices of joy; I will sing, yea, I will sing praises unto the Lord. Hear, O Lord, when I cry with my voice: have mercy also upon me, and answer me. When thou saidst, Seek ye my face; my heart said unto thee, Thy face, Lord, will I seek. Hide not thy face far from me; put not thy servant away in anger: thou hast been my help; leave me not, neither forsake me, O God of my salvation. When my father and my mother forsake me, then the Lord will take me up. Teach me thy way, O Lord, and lead me in a plain path, because of mine enemies. Deliver me not over unto the will of mine enemies: for false witnesses are risen up against me, and such as breathe out cruelty. I had fainted, unless I had believed to see the goodness of the Lord in the land of the living. Wait on the Lord: be of good courage, and he shall strengthen thine heart: wait, I say, on the Lord.

### *Acknowledgement*

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