

<u>Service</u> Saturday June, 25, 2016 – 9:00 a.m.

## REDEMPTION TABERNACLE PENTECOSTAL CHURCH

15-17 Gareis Street • Newark, New Jersey 07103

Pastor P. Piper, Officiating

### "Our Beloved PIA"

**Gertrude Pricilla Roberts** was born in Mahaut Dominica on November 15 1955 to Timothy and Sylvanie Veronica Roberts (both deceased). After the death of her mother she was adopted by Ma Ety (now deceased) her father's first cousin

Pricilla attended the Marigot government school from age five to fifteen. Pia loved cooking and baking. Her speciality was cake, mastiff bread, patty coco and coconut tablet. She religiously helped Ma Ety, her adopted mother in the roti shop to make the most finger licking roti and other treats.

Pia was blessed with three beautiful daughters, Ezra, her primary care taker who stood by her side, Rosa who took a leave of absence from her job to join in the care of her and Adissa who assisted faithfully in her care. Before migrating to the USA she was employed at Willie Thomas guest house then took up the mantle from Ma Ety when she retired from the Marigot Health Centre. She worked there as cleaner for about ten years; and then worked for Dr. & Mrs. Nasiro.

Pia was not only a dedicated mother but a dedicated Christian and really missed church and prayer meetings during her sickness. Her patti coco and cakes after church will be well remembered by everyone. After a short bout of sickness she was called home where there is no more sickness no more pains Pia was a virtuous woman who was loved by many. She will be remembered by all her loved ones.

She leaves behind Esra, Rosa and Adissa; granddaughter, Myelle; brothers Roy, Walt, Oliver, William, Desmond, Astaphans and Stephan; sisters, Jistin, Yvonne, Iris, Margaret, Evonna, Flossie, Katie, Lista, Wilma, Magdalene, St. Ville (poppot) Eunice, Jennifer and Myrtle, aunts, nieces and nephews, family and friends.

# Order of Service

Processional	Soft Music
Opening Prayer	Bro.
Scripture Readings Ecclesiastes 3:1-5 I Corinthian 15:51-58	
Praise & Worship	Praise & Worship Ministers
Poem	Simone Seabrookes
Special Song	Sis. Gertrude Sabroache
Poem	Camille and Mia
Tributes	Halima Abdullah Yvonne Piper
Song	
Sermon	Bishop Peter Piper
Prayer for the Family	Minister Beverly Musgrave
Benediction	Bishop Peter Piper
Recessional	

Interment

Rosedale Cemetery Orange, New Jersey

#### **Pall Bearers**

Oliver James
Walt James
Kerry Bruno
Desmond James
Adolf James
Jesse Bruno

#### To My Loving Grandmother

My grandma's life was full of love, she was always so thoughtful of our needs, she never said no to anyone, especially me. My grandma Pia was an angel, so no matter where I go or what I do, I will always love and cherish her.

#### From Mayel

The Sweetest Flower in the Bunch Aunty Pia was very sweet, sweeter than any kind of treat. I couldn't live without her, For she was as beautiful as a flower. When I looked at her, She made me think, She was far better than any fairy named Tink. My Aunty Pia loved cake which she loved to bake I will miss her very much, for she was the sweetest flower in the bunch.

#### - Camille 🖤

## Acknowledgements

The family of the late Gertrude Pricilla Roberts wishes to express our sincere thanks in this time of bereavement.

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