

Celebration of Life



Delores Harris

Sunrise
October 4, 1939

Sunset
April 2, 2016

Friday, April 8, 2016 – 11:00 a.m.

Saint John Baptist Church

137 Fairmount Avenue • Newark, New Jersey 07103

Patrick O. Council, Pastor/Teacher

I Miss You

*I cried when you passed away,
I still cry today.*

*Although I loved you dearly,
I couldn't make you stay.*

*Your golden heart
stopped beating,
Hard working hands at rest,
GOD broke my
heart to prove to me
He only takes the best.*

I will always love you.

Gigi



Processional

Opening Prayer

Scripture Readings

Old Testament

New Testament

Musical Selection

Acknowledgements and Obituary

Lakeisha Lawrence

Poem

LaTeisha Lawrence

Reflections (limited to 2 minutes per person)

Musical Selection

Ta'Chelle Godwin

Eulogy

Tyrone Singletary, Pastor

Recessional

INTERMENT

Fairmount Cemetery

Newark, New Jersey

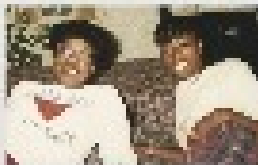
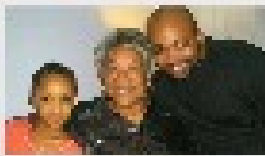
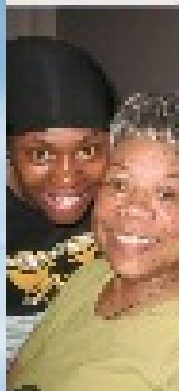
Repast

*Please join the family for the repast at
St. John Baptist Church immediately
following the interment.*

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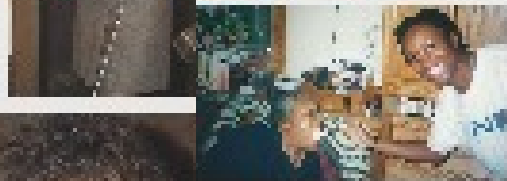
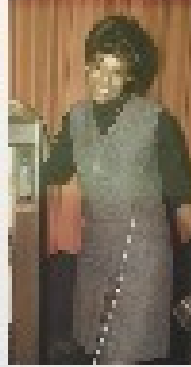
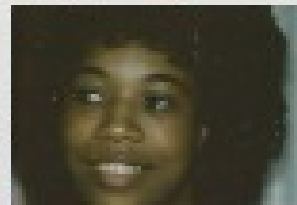
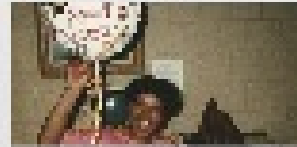
Delores Harris was born on October 4, 1939 to the late Margaret Elazier in Newark, New Jersey. She was the youngest of two children, the late Ethel Mae Harris-Slappy being the eldest. Delores attended the Newark Public School System. She graduated from South Side High School in the class of 1957.

In 1959, Delores gave birth to the first of two daughters, the late Debra Carter and her youngest daughter, Gisele Harris, born in 1968.

As a single parent, Delores went on to obtain her Associates Degree from Essex County College in Business. Upon completing her degree, she began working at Essex County College as a Secretary for the Library. She worked there over twenty years until her retirement.

Delores loved being in the water at every opportunity. She could always be found amongst the crowd at the various high school class reunions for South Side High School. Delores enjoyed watching a good western, was known for being a compulsive shopper and a lover of her rose bushes. She especially enjoyed spending time with her six great-grandchildren.

Precious memories will always linger with her daughter, Gisele Harris (Tammy); grandson, Shareef Carter (Sabrina); her great-grandchildren, Siarra, Devon, Jihad, Jameel, Saniyyah, and Nasir Carter, and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.





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I Love and Miss You Mom

So many things of Mom I miss
Her gentle hug and tender kiss
I still can feel her warm embrace
And yet picture her loving face

A Mothers' work is never done
And Heaven must have needed one
For Angels' came and took her hand
And led her to GOD's promised land

She's surely kept quite busy there
Brushing little Angels' hair
Although there's sadness, this I know
She's waiting there, her face aglow

I close my eyes and I can see
Her arms still open wide for me

I Love and Miss You Mom
Gigi

Acknowledgement

The family of the late **Delores Harris** is grateful for all of your prayers and expressions of sympathy and love. It is your love that comforts and eases the pain and reminds us of God's infinite grace. May God continue to bless you and forever keep you in His loving grace.

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