

*Celebrating The Life of*  
*Dorothy Dooley*

*Sunrise*  
*May 15, 1943*

*Sunset*  
*March 17, 2016*



*Wednesday, March 23, 2016 - 11:00 a.m.*

**WOODY “HOME FOR SERVICES”**

163 Oakwood Avenue  
Orange, New Jersey 07050

*Rev. Dr. Kenneth Mitchem, Officiating*  
*Myron Smith, Organist*

## Obituary

**Dorothy Dooley** was born on May 15, 1943 to Alonzo Dooley and Emmie Parker in Newark, New Jersey. She was the fifth child of six children, which included Selma, Mary, Gladys, Kathleen, and Morrell.

The family resided in Newark, where Dorothy graduated from Lafayette Street School, East Side High and Essex County Vocational School, where she was awarded a Practical Nurse Diploma. She continued her education and enrolled in courses at Essex College of Business, Montclair State, Essex County Community College, Rutgers University and Ophelia Devore School of Charm.

Dorothy was a dedicated nurse and worked for more than ten years at Orange Memorial and various hospitals in the Newark/Orange area until her physical health prevented her from continuing as a professional.

She was a believer and was strongly rooted in Christian values and principles. As a child, she was taught Bible lessons at the Children's Temple in Newark. She was a faithful member of Saint Mark AME Church in East Orange for the past five years.

Dorothy was a kind and gentle soul, who believed in helping others in need. She supported many charities involving children, the disadvantaged, human rights, religious organizations and many others.

She was preceded in death by her parents, and siblings, Mary Dooley and Selma Winbush and nephew, Richard Dooley.

On March 17, 2016, Dorothy passed into eternal life at the Whitehouse Healthcare and Rehabilitation Center in Orange, New Jersey. She leaves to cherish her memory of her children, Kent Dooley and Crystal Sheard; grandchildren, Asante and Nivea; sisters, Gladys Porter, Morrell Dooley and Kathleen Dooley; niece, Sherri Porter; and a host of relatives and friends.

# Order of Service

Organ Prelude.....Myron Smith

Hymn of Comfort.....“What A Friend We Have In Jesus”

Prayer of Comfort.....Rev. Dr. Kenneth Mitchem

Scripture Readings

Old Testament - Psalm 23

New Testament - John 14:1-6

Solo.....Tyrone Dunlap

Remarks.....Family and Friends.....Two Minutes Please

Acknowledgements, Resolutions and Obituary....Yolanda Murphy

Solo.....Tyrone Dunlap

Eulogy.....Rev. Dr. Kenneth Mitchem  
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Recessional.....Clergy and Family

## Interment

*Heavenly Rest Memorial Park  
268 Ridgedale Avenue  
East Hanover, New Jersey 07936*

# To Say Goodbye

*To say goodbye is not the end  
To all my family and friends  
For life goes on, you must endure  
For my eternity is sure.  
Remember all the good times  
The memories we've shared  
The precious jewels of laughter  
The tender love and care.  
I found my resting place  
God's peace surrounds my soul  
Let love abound in all your hearts  
Let heaven be your goal.*

*-Author unknown*

## Acknowledgement

The family of **Dorothy Dooley** would like to take this opportunity to express our sincere appreciation for the many thoughtful acts of kindness, support and concern extended to us during our time of bereavement. Thank you and may God bless you.

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