

*In Loving Memory of*

*Lillian Kearns*

*Sunrise*  
August 18, 1934

*Sunset*  
November 15, 2016

*Service*

Tuesday, November 22, 2016 - 11:00 a.m.

*Jones Funeral Home*

247 Elm Avenue

Rahway, New Jersey 07065

*Rev. Dr. James W. Ealey, Officiating*

*Robert Arrington, Organist*

## *Obituary*

**Lillie Kearns**, affectionately known as “Miss Lillian”, one of five children of the late Earline and St-Clair Gilliam was born on August 18, 1934 in Farmville, Virginia. On Tuesday, November 15, 2016, God extended His arms and led her home.

She was a member of Second Baptist Church in Rahway, New Jersey. Miss Lil was an elementary school teacher in Newark, New Jersey for over ten years. Ms. Lillian worked for Patient Care as a Home Health Aide for over twenty years.

She was very creative, she loved to read, talk and help people in need. Miss Lillian will be joining her late husband Arthur Kearns in heaven.

She leaves to cherish her memory: her daughters, Terry Kearns-Brunson and Niko Kearns; two grandchildren, Michael Brunson II and Brandon Brunson and her son-in-law, Michael Brunson. She also leaves to cherish her memory, her last sibling, baby sister, Myrtle Gilliam, along with a list of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

# *Order of Service*

Processional

Prayer of Comfort

Remarks to the family

Scripture Readings

Old Testament

New Testament

Acknowledgement of Condolences

Tributes

Musical Selection

Closing Hymn

Eulogy

Benediction

Recessional

## **Interment**

Rosehill Cemetery  
Linden, New Jersey

## *Asleep*

*I've closed my eyes and fallen asleep,  
So there's no reason for you to weep;  
This is a debt we all must pay,  
You will see me again someday.  
I've endured pain  
and sometimes sorrow,  
Now I don't have to worry about tomorrow.  
But life for you must go on,  
You must not worry because I'm gone.  
You stood beside me all the way,  
When I was down, you knew what to say ...  
You always told me,  
"get some rest,"  
Let me sleep now, I've done my best.  
So please let me rest in peace,  
The tears you're shedding soon will cease.  
You'll soon realize this was meant to be,  
I thank God because He came for me.*

*-Author unknown*

## *Acknowledgement*

The family would like to extend gratitude to all expressions of sympathy at this time.

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