

In Loving Memory of



Lillian Morrison

Sunrise
July 6, 1930

Sunset
November 15, 2015

Service

Friday, November 20, 2015 - 11:00 a.m.

Franklin St. John United Methodist Church
142 Maple Avenue, Newark, New Jersey

Obituary

Lillian Morrison was called home to be with her Heavenly Father on Sunday, November 15, 2015 at her home in Avenel, NJ. She was born on July 7, 1930 to the late Conrad and Pearl Morgan. Lillian was the youngest of three siblings; her brother, Jack Morgan and her sister, Weltha Curry who are both deceased.



Lillian was the proud Product of the Newark School system, as a child she accepted Christ and became a member of St. John's Methodist Episcopal Church which later became Franklin St. John United Methodist Church. She loved her church and her church family. She loved and enjoyed the volunteer work she did at the church. Lillian was faithful and devoted to serving her fellowman, her motto "God let me serve others as you serve us."

Lillian's smile was a great comfort to everyone she met. Lillian smiled and her eyes said it all "love" was in her smile.

She enjoyed working with the flower guild and the United Methodist Women. She had great joy and comfort with the St. John's Unit especially looking forward to the annual fish fry, visiting the Nursing Home and the "Rainbow Tea's". These organizations will miss her and the comfort she brought to all.

She was the proud mother of two daughters, Sheree Diane Morrison and Lisa Celeste Sims. She was employed by Western Electric Company for thirty-four years in Kearny, NJ. Upon her retirement from Western Electric, Lillian worked for First Fidelity Bank first in North Brunswick and then in Newark, NJ.

Her third greatest accomplishment in addition to Producing two beautiful daughter was the purchase of her house in Avenel, NJ. She turned this house into a loving home for her daughters and herself.

Lillian enjoyed traveling to distant lands as well as cruising. She also enjoyed entertaining friends and family and loved decorating and remodeling her home.

Lillian is survived by her daughters, Sheree and Lisa; her sister-in-law, Adele Morgan; nephews, Douglass Chatt, Allen Curry, Michael Morgan, Neil Morgan, Gene Brookins, Adrian Brookins; nieces, Tracy Glover, Gwendolyn Marshall; and a host of great nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Order of Service

- Musical Prelude.....Mr. Emory L. Lee
- Processional..... Clergy and Family
- Opening Hymn.....“Precious Lord Take My Hand”
- *Affirmation of Faith #881.....*(The Apostle Creed)
- Prayer of Comfort..... The Rev. Vivian D. Cook
- Scripture Readings:
Old Testament: Psalm 23 Mrs. Minnie Mervin
New Testament: 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18
- Selection.....Music Ministry
- Acknowledgements.....Mrs. Paula Newton
- Resolutions.....Mother Marguerite Carter Terrell
Minister Georgia Johnson
- Reading of Obituary.....Ms. Roslyn King
- Reflections (1-2 minutes)
- Sermonic Selection.....“Precious Memories” Mr. Emory Lee
- Eulogy.....The Rev. Dr. Lloyd Preston Terrell
- *Commendation #874
- Recessional Hymn.....“Going Up Yonder”

Interment

Graceland Memorial Park
Kenilworth, New Jersey

Repast:

Immediately following the Interment

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.

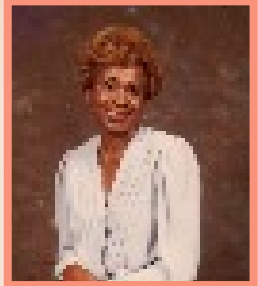
Perhaps my time seemed all too brief,

Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.

Lift up your heart and share with me,

God wanted me now, He set me free!

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Acknowledgement

The family 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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