



Sunríse Šeptember 15, 1923

Sunset July 3, 2015

<u>Service</u> Tuesday, July 14, 2015 - 10:00 a.m.

UNITY FUNERAL CHAPELS, INC.

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Rev. Dr. J.G. McCann, Sr., Officiating Rev. Dr. Eric B. Turner, Organist

<u>Obituary</u>

Grace L. Gist Williams was born in Spartanburg, South Carolina on September 15, 1923. She departed from this life in New York, New York on July 3, 2015.

She was the daughter of Reverend Avant Gist and Fannie Moore Gist. She graduated with honors from Allen High School, Asheville, North Carolina in 1943. She graduated from Kate Bitting Reynolds School of Nursing in Winston Salem, North Carolina in 1947.

Upon graduating from nursing school, she came to New York to pursue her career. In her later years, she attended Marymount Manhattan College and obtained a B.A. Degree in Psychology in June 1977.

She was a loving, kind, and generous person. She was always willing to lend a helping hand to anyone in need. She was active in her building and church. She had an intense belief in God and spirituality. She had a quest and thirst for knowledge.

She is survived by: her daughter, Grace M. Williams; four brothers, Israel Gist, Romie Gist, Javant Gist and Avant Gist, Jr. She is also survived by: three sisters, Fannie Pearson, Annie Lee Gist and Laura Cates. She is furthermore survived by: niece, Michelle Farrington; and other nieces, nephews and cousins. She will be interned at Calverton Cemetery in Long Island next to her prior deceased husband, Reginald A. Williams.

Order of Service

Processional

Selection

Scripture Readings

Prayer

Selection

Acknowledgements

Remarks

Obituary

Selection

Eulogy

Committal

Viewing

Recessional

<u>Interment</u>

Calverton National Cemetery Calverton, New York



in front of you when you need footsteps to follow.. behind you when you need encouragement... and beside you when you need a friend.

Acknowledgement

The family acknowledges with deep appreciation all acts of kindness extended to them during this bereavement hour. May God bless you for all your thoughtfulness and concern.

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