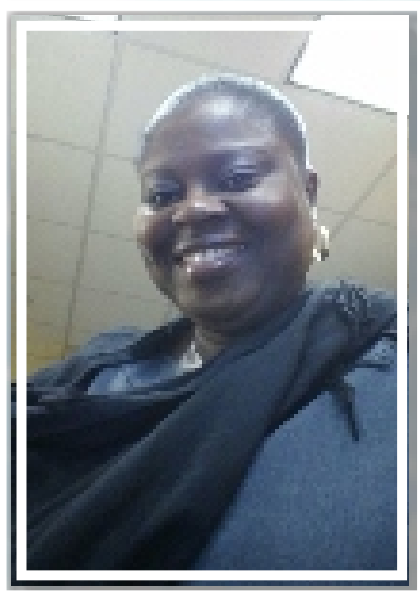


Going Home



*In Loving
Memory
of*



Naddeane Edwards
September 20, 1964 - May 1, 2016

Service

Saturday, May 14, 2016 - 10:00 a.m.

Community Baptist Church
224 First Street • Englewood, New Jersey 07631
Rev. Dr. Lester W. Taylor, Officiating

Processional of Family and Final Viewing

Invocation

Opening Hymn.....“Blessed Assurance”

The Scriptures

Old Testament - Psalms 23..... Tara Eudovique

New Testament - 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18John Blacman

Prayer of Comfort

**Musical Selection.... “Jesus Promised Me A Home Over There”
Sheimyrh Mighty**

Expressions of Condolences.....Christopher Millington

Reflections from Friends, Family and Clergy

Natasha Hinkson - Niece

Elijah Knight - Nephew

Mahalia Francis - Friend

The Reading of the Obituary.....Tyrone Francis

Musical Selection.....Toni Sumler

The Message of Hope.....Pastor Taylor

Closing Hymn

The Benediction

Recessional

Interment
George Washington Cemetery
Paramus, New Jersey

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To Those I Love

*To those I love and those that love me,
When I am gone, release me, let me go
I have so many things to see and do
You mustn't tie yourself to me with tears
Be happy that we had so many years.
I gave you my love, you can only guess
How much you gave me in happiness
I thank you for the love you each have
shown But now it's time I travel alone
So grieve for a while for me if you must
Then let your grief be comforted by trust.
It's only for a while that we must part
So bless the memories within your heart
I won't be far away, for life goes on
So if you need me, call and I will come
Though you can't see me or touch me,
I'll be near And if you listen with your
heart you'll hear All my love around you
so soft and clear And then, when you
must come this way alone I'll greet you
with a smile and say,
"Welcome Home."*

-Author unknown

Naddeane Victorine was born on September 20, 1964 to the proud parents of Stanton and Hazel Knight in Rock Dundo St. Peter, Barbados, West Indies, and the last of twelve children. She was educated at St. Boniface and St. Silas Schools in St. James until she immigrated to New York in 1979 where she continued her tuition at Boys and Girls and Mabel Dean Bacon High Schools, culminating with the Bachelors Degree from City College of New York.

Naddeane the sister:

This beloved sister would grow into her role as the family facilitator and organizer with a noticeable presence endearing her to her many siblings, strengthening their ties with one another through her charismatic demeanor. She would join forces with her siblings to honor and express their love for their mother, Hazel Knight through grand birthday celebrations. She truly appreciated and adored her mother for the struggles she endured, in order to make life possible for her to become the woman you all came to know. To her Holidays were special since they meant spending time with her sisters cooking and sharing stories of childhood escapades and by-gone times. She was ever so thrilled when her house was overflowing with her friends and relatives enjoying the solid joys and liquid pleasures of her cuisine.

Naddeane the Wife and Mother:

I could not have asked for a more devoted life-mate over the last two decades who truly looked after me. She was my queen, my counselor and my commander whom I had grown to appreciate and ultimately admired. Even when she was upset with me, or we were upset with each other, she would often reassure me that we were on the same team. That devotion extended to her role as mother of our two boys, Joshua and Jonathan, who were her pride and joy and whom she loved dearly. She made sure both of them receive the attention needed to develop into responsible and diligent young men.

Naddeane the colleague:

She was employed by The City of New York Human Resources Administration/ Caseworker, Jobs for Youths/ Retention Specialist, Research Foundation of SUNY/CUNY as a Worksite Coordinator, and finally with 1199 SEIU Training and Employment Funds as a Field Coordinator then Administrative Coordinator. Naddeane demonstrated the same remarkable organizational and charismatic traits with those whom we regularly interacted. Our work acquaintances became our friends and ultimately extended family though this uncanny ability to bring comfort and connect cross sections of people who may not have been drawn together naturally. They were connected with a genuine camaraderie through her affable personality.

To everyone assembled here today, your outpouring of prayers and kind words mean so much to our family. YOUR attendance today-- YOUR visits-- YOUR phone calls-- and YOUR Support, exemplify the love and affection held for her. She's survived by: her Mother, Hazel Knight; Sisters, Marva Francis, Monica Francis, Stephanie Hinkson and Sandra Hope; her brothers, Tyrone Francis, Stephen Knight and Wayne Knight. She leaves behind her husband, LEARIE, two sons, JOSHUA and JONATHAN, mother, sisters, brothers, aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces, nephews, friends, neighbors, work family, and church family represented. I will never fully be able to utter the words to express the profound appreciation that we all have in this most difficult and sorrowful time.



Precious Memories





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*Don't spend too much time in mourning,
Tears are for the sad;
I left to be with Jesus
And this should make you glad.
Don't waste your hours in grieving,
No need to feel distress;
I'm tired of life's frustrations
And had to get some rest.
Don't puzzle yourself with questions
Or try to reason why
Life here for me was ended,
It came my time to die.
Don't lose the love I gave you
Feed it with your care;
Grow it with devotion
And spread it everywhere.
Don't fret because my leaving
Came in such a way;
We'll have another meeting
In God's eternal day.*

-Author unknown

Acknowledgement

*The family acknowledges with deep appreciation all acts of kindness extended to them during this bereavement hour.
God bless you for all your thoughtfulness and concern.*

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