

In Loving Memory of
Bertha Beatrice Woods



Sunrise
April 2, 1933

Sunset
November 9, 2014

Thursday, November 13, 2014 - 11:00 A.M.

Cotton Funeral Service

1025 Bergen Street
Newark, New Jersey

Order of Service

Processional

Selection

Scripture Readings

Prayer

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Acknowledgements

Remarks

Obituary

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Eulogy

Viewing

Recessional

Interment

Hollywood Memorial Park
Union, New Jersey

Obituary

Bertha B. Woods was born April 2, 1933 in Charlotte, North Carolina, to proud parents, the late Mr. Dean and Mary Smith.

In 1979 Bertha and Leander Woods moved on up like the Jefferson's from the fast lane of New York City to Newark NJ. With their two children Beandra and Daveron Woods.

Bertha enjoyed many years as a dutiful homemaker and a faithful wife of the late, Leander Woods. Bertha Woods was a loving, outgoing person who was supportive and always there when needed by family and friends. She had a big heart for all who came in contact with her, and I mean literally- A Big Heart, she never turned anyone away. Mrs. Woods favorite video games were Centipede and Tetris. Bertha had her own ColecoVision and Nintendo Video game consoles. She played Tetris so much that it was burnt in to the screen of the TV. She turn that game around more than once. A Mother's love that gave us all unconditional love with no remorse. She loved us with her cooking, gentle tone, and caring ways.

After living a carefree and loving life, On November 9, 2014, Bertha returned to the Most Gracious, Most Merciful God and accepted the Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ in her life. She has gone to join her late husband Leander Woods, her sister Mary Duncan, and brothers Dean Smith, Nathaniel Smith, Arthur Smith and her precious grandson Josiah Woods.

Those who are left with her sweet and cherished memories are: daughter Beandra Woods-Edghill; son Daveron Woods. Grandchildren; Suwana Register, Jamique Dickens, Maleeha Mckenzie, Davon Bailey, Jahbrhim Nash, Ajahnae Williams, and Ja'kyh Mitchell; Great nephew Dwayne Onley and great niece Mel-India Onley. Great nieces and nephew; Kennedy Onley, Paityn Onley, Katia Onley, Dwayne Onley Jr. Great grands; Shayanna White, Beloved Hughey, Jaylen Dickens. Son-in-law Michael Edghil and Daughter-in-law Loretta Davis and a long list of friends.

Mommy, Grand Mom, Aunt BB, Mrs. Woods, you will be missed dearly.

Love you always and forever.

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Miss Me, But Let Me Go

*When I come to the end of the
road and the sun has set for me,
I want no rites in a gloom filled room,
Why cry for a soul set free?
Miss me a little-but not too long,
and not with your head bowed low.
Remember the love that we once shared,
Miss me-but let me go.
For this is a journey that we all must take,
And each must go alone.
It's all part of the Master's plan,
A step on the road to home.
When you are lonely and sick at heart,
Go to the friends we know.
Laugh at the things we use to do
Miss me-but let me go.
-author unknown*

Acknowledgement

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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