

Emanuel

May 2, 1933 - September 30, 2017

Service

Saturday, October 7, 2017 - 10:00 a.m.

Israel Memorial AME Church

54 Lincoln St. Newark, NJ 07103 Rev. Linda Ellerbe, Pastor

Order of Service

Rev. Linda Ellerbe, Pastor Officiant

Musical PreludeMr. Dyshawn McClish
The Processional
Opening Hymn394- "We'll Understand It Better By and By"
Prayer of Comfort
Scripture Reading: Old Testament: Psalm 23
Solo
Reading of Acknowledgements and ObituaryMs. Brigitte Emanuel
Reflections(2 minutes please)
Hymn Medley Mrs. Karen Fuller
Eulogy
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Interment

Graceland Memorial Cemetery 1900 Galloping Hill Rd., Kenilworth, NJ 07033

Obituary

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Dorothy Elaine Emanuel was born on May 2, 1933 to Albert B. and Mattie M. Wilkes.

Born and raised in Newark, NJ, Dorothy was educated in the Newark Public Schools System. In 1951, she was blessed with the birth of her daughter, Charlene. In 1974, she married Benjamin L. Emanuel, Jr. and built their life together in Vauxhall, NJ. This union allowed, Dorothy to gain two additional children, Gwendolyn and Michael.

During Dorothy's professional career, she worked for Ogden Food Services in Elizabeth, NJ as a hot food packer for domestic and international flights until her retirement.

Dorothy was a beloved wife, mother, grandmother, aunt, cousin, and friend. She was a member of Israel Memorial AME Church. Dorothy enjoyed watching soap operas, cooking, baking, singing hymns, and she loved to laugh! She was always willing to help others and devoted her life to her family.

God called Dorothy home on Saturday, September 30, 2017 where she was surrounded by the love of her family in Mountainside, NJ as she transitioned to His eternal kingdom.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Albert and Mattie Wilkes, her brother, Sonny Wilkes, her daughter, Gwendolyn Glover, and her son Michael Self Sr.

She leaves to cherish her precious memories, her devoted husband, Benjamin L. Emanuel Jr., her loyal and dedicated daughter, Charlene Odom, grandchildren, Ayana Odom, Sean Glover, Michael Self Jr., and Alicia Self, great grandchildren, Lawrence Jeremiah Weaver, Mi'casia Landi, and Delicia Jiles; and a host of loving family members and dear friends.

The Master Called







I'm sorry I had to leave you. My loved ones, oh so dear. But you see, the Master called me, His voice was very clear! I had made my reservation A heaven bound ticket for one, And I knew that He would call me When He felt my work was done. I know that your hearts are heavy Because I have gone away, But when the Master called me. I knew that I could not stay. Yes, I'm sorry I had to leave you My loved ones, oh so dear, But, you see, the Master called me And, now I'm resting here. Yes, I've crossed on over to glory And to you all I say Just stay in the hands of Jesus And we'll meet again someday. -Author unknown

Pallbearers

Family and Friends

Acknowledgement

The family of, **Dorothy E. Emanuel**, with great appreciation, thanks all those who have shared a kind word, thought, or prayer during this difficult time.

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