

*In Loving Memory  
of*



*Rosa L. Tucker*

*June 14, 1949 - March 22, 2016*

**Service**

Saturday, April 2, 2016 - 12:00 Noon

**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*

**Rosa L. Tucker** was born June 14, 1949 in Valentines, VA to the loving parents, Mable Tucker and Arthur Tucker. She was called home to be with the Lord on March 22, 2016. She preceded in death her little brother, Leslie Tucker and little sister, Barbara Ann Leandry.

As a child, she attended House of Manning School with her brothers and sisters. While young, she was baptized and became a member of Mason Grove Baptist Church in Valentines, VA. When she was a teenager, she moved to New York City and attended Morris High School. She began working at The Children's Aid Society Dunlevy Milbank in 1987. There she started as a receptionist. Then she became the cook for Dr. Mike Carrera's Program. While working there, she became known as "Mama Tucker" to the community. After leaving the Children's Aid Society in 1990, she decided to become a home attendant. She worked as a home attendant for 9 years. When she retired, she dedicated her life to her children and grandchildren.

Rosa Tucker was a loving and devoted mother and grandmother. She will be tremendously missed and leaves to mourn in passing: her four kids, Joella Tucker (Jody), William Tucker (Peewee) and Dexter Tucker; daughter-in-law, Loisanne Duke Tucker, and Terrall Tucker; her eleven grandchildren, Jaqueta, Xandria, William Jr., Melquan, Ferrall, SaD-E, Al'lisha, Nachel, Jaron, Piper, and Faith; her only great grand, Khalil; her five sisters and one brother, Margaret Davis brother-in-law, Caesar Davis (Roanoke, VA), Geraldine Ashe brother-in-law, Norman Ashe (Austin, TX), Nancy Ashe (Austin, TX), Fannie Mae Palmer (Bronx, NY), Lula Rae Stewart (Valentines, VA) and Arthur Tucker Jr.; sister-in-law, Evelina Tucker (Lawrenceville, VA). She also leaves to mourn in her passing a great host of nieces, nephews, and cousins.

# *Order of Service*

*Processional*

*Selection*

Xandria Tucker

*Scripture Readings*

*Prayer*

*Selection*

*Acknowledgements*

Jaqueta Tucker

*Remarks*

*Obituary*

Jaqueta Tucker

*Selection*

*Eulogy*

*Committal*

*Viewing*

*Recessional*

*Interment*

*Kensico Cemetery  
Valhalla, New York*



## *If Roses Grow In Heaven*

If roses grow in heaven Lord please pick a bunch for me. Place them in my mother's arms and tell her they are from me. Tell her that we love her and miss her dearly. When she turns to smile, place a kiss upon her, and hold her for awhile. Remembering her is easy, I do it everyday. There is an ache in our hearts that will never go away.

*Sleep in Peace our special Angel*

## *God Looked Around His Garden*

*God looked around His garden  
and found an empty place.  
Then He looked down upon the earth  
and saw your tired face.  
He placed His arms around you  
and lifted you to rest.  
God's garden must be beautiful,  
for He only takes the best.*

*He knew that you were suffering,  
He knew you were in pain,  
He saw the road was getting rough  
and the hills were hard to climb,  
so He closed your eyes and whispered  
"Peace be Thine."*

*It broke our hearts to lose you  
but you did not go alone,  
a part of us went with you  
the day God called you home.  
If love would have saved you,  
you never would have died.*

## *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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