



*In Loving  
Memory  
of*

*Helen N. Salisbury*

**Sunrise: December 18, 1924**

**Sunset: February 29, 2016**

**Service**

Friday, March 11, 2016 - 10:00 a.m.

**UNITY FUNERAL CHAPELS, INC.**

2352 8th Avenue • New York, NY 10027

*Rev. Dr. J.G. McCann, Sr., Officiating*

*Rev. Dr. Eric B. Turner, Organist*

# *Obituary*

**Helen N. Burkley** was born in VanMeter, Pennsylvania on December 18, 1924. Helen N. Salisbury entered into rest on February 29, 2016 in the Bronx, New York. She was the 5<sup>th</sup> child out of 7<sup>th</sup> children born to Mr. and Mrs. Burkley.

Helen received her formal education from VanMeter Public School System. Afterwards, Helen migrated to New York in which she made her home. Later on, she met and married John Salisbury, Sr. In this union, three blessings were born, Karen, John and Allen.

She was an industrious woman. Helen did whatever she could to enhance the lives around her, starting with her family. She went from working as a domestic worker to being an instrumental figure for three different Pharmaceutical Companies until she retired. She loved her family and wanted to keep them together.

Helen enjoyed cooking, family gatherings, and looked forward to the annual August cook out. Also, she was an avid reader, educator and was fond of her children and her extended family. She was very expressive and a delightful individual as long as she wasn't provoked. She was kind, truthful, trustworthy, and generous. Helen had a profound love for God. She attended Mount Olivet Baptist Church in New York City, NY for many years with her family. Also with her family, she attended Daystar Baptist Church in NYC, NY. She was known as a prayer warrior. Helen was an active member who attended the Sunday services.

Everyone loved Helen. She was always willing to assist others who were in need. Helen will be greatly missed.

Helen is preceded in death by her parents, one daughter, husband, siblings and a host of other relatives.

She leaves to mourn: two sons, John Salisbury and Allen Salisbury; one sister, Virginia Walton; A host of other grandchildren, great-grandchildren, cousins, nieces, nephews and other relatives and friends.

# Order of Service

*Processional*

*Selection*

*Scripture Readings*

*Prayer*

*Selection*

*Acknowledgements*

*Remarks*

*Obituary*

*Selection*

*Eulogy*

*Committal*

*Viewing*

*Recessional*

*Interment*

*George Washington Memorial Park  
Paramus, New Jersey*

# *The Master Called*

*I'm sorry I had to leave you.  
My loved ones, oh so dear.  
But you see, the Master called me,  
His voice was very clear!  
I had made my reservation  
A heaven bound ticket for one,  
And I knew that He would call me  
When He felt my work was done.  
I know that your hearts are heavy  
Because I have gone away,  
But when the Master called me,  
I knew that I could not stay.  
Yes, I'm sorry I had to leave you  
My loved ones, oh so dear,  
But, you see, the Master called me  
And, now I'm resting here.  
Yes, I've crossed on over to glory  
And to you all I say  
Just stay in the hands of Jesus  
And we'll meet again someday.*

*-Author unknown*

## *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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