



Celebration of Life for
Barbara Ann "Bobbi" Mann



Sunrise
October 19, 1938

Sunset
September 25, 2016

Friday, September 30, 2016 - 7:00 PM

The St. Paul Baptist Church

22 Aspen Place
Passaic, New Jersey

Pastor Wallace Gaffney ~ Officiating



Reflections of Life

Barbara Ann “Bobbi” Mann of Passaic, New Jersey, was born on October 19, 1938, to the late Thomas Henry Mann, Sr. and Rhodella (Ellis) Mann.

On Sunday, September 25, 2016, Bobbi was called home to her Lord and Savior. She departed this life peacefully at St. Mary’s Hospital, in Passaic, New Jersey, surrounded by her family.

Bobbi was a lifelong resident of Passaic, New Jersey and most of her years were spent in Speer Village, where everyone knew her. She was educated in the Passaic school district.

Bobbi was employed as a Transportation Aide for Station Wagon Bus Company for 12 years. Bobbi was also a bartender at some of the local establishments in Passaic where she met many friends. Bobbi was affiliated with the Walter T. Durham Cadets of Passaic for many years.

Bobbi was a true believer in God and loved the Lord. She loved laughter and would often tell jokes to make everyone laugh and smile. She loved to cook, with Italian dishes being her favorite and Spaghetti being a hit with her family. She also loved bingo and her lottery scratch offs. Bobbi would light up the dance floor whenever she was out at family functions.

She was preceded in death by her daughter; Shelly Mann, and her great grandson; Fredrick Ricky Mann, Jr., six sisters; Sarah Durham, Edith Walker, Frances Free, Mabel Jordan, Margaret Thomas and Mary Mann, five brothers; Charles Mann Sr., Thomas Mann, Joseph Mann, John Mann and Walter Harris.

Bobbi leaves to cherish fond memories to her two devoted sons; Frederick “Ricky Mann, of Passaic, NJ, Leonard “Lenny” Mann, of Atlanta GA, three loving daughters; Frances Mann, of Oroville CA, Lynette Mann and Bridgette Mann, of Passaic, NJ, one sister; Dorothy Thorne of Passaic, NJ, her in-laws; Charlene Mann, Florence Mann, Geri Mann, Teed Mann and Donald “Sol” Jordan Sr., 19 precious grandchildren, Keyshorna, Ricky Sr., Dora, Shielah, Chantel, E’Zjaan, Tyrell, Renee, Marquis, Anissa, Jehon, Leonard, Johntae, Jesenia, Gelissa, Gabrielle, Melissa, Cieara, and Latoya, 15 Great Grandchildren, her dear friends, Lewis Cole, Gloria Armstrong, Constance Wilder, Brenda Jenkins, and Adele Washington. She also leaves a host of nieces, nephews, family and friends.

Bobbi was loved by everyone who knew her. She lived a life full of love, fun and lasting impressions. Her gentle smile, friendly, caring and loving ways will be her legacy and forever she will be missed by all.

Order of Service

Call to Worship

Musical Selection

Robin Green

Scriptures

Old Testament Psalm 23

New Testament John 14:1-6

Prayer of Comfort

Pastor Wallace Gaffney

Musical Selection

Karen McCall - "Heaven Wait For Me"

Reflections & Remarks

(2 minutes please)

Poem

Obituary

Musical Selection

Frances Mann - "Precious Lord"

Eulogy

Pastor Wallace Gaffney

Recessional

Interment

Saturday, October 1, 2016

East Ridgelawn Cemetery

255 Main Avenue

Clifton, New Jersey



Remember Me...

Remember me with smiles not tears,
for all the joy through all the years.
Recall the closeness that was ours,
a love as sweet as fragrant flowers.
Don't dwell on thoughts that cause you pain,
We'll see each other once again.
I am at PEACE...try to believe,
It was my time...I had to leave.
But "what a view" I have from here,
I see your face, I feel you near.
I follow you throughout the day,
You're not alone along the way.
And when GOD calls you...you will be,
Right by my side...right here with me.
Till then, I'll wait by heaven's door,
We'll be united...evermore.



Acknowledgement

The family of **Barbara Ann "Bobbi" Mann**, would like to express our heartfelt gratitude to all the family and friends for all your acts of kindness, thoughts, flowers, prayers, calls and visits to us during our time of bereavement.

"May God Bless you and keep you."



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