

*In Loving Memory*  
*of*

*Eleanor L. Jenkins*

**Sunrise:** December 5, 1930 - **Sunset:** May 29, 2016



*Friday, June 10, 2016 - 11:00 a.m.*

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*Order of Service*

Processional

Selection

Scripture Reading

Old Testament

New Testament

Prayer of Comfort

Selection

Remarks

(Two minutes each please)

Acknowledgements

Obituary

Selection

Eulogy

Recessional

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Rosehill Cemetery

Linden, New Jersey

## Obituary

**Eleanor Davis Jenkins** was born in Glynn County, Georgia on December 5, 1930, the daughter of the late Gilbert Davis and Mattie Davis. She departed this life on Saturday, May 28, 2016.

Eleanor grew up in Georgia and attended the public schools there. She moved to Jersey City, NJ where she fell in love with the late Jacob N. Jenkins, they married August 22, 1953 to this union one child was born, Sharon T. Jenkins. In later years, she also had two wonderful children, Derrick and Veronica with her loving companion the late James E. White, Jr.

She spent the majority of her life working in the medical field as a licensed C.P.A. After her retirement, she enjoyed raising her grandchildren, Corey and Nasiya also her great grandson, Markol.

She leaves to mourn her passing: two daughters, one son, one brother, two grandchildren, six great grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews and cousins.

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# *I Am Free*

*Don't grieve for me, for now I am free,  
I'm following a path God made for me.  
I took His hand when I heard Him Call.  
I turned my back and left it all.  
I could not stay another day,  
To laugh, to love, to work or play.  
Tasks left undone must stay that way,  
I found that peace at the close of the day.  
If my parting has left a void,  
Then fill it with remembered joy.  
Of a friendship, a laugh, a kiss,  
And yet these things, I too shall miss.  
Be not burdened with times of sorrow,  
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.  
My Life has been full, I've savored much,  
Good friends, good times, a loved ones touch,  
Perhaps my time seemed all to brief,  
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.  
Lift up your hearts and share with me,  
God wanted me now, He set me free.*

## *Acknowledgement*

Perhaps you sent a lovely card or sat quietly in a chair.  
Perhaps you sent a floral piece If so, we saw it there.  
Perhaps you spoke the kindest words as any friend could say.  
Perhaps you were not there at all just thought of us on that day.  
Whatever you did to console our hearts, We Thank You, Whatever the part.

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