



*In Loving Memory*  
*of*  
*Revere Varner*

Sunrise: October 17, 1933 - Sunset: May 17, 2016



**Service**

*Monday, May 23, 2016 - 6:00 p.m.*

**UNITY FUNERAL CHAPELS, INC.**

2352 8th Avenue • New York, NY 10027

***Rosalie Tracy, Officiating***

***Rev. Dr. Eric B. Turner, Organist***

## *Obituary*

**Revere Varner** was the fourth of ten children, born on October 17, 1933 at Bellevue Hospital to Viola and Welton Varner in New York City.

Revere grew up at 54 West 98th Street in a close knit community, where she met lifelong childhood friends that she remained in contact with up until her passing. After graduating high school, she went to work in the credit department at Gimbal's Department Store.

In 1960, she met the love of her life, Rudolph Powell, whom she married and later had a family with.

Revere also worked for the Department of Labor, where she retired from after years of service.

Revere is preceded in death by her parents, Welton Varner and Viola Varner, her brother, Sonny and sisters, Betty and Carol.

Unfortunately, we lost Revere Varner on May 17, 2016. She was best known to her friends as Renee. She leaves behind to mourn: three daughters, Durkis, Darlene and Danielle; grandchildren, Carl, Catrina, Jamel, Jeannette, Vincent, Shawn, Steven and Shatia (Revere); along with sixteen great grands; and six siblings, Joyce, Rayvon, Janice, Melba, Norma and Cookie. She leaves a host of nieces and nephews and other family.

Revere was a very big spirit who was very kind, giving and loving. She will be greatly missed by all whose lives she touched.

Done in deep sorrow.  
- The Family

# *Order of Service*

***Processional***

***Selection***

*"Amazing Grace"*

***Scripture Readings***

***Prayer***

***Selection***

*"Jesus Loves Me"*

***Acknowledgements***

***Remarks***

***Solo***

Cheyenne Deago

***Obituary***

***Selection***

*"Precious Lord"*

***Eulogy***

Rosalie Tracy

Temple Restoration Church

***Committal***

***Viewing***

***Recessional***

***Interment***

*Calverton National Cemetery*

*Calverton, New York*




# God's 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,  
He only takes the best.*

*He knew that you were suffering,  
He knew you were in pain,  
He knew that you would never  
Get well on earth again.*



*He saw the road was getting rough,  
And the hills were hard to climb,  
So He closed your weary eyelids,  
And whispered "Peace be Thine."*

*It broke our hearts to lose you.  
But you did not go alone,  
For part of us went with you,  
The day God called you home.*

## Acknowledgement

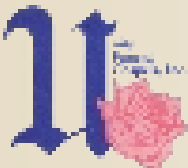
*The family acknowledges with deep appreciation all acts of  
kindness extended to them during this bereavement hour.  
May God bless you for all your thoughtfulness and concern.*

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