A Celebration of Life for

Janice Patricia Gibson

Sunrise July 2, 1936 Sunset July 21, 2015

Monday, July 27, 2015 - 11:00 a.m.

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Reflections of Life

**Janice Patricia Harris Gibson**, seventy-nine of Parsippany, NJ, was born July 2, 1936 in Orange, NJ to the late Jim Wesley Harris and Edna Baker Harris. She departed this life unexpectedly on Tuesday, July 21, 2015.

Janice attended New Jersey State Teachers College where she met her husband. She enjoyed her career as a 3rd grade teacher until she and Bill started their family. She had resided in Parsippany for the last forty-six years, raising her family. In 1982, she began her second career with Tiffany & Co. until her retirement in 2009.

She was preceded death by her loving and devoted husband, William Jerome Gibson and her brother, Howard Harris.

Janice leaves her adored sons and grandchildren; Jeffrey of Paterson, NJ; his wife, Maria; daughter, Katiria; son, Amalio, and great granddaughter, Felizmarie; son, Scott of Parsippany, NJ, Todd of Kennebunk, Maine, wife Karin; grandsons, Caj and Brede. She is also survived by her brothers, James Harris and his wife Marie of East Orange, NJ and their children, Judy, Holly and a previously deceased son, Marc; and Vernon Harris and his wife Madeline of Dunnellon, Florida; and niece, Jewell Harris.

Order of Service

Prelude

Processional

Selection

Scripture Reading Old Testament New Testament

Prayer of Comfort

Selection

Acknowledgements & Remarks

**Reflections** of Life

Selection

Words of Comfort Rev. Mack Brandon, Pastor Metropolitan AME Zion Church • Ridgewood, NJ

Recessional

Interment Glendale Cemetery Bloomfield, New Jersey

(I'm 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

Acknowledgement

The family of the late Janice Patricia Gibson 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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