

I Am Resting

*I've parted this life my loved one,
But worry not for I am not gone,
I am merely resting.
Don't cry or mourn
For God is with you and in your hearts.*

*Carry on.
We will miss each other,
But remember God is with us all.
Be strong my loved one,
For I am not gone,
but merely resting.*

-Author unknown



Acknowledgements

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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In Loving Memory of

Debra L. Kennedy

Sunrise
June 18, 1951

Sunset
April 3, 2013

Service

Sunday, April 7, 2013 - 11:00 a.m.

Cotton Funeral Service

1025 Bergen Street
Newark, New Jersey

Order of Service

Musical Prelude

Opening Hymn

Scripture Reading

Old Testament

New Testament

Prayer of Comfort

Selection

Acknowledgement / Resolutions

Remarks (2 minutes please)

Obituary

Selection

Eulogy

Recessional

Cremation

Rosedale Crematory

Orange, New Jersey

Obituary

Debra L. Kennedy departed this life on April 3, 2013 at the age of sixty-one.

“**Debbie,**” as she was affectionately known to family and friends, was born in Newark, New Jersey on June 18, 1951. She was the daughter of the late Luchers Kennedy and Mildred June Flowers Kennedy. Debbie was also a twin of the late Donald L. Kennedy. Debbie was educated in the local school system and attended South Side High School in Newark.

Debbie worked at the Veteran’s Administration for many years meeting new people and making lots of friends. Although she was a quiet person and mostly kept to herself, she was a member of a bowling team winning lots of trophies, she loved playing cards, going to the movies and spending holidays with her family. She was also an animal lover, at one point being owner of a dog named “Rex” and most recently the owner of a cat named “Whiskers” a.k.a. “Whis.”

Debbie was a loyal, thoughtful and kind person. Before her illness, she would always make time to mail out Christmas and birthday cards to her family and friends. During her illness, she remained strong, mostly reaching out to her niece Marlo and good friend Blanche.

Debbie was preceded in death by her brothers, James Flowers and Donald L. Kennedy and her sister, Rachael L. Harris.

She leaves behind to cherish her memory: her brother, Kenneth Kennedy; her sister, Mildred L. Kennedy; her nephews, Kurt Kennedy, Kenneth Kennedy and Michael Kennedy; her nieces, Marlo Kennedy and Chantia Kennedy; and a host of great-nephews, great nieces, cousins and friends.

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