



*In Loving  
Memory  
of*



# *Christine Minor*

***Sunrise: November 18, 1933***

***Sunset: June 24, 2017***

**Service**

***Monday, July 3, 2017 - 10:00 a.m.***

**MT. NEBOH BAPTIST CHURCH**

1883 Adam Clayton Powell, Jr. Blvd. • New York, NY 10026

***Rev. Johnnie M. Green, Officiating***

# Obituary

*The righteous perish, and no one takes it to heart; the devout are taken away, and no one understands that the righteous are taken away to be spared from evil. 2 Those who walk uprightly enter into peace; they find rest as they lie in death.*  
*Isaiah 57:1-2*

**Christine Minor** also known as "**Mana**" by her loving and devoted family and friends was born on November 18th, 1933, in her home in South Carolina. She was born to Maggie Philips and Samuel Philips, Sr., whom she loved dearly. She was part of a very large and loving family that she genuinely adored up until the day she passed. Christine was the oldest one of fourteen children and she always tried her best to set a good example for her younger siblings.

While living in South Carolina she became a member of Salem African Methodist Church where she began her spiritual walk. Christine attended Whittemore High School in Conway, South Carolina where she enjoyed learning. She had such passion for learning that she attended Benedict College in Columbia, South Carolina where she graduated. When Christine became a young adult she moved to New York to obtain a better life for herself and her family. While in New York she met the love of her life, her husband Theodore Minor in New York and got married and within this beautiful union she had two children, Brenda and Theodore, Jr. Christine loved and adored her husband and children.

Christine loved everyone; she was the type of person that would light up the room with her presence. Christine was known for intelligence and lively presence. She enjoyed spending weekends with her granddaughters, Viesa and Kia where she would teach them a lesson or two about having a good time and living life. She often took in family members and friends who needed a place to stay and never looked for anything in return. Christine was an angel with her gracious giving and compassionate attitude towards the people she loved as well as strangers. Christine lived a very long happy life were she accomplished so much and has left a permanent mark on everyone's heart that she encountered. In New York she continued her faith and love for God and joined the Mount Neboh Baptist Church where she sang in the choir and was a faithful member of the church in which she devoted herself to God. Christine would help the community and her friends every chance she got and would never look for anything in return. Christine was a woman of God and of kindness. She adored her family and enjoyed each day that she lived.

She is preceded in death by her beloved mother, father, husband, daughter, son, and four siblings. She is survived by: nine brothers and sisters; her three grandchildren, Viesa, Kia and Lucius; nine great grandchildren, Vanessa, Mieka, Vincent, Mikel, Amariah, Shadaye, Ariel, Vaughn and Penelope; and a host of nieces and nephews, cousins and friends.

# *Order of Service*

*Processional*

*Selection*

*Scripture Readings*

*Prayer*

*Selection*

*Acknowledgements*

*Remarks*

*Obituary*

*Selection*

*Eulogy*

*Committal*

*Viewing*

*Recessional*



*Interment*

*Long Island National Cemetery  
Farmingdale, New York*

# *This Precious Love*

*This precious love  
The one that can never be erased or replaced  
A grand mother love  
A mother love  
She teaches you everything above  
Above the sunlight  
She teaches you life  
She teaches you love  
She holds you when the nights are cold  
She holds you even when you get old  
This precious love  
A grand mothers love  
A mother love  
I learned there is no other or better love*

## *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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