Celebration of Life for Arlene Bryant **Sunrise** Sunset December 26, 1958 August 28, 2015 Friday, September 4, 2015 - 10:00 a.m. **COTTON FUNERAL SERVICE** 1025 Bergen Street • Newark, New Jersey

<u>Obituary</u>

Arlene Bryant was born on December 26, 1958 in Duplin County, Kenansville, North Carolina to the late Joseph Bryant and present Olive Bryant. She departed this life on August 28, 2015 at Beth Israel Hospital, Newark, NJ.

Arlene Bryant received her education in Duplin County Public School system in Kenansville, NC. She later moved to Newark, New Jersey in 1967. She was employed with Limousine Services of BP until she was unable to work anymore.

Arlene was a loving, affectionate, kind hearted and giving person who loved her family dearly and had a very special relationship with them and her grandchildren. That love included a nickname given to her "Bushihead". She enjoyed taking trips to see her family. Arlene was also the life of the party. She will truly be missed by all her family and friends who loved her.

Arlene Bryant leaves to cherish her wonderful memories: her two daughters, Dawn Bryant (Kenansville, NC) and Alicia Bryant (Newark, NJ); mother, Olive Bryant (Kenansville, NC); two grandchildren, Dahita Hall (Kenansville, NC) and Dominique Bryant (Kenansville, NC); two aunts, Catherine Miller (Newark, NJ) and Annie Ruth Pickette (Kenansville, NC); two uncles, Johnny Ray Davis (Kenansville, NC) and Rudolph Davis (Kenansville, NC); very special friend, Emanuel Ethridge; three great grandchildren; two nieces, Crystal Harper and Victoria Parker both of Beulaville, NC; three nephews, Mitchell Bryant (Raleigh, NC), Zachary Bryant and Marcus Parker both of Beulaville, NC. She is also survived by a host of other nieces, nephews, cousins, family and friends.

Order of Service

Processional

Scripture Readings

Old Testament: Psalm 91 & Psalm 103

New Testament: John 14:1-6

Recessional

CREMATION

Rosedale Crematory Orange, New Jersey Do not stand at my grave and weep:
 I am not there, I do not sleep.
 I am a thousand winds that blow:
 I am the diamond glints on snow.
 I am the sunlight on ripened grain:
 I am the gentle autumn's rain.
 When you awaken in the
 Morning's hush,
 I am the swift uplifting rush
 Of quiet birds in circled flight.
 I am the soft star that shines at night.
 Do not stand at my grave and cry.
 I am not there. I have only slipped away
 To rest I'm still here only in another life.
 Love you always

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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