

Celebration of Life
of
Mrs. Martha Banks

Alpha: June 29, 1915

Omega: April 2, 2016



Saturday, April 16, 2016 - 9:00 a.m.

ST. JOHN EPISCOPAL CHURCH
215 Lafayette Avenue
Passaic, New Jersey

Reflections of Life



Mrs. Martha Banks, daughter of the late Mr. & Mrs. Simon Chaplin, was born in Jamaica, West Indies on June 29, 1915.

She was a member of St. John Episcopal Church in Passaic, NJ. There she served as a Alter Guild for 45 years. She worked many years as a nurse at Passaic General Hospital and St. Mary's Hospital in Passaic, NJ.

She met and married Anderson Banks and in this union they had no children, but Mrs. Banks had two daughters.

She is preceded in death by her husband and one daughter.

She entered into the eternal rest at Longwood Plantation on April 2, 2016 at the age of 100.

Mrs. Banks leaves to cherish her memory: one daughter Ms. Linda Lyons, Jamaica, West Indies, eight grandchildren, Pauline Kelly and Terrence Simpson of New York City, Pat Qualio, Tony Smith, Howard Strachn, Robert Miller and Denise Harvey of Jamaica, West Indies and Dawn Morgan of Canada: ten great grandchildren, twelve great great grandchildren and two nieces Mrs. Gloria (Hampton)Williams of Orangeburg, SC and Mrs. Denise (Gary) Knorr of Florida, two nephews Mr. Ivan Chapman and Aston Woodburn of Orangeburg, SC, and host of relatives and friends.

Order of Service

Prelude

Processional

Selection

Scripture Reading
Old Testament
New Testament

Prayer of Comfort

Selection

Acknowledgements & Remarks

Reflections of Life

Selection

Words of Comfort

Recessional

Interment

Cedar Lawn Cemetery
Paterson, New Jersey

Look For Me In Rainbows

Time for me to go now, I won't say goodbye;
Look for me in rainbows, way up in the sky.
In the morning sunrise, when all the world is new,
Just look for me and love me, as you know I loved you.

Time for me to leave you, I won't say goodbye;
Look for me in rainbows, high up in the sky.
In the evening sunset, when all the world is through,
Just look for me and love me, and I'll be close to you.

It won't be forever, the day will come and then
My loving arms will hold you, when we meet again.

Time for us to part now, I won't say goodbye;
Look for me in rainbows, shining in the sky.
Every waking moment, and all your whole life through
Just look for me and love me, as you know I loved you.

Just wish me to be near you,
And I'll be there with you.

Acknowledgement

The family of the late **Mrs. Martha Banks** wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation the many comforting messages, prayers and support and all other acts of kindness shown during our time of bereavement. Your prayers helped sustain us and your love kept us strong. It lifted our hearts to know that you cared. We would like to especially thank Longwood Plantation and its staff for their caring hands and hearts for Mrs. Banks, you are truly appreciated. Our prayer is that God will continue to bless and keep each of you.

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