CELEBRATING THE LIFE OF

Dorothy M. Jordan

Sunrise: October 22, 1941 - Sunset: March 7, 2017



Service: Saturday, March 11, 2017 - 5:00 p.m.

COTTON FUNERAL SERVICE 1025 Bergen Street • Newark, New Jersey Rev. Dr. Donna Ho-Sing-Scott, Officiating

Order of Service

Processional	Minister and Family
Prayer of Comfort	Rev. Dr . Donna Ho-Shing-Scott
Old Testament: Job. 14:1-14	Bishop Gerald A. Beals
"IF I'M NOT HERE TOMOR	ROW"Christine J. Marshall
Selection	Kylah Brooks
Reflections	Friends and Family
Acknowledgements	Barbara H. Francis
Obituary	Barbara H. Francis
New Testament: St. John 14:	1-14th Bishop Gerald A. Beals
Selection	Kylah Brooks
Eulogy	Rev. Dr. Donna Ho-Shing-Scott
Parting View	Family and Friends

CREMATION Rosedale Crematory Orange, New Jersey

<u>Obituary</u>

Dorothy Jordan know by many as "Missy". Born October 22, 1941. Born to the Late Effie (Penny) and Simon Taylor. She was born in Sumter, South Carolina. In her early childhood, she relocated to Newark, New Jersey.

Missy attended the Newark School system. In 1978, she began to work at the Office of Administrative Law in Newark, New Jersey as a Senior Data Entry Operator until she retired due to her failing health in the late 1990s.

Missy was a certified couch potato. She loved many shows, series, and movies. From old westerns, karate films, black and white films, investigation thrillers, to comedies and soap operas. She was given the name of the "video queen". She knew all the hottest hits on the radio and tv.

Missy was a loving mother to her best friend, companion, and caregiver Christine J. Marshall. It was suppose to be "Chris & Missy" forever but God loved her more. Missy was a nurturing grandmother to Lemarr Rasheed Jordan, Daveon Cerrone Long, and Zaki A'jani Marshall. She was Zaki's "Nina". She was a compassionate great grandmother to Tahir Jamiri (Budda) Long, Taki Najee (Gotti) Long, Anayah Brielle (Butta) Long, Abdulla Rasheed Jordan, Naimah Lashawn Jordan, Ha-keem Jordan, and Alhadaz Nasir Williams.

In addition to her only child, her grandchildren and great grandchildren, she leaves to mourn one sister. Ruth Richardson of Atlanta Georgia. Preceded in death one sister Mildred Taylor and Robert Taylor. Also a host of nieces, nephews, relatives and friends.

Missy was very outspoken, she would give you a look that was worth a thousand words.

"If I Am Not Here Tomorrow"

By : Ronald Brown

IF I AM NOT HERE TOMORROW, do not cry for me; you tears, though heartfelt and sincere, cannot alter His Will about my present condition IF I AM NOT HERE TOMORROW, do you not grieve for me; just be happy: We can rejoice in the piece of mind that we got from the fact that we knew each other for one brief moment within the vast Eternity that we call "Time". IF I AM NOT HERE TOMORROW, do not mourn my passing; instead, take heart and find that Inner Strength that comes from knowing that I am happy now and forever more. IF I AM NOT HERE TOMORROW, do not pity me Actually, my New life and my New world are now perfections: Gone from my hearts of the trials, the tribulations, the troubles, the worries, concerns and cares of the Earthly World. IF I AM NOT HERE TOMORROW, please let the world continue to spin on its axis; do not enlarge my image beyond what I was; merely remember the way you know me to have been. IF I AM NOT HERE TOMORROW, always remember that I am grateful to you for the many good times we spent together, and that I wish that I could make up whatever bad times there may have been. And, of course, if you should awaken tomorrow to find out I am not here, please do not worry about me; I am in a place where I can never be hurt by anything again. And although I know that it will sometime become very lonely Here without you, please rest assured that I am well and that I am in the very best of Company.

IF I AM NOT HERE, please take care of yourself until we meet again.

<u>Acknowledgement</u>

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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