

In Loving Memory of



Sunrise
July 17, 1923

Sunset
March 1, 2015

Grace B. Jones

Friday, March 6, 2015 - 11:00 a.m.

GRACE CHAPEL BAPTIST CHURCH

26 Haledon Avenue • Paterson, New Jersey

Rev. Gregory Wilson, Pastor

D'Quan McKnight, Organist

Reflections of Life

Grace Jones was born July 17, 1923 in Estill, South Carolina to the late Ben and Elizabeth Patterson-Brown. She attended the Thankful Baptist Church in Estill, SC where she was baptized at an early age. She was educated in the Estill, SC school system. She later met the late Paul Jones and after a short courtship they were married.

Because of her great love of family, she and her husband later moved to Paterson, NJ to be closer to her brother and sister. She continued her service to God and joined St. Luke Baptist Church under the leadership of the late Rev. A. M. Tyler where she had been a member for many years. She later joined Grace Chapel Baptist Church, Paterson, NJ.

Grace Jones was employed as a press operator for many years in NJ then became a culinary assistant for well over thirty years at North Jersey Training School in Totowa, New Jersey, where she later retired from.

Grace was affectionately called "AUNT PINK" by her family. Her favorite pastime was to take frequent trips to Atlantic City and attend various family gatherings. She had a great personality and kept an infectious smile on her face.

Grace was called home, Sunday, March 1, 2015 after a brief illness at the Bergen Regional Medical Center, Paramus, New Jersey.

She was predeceased by her husband, Paul Jones; three brothers, Henry Brown Sr. of Paterson NJ, Roosevelt Robinson of Georgia and Ernest Robinson of Brooklyn NY; as well as five sisters, Lulu Alston, Sadie Smith, Rose Primus, Elzola Furman and Willie Mae Young.

She leaves to cherish wonderful memories: one beloved son, Stanley (Jones) De Vore; a grandson, Jeriell Jones; a granddaughter, Shakera Anderson; a great-granddaughter, Quinae Jones; and a host of extended family members and friends.

Order of Service

Opening Words

Hymn of Comfort

Scripture Readings Rev. Anthony Cureton
Old Testament Psalm 23
New Testament John 14: 1-6

Prayer of Comfort Pastor Gregory Wilson
Grace Chapel Church

Selection Sister Virginia Batchelor

Acknowledgements &

Reflections of Life Rev. Dr. Kay Banks (*cousin*)

Remarks

Selection Sister Virginia Batchelor

Message of Comfort Elder Rodney DeVore (*nephew*)
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Benediction

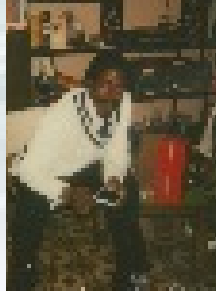
Recessional

Interment
Fair Lawn Cemetery
Fair Lawn, New Jersey

Immediately following the interment, the family will receive family and friends at the Grace Chapel Church for the repast.

Acknowledgement

*The family of **Grace B. Jones** acknowledges with deep appreciation the many expressions of love, concern and kindness shown to their family during this hour of bereavement. May God Bless and Keep You!*



I Am Free

Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free
I'm following the path God laid for me
I took his hand when I heard Him call
I turned my back and left it all.
I could not stay another day.

To laugh, to love, to work or play.
Tasks left undone must stay that way,
I found that peace at the close of day.

If my parting has left a void,
Then fill it up with remembered joy.
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,
Oh, yes these things I too will miss.

Be not burdened with times of sorrow,
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.
My life's been full, I savored much.

Good friends, good times,
a loved one's touch.

Perhaps my time seemed all too brief,
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.
Lift up your heart and share with me,
God wanted me now, He set me free!

-author unknown

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