

A woman with short dark hair is standing in a black dress and a long, patterned shawl. She is wearing a necklace and sandals. The background is dark, and the floor has a blue and white pattern.

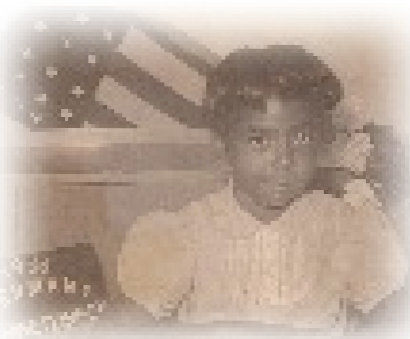
*A Celebration
of Life
for*

*Frances
Theodora
"Toostie"
Bolds*

Sunrise
August 8, 1949

Sunset
February 1, 2013

Reflections of Life



Frances "Tootsie" Bolds was born to the late Harris Bolds and Mackie Treola (Staton) Bolds on August 8, 1949 in Paterson, NJ. Tootsie spent her early childhood in Heidelberg, Germany where she began her early education. When she returned to Paterson she continued her education through the Paterson Public School system. Being a strong advocate of early childhood education led her to

become a teacher at Concerned Parents for Head Start where she was a faithful employee for twenty-nine years before she retired. She was a member of The House of Yeshua in Paterson, NJ under the leadership of Pastor Harris Bolds and co-Pastor James Bethea.

If you knew Tootsie, then you knew she was the sweetest, kindest person you could have ever known. She was everyone's favorite sister, aunt, cousin and friend.

Tootsie made her journey home on Friday, February 1, 2013. She was predeceased by two sisters Nancy L. Bolds and Patricia D. Bolds and by her brother Harris Bolds Jr.

She leaves to cherish her loving memories: her daughters Lynnai Bolds-Kennedy and Tracey Bolds; her son-in-law Clarence "Bernard" Kennedy; two sisters: Treola Bolds and Ethel Bolds-Milner and one brother Rev. Harris Bolds and sister-in-law Yolanda Bolds; five grandchildren Quashon Kennedy, of Atlanta, GA, Kiara Bolds, of Las Vegas, Nevada, Kevar Bolds, Jamar and Jaquan Kennedy all of Paterson, NJ; one great aunt Frances (Staton) Ladson and one aunt Ruth Harrison; she was the favorite aunt of Tonya, Meach, Corey, Mona, Tamicka, Elton, Zakia, Lamar, Quasheema, Yolanda, Wajeedah, Aisha, Khadijah, Fareed, and Shaheed; and a host great nieces and nephews; devoted friends and family: Johnny and Nadine Staton, Deborah Snowden, Linda Johnson, Maryann Brown, Marion Medina Parks and Cortaya Coleman and a host of other relatives and friends.

Order of Service

Service

Friday, February 8, 2013 - 7:00 p.m.

CARNIE P. BRAGG FUNERAL HOME

256 Rosa Parks Blvd.

Paterson, New Jersey

Rev. James Bethea, Officiating

Processional

Opening Hymn "You Are The Living Word" (F. Hammond)

Scripture Readings

Matthew 11:28-30

John 14:2-3

Selection..... "I Give Myself Away" (William McDowell)

Remarks (2 minutes)

Acknowledgements and Obituary ReadingMona Bolds

Eulogy..... Minister James Bethea

Recessional ... "Everything Is Gonna Be Alright" (Kenton Rogers)

Interment

Saturday, February 9, 2013

Laurel Grove Cemetery, Totowa, NJ

(Please meet at 80 Sandy Court, Paterson, NJ

at 8:00am for burial processional)

Friday

If we knew Friday was the last time we would see you

We would have hugged you extra tight

We would have kissed you on both cheeks

We would have whispered in your ear

that we were proud to be your daughters.

If we knew Friday was the last time we would see you

We would not have fussed over what you were eating for dinner

Instead we would have sat down and ate dinner with you

We would have said grace and thanked

God for blessing us with you as our mother.

If we knew Friday was the last time we would see you

We would have hugged you extra tight

We would have kissed you on both cheeks

We would have whispered in your ear to have

a sweet journey home and said goodnight.

Love Lynnai and Tracey

Acknowledgement

The family of **Frances "Tootsie" Bolds** acknowledges with deep appreciation all acts of kindness extended to them during this bereavement hour. God bless you for all your thoughtfulness and concern. A special thanks to Tonya Bolds-Davis, Lamar Davis, Deborah Snowden and Deirdre Savage. We would also like to extend our gratitude to Preakness Healthcare.

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