



Margaret Sillta Silles

Sunrise December 3, 1930 Sunset June 24, 2017

<u>Reflections of Life</u> Mrs. Margaret Adlia Hicks

Margaret Adlia (Long) Hicks affectionately called, Peggy was born in Yanceyville, NC. She resided in Paterson, NJ for over 55 years.

Mrs. Hicks was an educator who taught in Paterson at Eastside and John F. Kennedy High Schools until she retired in 2007. She also was a certified administrator with numerous degrees.

She left her mark and mentored literally, thousands of youth that now serve the community at large. She was a faithful and active member of the Redeeming Love Christian Center in Nanuet, NY where she worked in the Faith Food Book Store for many years. She enjoyed entertaining guests and dignitaries along with her husband. She delighted in cooking Homestyle meals for the family. She also enjoyed reading, going on cruises, eating out with friends, going to church and was an excellent seamstress. The role she relished most in was being the biggest fan to her children, Linda and Billy.

Peggy was a woman of her word and lived selflessly. She always gave of her time and resources to the community and those in need. She faithfully tithed and was a prayer partner for many. Margaret was a loving mother that dedicated her life to her children and husband and always was the voice of reason to give advice and to listen.

Mrs. Hicks departed this life on Saturday, June 24, 2017.

She was predeceased by her parents, Floyd Long and Ethyl Pinchback Long, her husband William H. Hicks Sr. and her sisters, Marie Jones and Mary Lownes.

She is survived by her son William H. Hicks Jr. and daughter Linda Adlia Hicks, stepdaughters Patricia Hicks and Chiquita Hicks, and a host of other relatives, friends and Church Family.

Condolences can be sent to: P.O. Box 1608, Paterson, NJ 07509

Friday, June 30, 2017 - 12:00 Noon

AGAPE CHRISTIAN MINISTRIES

76 Ward Street
Paterson, New Jersey

Rev. Dr. James A. Kuykendall, Officiating

Order of Service

Musical Prelude

Scripture Readings

Old Testament – Psalms 16:7-14 New Testament – John 14: 1 – 6

Prayer of Comfort

Musical Selection

Special Remarks

Acknowledgements

Reflections of Life

Selection

Eulogy Rev. Dr. James A. Kuykendall

Recessional

Interment

Fairlawn Cemetery Fair Lawn, New Jersey



Heaven Has Gained An Angel

As you complete this temporary journey,
you have embraced our hearts.

Yes, we mourn but realize this is where your life truly starts.
Your smile sparkled greater than silver and gold.

We're willing to let go of your hand so that God can grab hold.

We will always love you as you have continued to love us all.
We ask now is that you look down while you are above us.

We are grateful that God put us in the midst of your presence.
We breathe with your memory and walk with your essence.
The Lord is our Shepherd. He tends to us as sheep
and mends the hearts that are weak
until one day we can shake his hand and sit at his feet.
We don't think of you as a loss to our family that remains.
We cherish you as a beautiful angel that heaven has gained!

Heknowledgement

The family of the late Margaret Adlia Hicks wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation the many expressions of love, concern and kindness shown to their family during this hour of bereavement.

May God Bless and Keep You!

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