

*In Loving Memory of*  
*DeLois Mitchell-Hamilton*



*Sunrise*  
*May 11, 1939*

*Sunset*  
*May 27, 2017*

*Service*

Saturday, June 3, 2017 - 10:00 a.m.

*Friendship Missionary Baptist Church*

809 E. Hazelwood Avenue  
Rahway, New Jersey 07065

*Reverend Allen Thompson, Officiating*

## Obituary

**Delois Mitchell-Hamilton**, was born May 11, 1939 in Farmington, West Virginia, the second oldest of seven children. She graduated from Farmington High School in 1957 and was baptized September 14, 1952. She was lovingly known by family and friends as “Lois” or “Ms. Lois”.

Lois moved to Harrisburg, Pennsylvania immediately after graduation where she worked for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. She later relocated to New Jersey. Lois was a supervisor at Random House Publishing in Avenel, NJ for over 25 years. She retired from Prudential Insurance Co in 2001. Lois loved spending time with her family. She was affectionately called “The Rahway News” as she was known to make sure every family member was aware of and invited to events. She was a devout Christian who loved and served the Lord. Lois enjoyed reading scriptures and watching her favorite religious programs. She always had words of wisdom, encouragement and inspiration for anyone in need. She was caring and generous.

One of Lois’ favorite past-times was shopping all day long. She loved to find a bargain and would search high and low and travel far & wide to find one. This trait has been passed down to all of her children. Lois enjoyed watching the game show Jeopardy and she loved the beauty and grace of figure skating.

People, whom had the pleasure of knowing Ms. Lois, loved her and she loved them MORE.

Lois was predeceased by both parents; George and Ruth Mitchell, and son Darryl Mitchell. Left to mourn are her children; Sonya Mitchell of Rahway, NJ, Thomas Hamilton (Danielle) of Harrisburg, PA, and Satama Hamilton-Brown of Johns Creek, GA; grandchildren; Lawrence Marshall, Krystal Hamilton, Latiah Brown, Kamarr Brown, Thomas Hamilton, Jr., and Kyah Hamilton. Great grandchildren; Kirah Sharpe and Kaylin Brown; siblings; Eveline Cooksey, George Frederick Mitchell, Rose Anne Cooksey, Doris Stockton, Reginald (Lilly) Mitchell, and Gloria Chase, and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Lois joins her best friend Carrie Mae Grider in heaven and will be sadly missed by dear friends, James Davis, Naomi Thomas, Pearl Chapman & Mary Ellen King.

# Order of Service

Musical Prelude

Opening Prayer

Open Hymn ..... “Peace Be Still”

Scriptures ..... Selected by: Cooksey Sisters (Eveline & Rose Ann)  
Old Testament - Psalm 27:1-5  
New Testament - 1 Corinthians 15:50-58

Prayer of Comfort

Selection ..... “Amazing Grace”

Acknowledgements & Expressions

Reading of Obituary

Family Poem

Selection ..... Selection from Choir

Eulogy ..... Rev. Allen Thompson

Recessional ..... “Going up Yonder”  
Friendship Mass Choir  
Friendship Baptist Church

<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Interment</u></b> Rosedale Cemetery Linden, New Jersey</p>
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## **Pall Bearers**

Justin Cooksey

Thomas Hamilton Jr.

Chris Mitchell

Kamarr Brown

George Mitchell

Michael Cooksey

# *Weep Not For Me*

By an author unknown

Weep not for me though I have gone  
Into that gentle night  
Grieve if you will, but not for long  
Upon my soul's sweet fight  
I am at peace, my soul's at rest  
There is no need for tears  
For with your love I was blessed  
For all those many years  
There is no pain, I suffer not  
The fear is now all gone  
Put now these things out of your thoughts  
In your memory I live on  
Remember not my fight for breath  
Remember not the strife  
Please do not dwell upon my death  
But celebrate my life.

## *Acknowledgement*

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

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