

*In Loving
Memory
of*



Dorothy Watts

Sunrise: September 16, 1926

Sunset: October 26, 2015

Obituary

Today we gather to celebrate the life of **Dorothy Reese Watts**. She was a vibrant and lovable woman. She enjoyed people watching as she sat in her window where she was greeted by neighbors passing along the way. She enjoyed her life as she was a socialable person. She enjoyed traveling near and far, and she always looked forward to visiting the casinos once a month with her "crew".

Dorothy Reese was born in Baltimore, Maryland on September 16, 1926 to Flossie Saunders and Jesse Reese, Sr. Dorothy and her siblings, Jesse (deceased) and Helen moved to Columbia, South Carolina after the death of her mother, where she was educated.

"Dot" as she was affectionately called met Herbert Hawkins and from that union Patricia and Beverly were born. Dot was a very hard worker. She was employed at Barnes Laundry and Hudson Superfine of the Bronx and Stevens Cleaners and Laundries of Manhattan where she retired.

She leaves to reminisce: her sister, Helen Johnson of Queens, New York; her daughters and son-in-law, Beverly and Roger Hudson of Bronx, New York, Michelle Hawkins-Cornish, Sharon Hawkins of Belcamp, Maryland and Milinda Alston-MurRAIN of Plano, Texas; and a host of grandchildren, great-great grandchildren and great-great-great grandchildren.



Dorothy Watts (Grandma, Granny, Grandma Dot) was 89 years old when she succumbed to an illness on October 26, 2015 at (Rehab) Grand Concourse, Bronx, New York.

Service

Saturday, October 31, 2015 - 10:00 a.m.

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Order of Service

Processional

Selection

Scripture Readings

Prayer

Selection

Acknowledgements

Remarks

Obituary

Selection

Eulogy

Committal

Viewing

Recessional

Final Disposition

Oxford Hills Crematory • Chester, New York

Repast

Repast will follow the service at

1430 Plimpton Avenue, Bronx, New York.

To Those I Love



*To those I love and those that love me,
When I am gone, release me, let me go
I have so many things to see and do
You mustn't tie yourself to me with tears
Be happy that we had so many years.
I gave you my love, you can only guess
How much you gave me in happiness
I thank you for the love you each have shown
But now it's time I travel alone
So grieve for a while for me if you must
Then let your grief be comforted by trust.
It's only for a while that we must part
So bless the memories within your heart
I won't be far away, for life goes on
So if you need me, call and I will come
Though you can't see me or touch me, I'll be near
And if you listen with your heart you'll hear
All my love around you so soft and clear
And then, when you must come this way alone
I'll greet you with a smile and say,
"Welcome Home."*

-Author unknown

Acknowledgement

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