

Homegoing Service
Celebrating A Life Well Lived
Miss. Annette Hubbard



Sunrise

June 19, 1934

Sunset

September 18, 2015

Service

Friday, September 25, 2015 ~ 11:00 o'clock

Mt. Calvary Missionary Baptist Church

231-251 Seymour Avenue
Newark, New Jersey 07108

Reverend Ralph M. Branch, Jr., Pastor

Life Reflections



Annette Hubbard was born on June 19, 1934 in a small segregated farming town called Blakely, in the south west of Georgia to the late Senella W. Hubbard Pittman and Willie Standifer Hubbard, Sr.

Annette heard the summons from her heavenly Father then petitioned the Father to grant some farewell time to family and friends. She accepted the summons on September 18, 2015 to go home to her heavenly Father.

From her high school days, she exhibited strong determination, goal setting and strong leadership abilities. She was valedictorian of her high school class. Annette enrolled in Grady Hospital School of Nursing in Atlanta, Georgia, where she earned her nursing diploma. During this time she also began her volunteerism with the American Red Cross which continued until her transition home. After graduation she migrated to Newark, New Jersey, where she was employed at Presbyterian Hospital until her 1996 retirement. During her tenure at Presbyterian Hospital she was a conscientious leader as she mentored many and gave inspiration to other nurses. She developed teaching modules for her department. Her teaching and lecturing always included stress management, care for those who were dying, care of rape victims, and persons with diabetes, and hypertension. She even served as a speaker for the hospital's critical care course, and was a liaison to the community.

Her yearning for more and higher education led her to Seton Hall University where she received her B.S.N and to Jersey City State College (now New Jersey City University) where she earned her M.A. in Guidance and Counseling, plus a diploma and certification in School Psychology.

Her love for people and commitment to a better quality of life for all especially the undeserved inspired her to establish a volunteer nursing organization namely: Concerned Black Nurses of Newark, Inc. (CBNN). This organization was the first Black nurses group under the umbrella of the National Black Nurses Association to be formed in New Jersey.

Representing CBNN, Annette sat on many local and statewide boards affecting the community's health. She has assisted in community health planning, participated in health screenings/counseling, health advocacy, and student mentoring. She was a member of New Jersey's State of Black Health Committee which was the impetus for the establishment of the Office of Minority Health in New Jersey.

Annette has received numerous awards for her commitment and excellence in nursing and community services. To name a few:

1. Honored by National Council of Negro Women as a woman in the Bethune Tradition.
2. Honored by CBNN as the “Outstanding Nurse of the Year.”
3. Honored as one of the 100 most influential persons in New Jersey by City News Community.
4. Service awards by Alpha Kappa Alpha and Ken Gibson Civic Association which was noted in the Congressional Record.
5. Recognized for nursing achievement by the Institute for Nursing NJSNA.
6. Honored as one of the founders of Newark Emergency Services for families. Noted in the Congressional Record.
7. Honored as one of New Jersey's Nursing Divas and Dons at the first Gala of the Institute for Nursing NJSNA.
8. Honored as role model for the Roselle Branch of the NAACP.
9. Inducted into Seton Hall University's First Hall of Honor at the 60th Anniversary Celebration.

As a lifetime membership in the National Council of Negro Women, the National Black Nurses Association, and the NAACP, she let everyone know that she took a firm stand on the idea that Health is a Right and not a Privilege.

Annette was a devoted member of Mt. Calvary Missionary Baptist Church where she participated in many health programs sponsored by the Health Committee, the Nurses Unit, and Mentoring Youth program and many others.

Annette contributed her success to God's grace, and her mother's encouragement to live her dream.

Annette is preceded in death by her sisters: Althea Lois Jones and Jeanette Hubbard-Lewis; and brothers: Dr. James Alvin Hubbard and William S. Hubbard, Jr.

She leaves to cherish her memory a host of nieces, nephews, great-nieces and nephew, cousins and friends, specifically Annette claimed no less than a dozen neighborhood sons and daughters.

Humbly Submitted,
The Family

Order of Service

Processional.....Clergy and Family

Opening Selection.....Choir

Scriptures.....Minister Appointee
Old Testament
New Testament

Prayer of Comfort.....Minister Appointee

Selection.....Choir

Reflections (2 minute limit).....Dr. Valerie Smith Stephens
Assistant Dean for Academic Support Services
EOF Director

Norma L. Rodgers, BSN, RN, CCRA
President, New Jersey State Nurses Association

Imam Salahuddin Hanif, First Cousin

Obituary & Acknowledgements.....Dr. Gloria Boseman
Professor, New Jersey City University

Selection.....Choir

Eulogy.....Reverend Ralph M. Branch, Jr.

Recessional

Interment
Rosehill Cemetery
Linden, New Jersey

*Immediately following the Interment,
a Repast will be served in the Church Dining Hall.*

Services Entrusted To:
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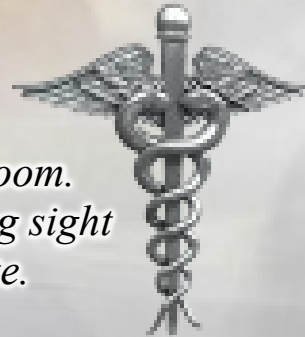
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Pallbearers

Family and Friends of **Annette Hubbard**

*An air calm dispels the gloom
The moment she enters my lonely room.
Nothing compares with the comforting sight
Of an R.N. clad in dignified white.*



Acknowledgement

The family and friends of the late **Annette Hubbard** wishes to express sincere gratitude and appreciation to our loved ones and friends during our time of bereavement. We thank you for the many prayers, messages of comfort and all of other express kindness. Our prayer is that God continue to bless each of you in a mighty way.

