

A portrait of Debra Carolina, a woman with short dark hair, wearing a patterned top and multiple necklaces. The background is a soft, warm gradient with decorative floral and swirl elements.

*In Loving  
Memory  
Of*

*Debra Carolina*

*Sunrise*

June 7, 1952

*Sunset*

July 2, 2014

Saturday, July 12, 2014 ~ 10:00 am

**Greater Mount Moriah Baptist Church**

24 East 14th Street  
Linden, New Jersey 07036

*Rev. Ronald A. Green, Sr., Pastor*

## *Life Reflections*

*Debra Carolina* was born on June 7, 1952 in Elizabeth, New Jersey, daughter of Marilyn Hurling Carolina and the late Charles “Bootsie” Carolina. She grew up in Roselle and Linden where she attended the Roselle and Linden Public School system. Debra ran Track & Field in junior and high school.

Debra was employed as a Home Health Aide at Full Circle Health Services in Union for ten years, before retiring in 2012.

She attended Guiding Star United Holy Church in Linden.

Debra departed this life on Wednesday, July 2, 2014 at Clara Maass Hospital in Belleville, New Jersey at the age of 62.

She was predeceased by her son, Rahim Carolina in 2007.

Debra Carolina leaves to cherish her memory, her dear mother, Marilyn Hurling Carolina; dear children: son, Amir Devine and his fiancée, Tara Cooper, two daughters, Milan and Monét Carolina; granddaughter: Simone Carolina; grandson, Austin Devine; four brothers: John Charles, Henry Carolina, Warren “Butch” Carolina and Ronald Carolina; also surviving are a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and many dear friends.

### *Beyond Life Gateway*

*There's an open gate  
at the end of the Road  
Through which each one  
must go alone  
And there is a light we cannot see  
Our Father claims His own  
Beyond the Gate our loved one finds  
Happiness and rest  
And there is comfort in the thought  
that a loving God knows best.*

Sorrowfully and lovingly submitted,  
The Family

# *Order Of Service*

**Organ Prelude**

**Processional**

**A Parting View**

**Hymn of Comfort**

**Scriptures**

Old Testament:

New Testament:

**Prayer of Comfort**

**Selection**

**Acknowledgment and Condolences**

**Reading of the Obituary**

**Selection**

**Eulogy**

Rev. Ronald A. Green, Sr., Pastor

**Recessional**

**Interment**

Rosehill Cemetery

Linden, New Jersey

**Pall Bearers**

Family and Friends of **Debra Carolina**

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## *Her Journey Has Just Begun*

*Don't think of her as gone away  
Her journey's just begun.  
Life holds so many facets  
This earth is only one.  
Just think of her resting  
From the sorrows and the tears  
In a place of warmth and comfort  
Where there are no days and years.  
Think how she must be wishing  
That we could know today  
How nothing but our sadness  
Can really pass away  
And think of her as living  
In the hearts of those she touched  
For nothing loved is ever lost  
And she was loved so much.*

### *Acknowledgement*

The family of **Debra Carolina** acknowledges with the deepest appreciation all acts of love and support that we have received during her illness and with the passing of our loved one.

