

*In Loving Memory of*



*Louise Edmonds*

*Sunrise: November 14, 1950*

*Sunset: June 8, 2017*

Service

*Friday, June 16, 2017 - 11:00 a.m.*

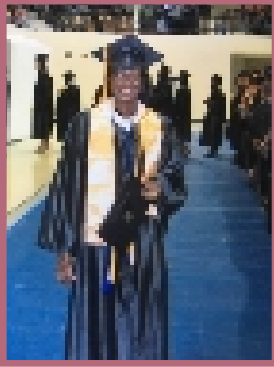
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## Obituary

**Louise Edmonds** was born on November 14, 1950 in South Carolina. She was blessed to be part of a large loving family with ten siblings and was affectionately known as "Peewee" to one and all. Louise eventually relocated to New York with her siblings and her mother, Julia Clark. The family settled in Harlem and Louise became an active member of her community and church.



It was in Harlem that Louise met and married her eternal love, Andrew "Tanko" Edmonds. Louise had a strong, outspoken personality and a strong love for her husband and children,

Andrea, Troy, Shown and Ebony, and stepdaughter, Darcel.

Louise later relocated back to South Carolina where she returned to school and earned her Bachelor's Degree and worked to help the community as a Social Worker. Louise was a devoted and dedicated grandmother who took pride in her grandchildren and her home. She often spent time in her garden which allowed her to develop a love for roses.

Due to health issues, Louise relocated and returned to New York. In her final days, she was surrounded with the care and love of her family. Louise departed this life on Thursday, June 8, 2017.

Louise leaves to cherish loving memories: her children, Andrea, Troy, Shown and Ebony; her siblings, John William, Carolyn, Emma Lee, Joyce, Daisy, Wanda Gail and Seletha; along with her grandchildren, Dorion, Anthony, Demetrius, Legend, Rosetta, Troy, Qualeena, Essence, Nyjai, Sula, Nyema, NéVeah, Naomi and Dijon; great grandchildren, Epic and soon to be born, Hunter; and nieces, nephews and other relatives. Louise was predeceased by her parents, her husband, and her siblings, Harry, Venara and Diana.

# Order of Service

*Processional*

*Selection*

*Scripture Readings*

*Prayer*

*Selection*

*Acknowledgements*

*Remarks*

*Obituary*

*Selection*

*Eulogy*

*Committal*

*Viewing*

*Recessional*

*Interment*

*Fairlawn Cemetery  
Fair Lawn, New Jersey*



With love there is no pain,  
No sorrow or regrets  
With love comes the understanding  
That you will always be.....  
In hearts, memories and souls  
With love you are appreciated,  
Cherished and respected  
So there is no hurt in saying goodbye,  
See you one day, I miss you....  
With love you learn  
That all the lessons  
Hard, painful or loving  
Made us understand that love  
Doesn't come without trust, love  
Understanding  
That you wouldn't let us fall or  
Reach out to pick us up  
With love you begin to understand  
A Mother.....  
Her thoughts are now yours, you see  
Through her eyes, your ears don't ever  
Forget the voice of  
A Mother.....  
So there is no hurt in saying goodbye,  
See you one day, I miss you.....

By Troy Edmonds

## 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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