

*In Loving Memory
of*



Mary Magdaline Haith

Sunrise: March 30, 1935

Sunset: December 30, 2015

Service

Monday, January 11, 2016 - 7:00 p.m.

CANAAN BAPTIST CHURCH OF CHRIST

132 W. 116th Street • New York, NY

Obituary

Mary Magdaline Haith was born in Burlington, North Carolina on March 30, 1935. She was the daughter of the late Joseph and Regina Haith. At 5:51 p.m. on December 30, 2015 she drifted into Eternal Freedom and Rest with our Lord and Savior at Calvary Hospital, Bronx, New York.

As a young girl her mother moved her and her brother, Fred Haith, first to Baltimore, Maryland and then to New York City. Mary pursued her education in New York, after she graduated from high school she got her beauty license and worked with her mother for a number of years. In 1970, Mary decided she wanted to continue her education. She went to college and graduated Magna Cum Laude with her masters degree in Urban Affairs. After college she worked for the City of New York Urban Affairs department for a while, she then worked for Housing Urban Development (HUD) for the United States Government until she retired.

She is survived by: her daughter, Denise Billups; her nieces, Ebony Haith and Pamela Haith; her nephews, Eugen Haith, Ossie Haith and Kristian Haith whom she raised; her cousin, Keith Perryman; her brother, Fred Haith; and a host of family and friends in New York and North Carolina.

Order of Service

Processional

Hymn of Consolation

Affirmation of Faith

Scripture Reading

Prayer of Consolation

Special Music

Obituary (To Be Read Silently)

Solo

The Eulogy

Benediction

Recessional

Safely Home

I am home in Heaven, dear ones;
Oh, so happy and so bright!
There is perfect joy and beauty
In this everlasting light.
All the pain and grief is over,
Every restless tossing passed;
I am now at peace forever,
Safely home in Heaven at last.
Did you wonder I so calmly
Trode the valley of the shade?
Oh! But Jesus' love illumined
Every dark and fearful glade.
And He came Himself to meet me
In that way so hard to tread;
And with Jesus' arm to lean on,
Could I have one doubt or dread?
Then you must not grieve so sorely,
For I love you dearly still:
Try to look beyond earth's shadows,
Pray to trust our Father's Will.
There is work still waiting for you,
So you must not idly stand;
Do it now, while life remaineth -
You shall rest in Jesus' land.
When that work is all completed,
He will gently call you Home:
Oh, the rapture of that meeting,
Oh, the joy to see you come!

Acknowledgement

The family acknowledges with deep appreciation all acts of kindness extended to them during this bereavement hour. May God bless you for all your thoughtfulness and concern.

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