

In Loving Memory of



Bernadine Fitzgerald

Sunrise: November 29, 1958

Sunset: October 22, 2016

Service

Saturday, October 29, 2016 - 10:00 a.m.

UNITY FUNERAL CHAPELS, INC.

2352 8th Avenue • New York, NY 10027

Rev. Dr. J. G. McCann, Sr., Officiating

Rev. Dr. Eric B. Turner, Organist

Obituary

Bernadine Fitzgerald was born in the Bronx, New York. to the proud parents of George and Evangelette Fitzgerald on November 29, 1958. She was the third of five beautiful daughters. Bernadine attended Adlai Stevenson High school in the Bronx. Bernadine was a intelligent, strong, kind and beautiful woman, but not just on the outside but on the inside where it counted most to her. She was a mother, sister and friend to many and truly loved by many. Bernadine truly loved life. Bernadine worked at the metropolitan museum of art where she touched many of people with her kind nature and beautiful smile.

Bernadine leaves to cherish her memories: one daughter, Renée Bailey; five sisters, Evangelette Fitzgerald, Anngelette Fitzgerald, Yvonne Fitzgerald, Dianne Fitzgerald and Georgette Yarborough; one aunt, Shirley Foster; two nieces, Shatise Fitzgerald Williams, Thais VanDyke; two great nieces, Vontise Fitzgerald, Madison Weekes and nephew, Corey VanDyke; several cousins, Richard, Gregory, Bernard and Garyl Cogswell and Tanya VanDyke, as well as people she considered her children, sisters and cousins.

Lovingly Submitted,
The Family

Bernadine touched many lives and everyone will miss her.

Order of Service

Organ Prelude

Invocation

Selection....."You Are My Friend".....Sharina Sharpe

Scriptures

Old Testament

New Testament

Prayer

Selection....."His Eye Is On The Sparrow".....Keisha Whitney

Reflections (Two Minutes Please).....Family and Friends

Obituary

Selection....."A Song For Mama".....Vincent Parker

Eulogy

Viewing

Benediction

Recessional

Interment

*Mt. Holiness Memorial Park
Butler, New Jersey*

When I Must Leave You

*When I must leave you for a little while
Please do not grieve and shed wild tears
And hug your sorrow to you through the years
But start out bravely with a gallant smile
And for my sake and in my name
Live on and do all things the same
Feed not your loneliness on empty days
But fill each waking hour in useful ways
Reach out your hand in comfort and in cheer
And I in turn will comfort you
And hold you near
And never, never be afraid to die
For I am waiting for you in the sky!*

-Helen Steiner Rice

Please don't think that I am gone. I am here to help you carry on. I see your grief and feel your fears. I hold you close to stop those tears. Don't ever think I've gone away. I'm right beside you every day.

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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