

A Celebration of Life for
Dionne Marcia Patterson



Sunrise

February 5, 1974

Sunset

July 20, 2015

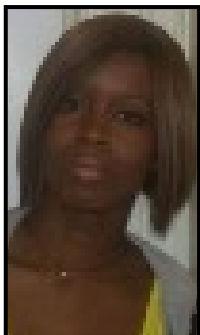
Friday, July 24, 2015 - 7:00 p.m.

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Reflections of Life



Dionne Marcia Patterson was born February 5, 1974 to Melvyn Patterson and Janet Heber Patterson of Berbice, Guyana.

Dionne spent her early childhood attending Berbice Elementary School System in Georgetown, Guyana where she was a very expressive and artistic child. In 1992 Dionne and her family moved to the United States where she took a job as a caregiver for a daycare center and attended school part time. She later went to work for Home Depot where she was a dedicated worker for fifteen years.

She was able to convey her talent in interior decorating, her flair for color in life and work really expressed who she really was. One of her many talents was cooking with love and keeping up with the latest fashions. She was a very loving and attentive person that would go out of her way for anyone she loved. Dionne never missed a beat even when she became ill.

She departed this life on Monday, July 20, 2015.

Dionne leaves behind: her mother, Janet Patterson of New Jersey; and father, Melyvn Patterson of New York; brothers, Julian Patterson of Guyana, Holborn Patterson of New Jersey, Melvin Patterson of Guyana and Michael Patterson of Texas; sisters, Theresa Reece of Philadelphia and Mallisa Barragan of New Jersey; brothers-in-law, Thomas Reece and Jefferson Barragan; sister-in-law, Julie Patterson.

"I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith: Henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, shall give me at that day: and not to me only, but unto all them also that love his appearing." II Timothy 4:7

The Fallen Limb

A limb has fallen from the family tree.
I keep hearing a voice that says, "Grieve not for me.
Remember the best times, the laughter, the song.
The good life I lived while I was strong.
Continue my heritage, I'm counting on you.
Keep smiling and surely the sun will shine through.
My mind is at ease, my soul is at rest.
Remembering all, how I truly was blessed.
Continue traditions, no matter how small.
Go on with your life, don't worry about falls
I miss you all dearly, so keep up your chin.
Until the day comes we're together again.

Author Unknown

Order of Service

Musical Interlude

Invocation

Call to Prayer

Hymn

“What a Friend We Have In Jesus”

Reading of Scripture

Zion Patterson

Reading of Obituary

David Roberts

Song Selection: 1

Reading of Poem 1: Zoe Patterson

Reading of Poem 2: Amber Nedd

Song Selection: 2

Reflections

Selwyn Asafa George

Words of Comfort

Rev. Rita Baker

Closing Prayer

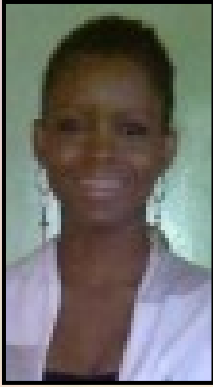
Musical Selection

Regards

Rev. Rita Baker

Recessional

Heaven Has Gained An Angel



As you complete this temporary journey you have embraced our hearts. Yes we mourn but realize this is where your life truly starts your smile sparkled greater than silver and gold We're willing to let go of your hand so that God can grab hold . We will always love you as you have continued to love us all we ask now is that you look down while you are above us we are grateful that God put us in the midst of your presence we breathe with your memory and walk with your essence. The Lord is our Shepherd He tends to us as sheep and mends the hearts that are weak until one day we can shake his hand and sit at his feet we don't think of you as a loss to our family that remains We cherish you as a beautiful angel that heaven has gained!

-Author unknown

Acknowledgement

*The family of the late **Dionne Patterson** wishes to acknowledge 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!*

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