

Reflections of Life



Dorothy J. Place was born on November 17th, in Saluda, South Carolina to George Johnson Sr. and RosaBell Johnson.

Dorothy attended and graduated from Rosenwald High School in Saluda, South Carolina. She moved to New Jersey where she married the love of her life, Vincent Place. She along with her husband enjoyed bowling and established a Junior Bowling

League at Wallington Lanes where they served as directors for many years. Dorothy was employed by the Passaic Board of Education as an attendance officer from 1977 and retired in 2004.

She had a passion for singing, and was a member of the Corinthians Gospel Singers. Dorothy was an exceptional cook. She fried and baked her way into everyone's heart.

Dorothy possessed a contagious smile and love of life that was immediately evident to all who were blessed to have known her. She was also, known for her unyielding compassion and joy and will be greatly missed. She was a long-time member of St. John's Episcopal Church in Passaic.

Dorothy 83, of Passaic, passed away on Wednesday, February 24th 2016.

Surviving are her twin sons and their wives, Keith and Mirna Place, Kevin and Ana Place: One brother Joseph Johnson, his wife Adrienne Johnson: She will sadly be missed by her grandchildren and great grandchild. Close to her heart were loving nieces and nephew: Velisa Brown, Stewart Graham, Sheila Woodson and her children: Landon, Chelsea and Taylor.



Order of Service

Prelude

Processional

Selection

Scripture Reading Old Testament New Testament

Prayer of Comfort

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Acknowledgements & Remarks

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Words of Comfort

Recessional

Interment

East Ridgelawn Cemetery Clifton, New Jersey

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, ves 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! -author unknown

<u>Acknowledgement</u>

The family of the late **Dorothy J. Place** 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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