

## Santa McDowell

Sunrise: November 1, 1955 Sunset: September 21, 2017

Saturday, September 30, 2017 - 10:00 a.m.

**Church of the Holy Communion** 

219 Carroll Street Paterson, New Jersey Santa "Sandy" Epinosa McDowell was born November 1, 1955 in Humacho, Puerto Rico to Francisco and Eudosia Espinosa.

She was educated at Schools in Newark and New Jersey and received her high school diploma from Passaic High School, and her B.A. In Theater Arts from Ramapo College of New Jersey.

Sandy worked for the Social Security Administration, Follett Ramapo Bookstore, W. & J. Sloane Inc., Macy's, Marcus Jewelers, the Ridgewood Police Department and Rafters.

Sandy was a member of Church of the Holy Communion, Paterson.

Sandy departed this life on September 21, 2017. She was predeceased by her sister, Awilda Espinosa, father Francisco Espinosa, Sr. and stepfather, Alejo Castro Andino.

She is survived by her husband of forty-one years, Richard; son, Richard Dennis; mother, Eujosia Flecha; brothers, Franisco Epinosa, Jr. and Edwin Espinosa; sister, Isabel Castro; and a host of other family members and friends.

The Burial	Office
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Processional Hymn		
The Burial Anthem	BCP Page 491	
The Collect	BCP Page 493	
The Liturgy of the Word		
First Reading	Isaiah 61:1-3	
Psalm 23	BCP Page 612	
Epistle	1 Corinthians 15:20-28	
Hymn		
The Gospel	All Stand	
HomilyF	The Rev. Donald Shearel Former Rector of Church of the Holy Communion	
The Apostle Creed	BCP Page 496	
Obituary		
Remarks		
Prayer of the People	BCP Page 497	
The Peace		
The Holy Communion		
Hymn During Holy Comm	nunion	
The Commendation	BCP Page 499	
Blessing and Dismissal		
Recessional Hymn	LEVAS 184	
Interment	Mt. Rest Cemetery, Butler, New Jersey	
"The Souls of the Righteous are in the hands of God" Wisdom 3:1-5,9		

Order of Service

## Afterglow

I'd like the memory of me To be a happy one, I'd like to leave an afterglow Of smiles when day is done. I'd like to leave an echo Whispering softly down the ways, Of happy times and laughing times And bright and sunny days. I'd like the tears of those who grieve To dry before the sun Of happy memories that I leave behind, When the day is done. -Helen Lowrie Marshall

## Acknowledgement

The Family of Santa McDowell wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation the many expressions of love, concern and kindness shown to the family during the hour of bereavement. May God bless and keep you!

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