

Celebrating the Life Of



Alberta L. Bailey

Sunrise: June 13, 1938 - Sunset: December 2, 2017

Service:

Tuesday, December 12, 2017 - 11:00 a.m.

COTTON FUNERAL SERVICE

1025 Bergen Street • Newark, New Jersey

Obituary

Alberta Louise Bailey to some known as Jenny was born to Catherine Johnson and Benjamin Franklin Rawls on June 13, 1938 in Columbia, South Carolina. When Alberta was just a toddler she moved to Philadelphia, PA where she was raised by Velma Smith.

Alberta attended and was educated by Philadelphia Public School System in the late 40's. Upon leaving school she took on a career as a Domestic house keeper for a short period of time. Alberta knew that she destined for greater and housekeeping was not the career that she wanted to fulfill, so she then took up a career as a care giver.

Alberta showed her deep passion and love for kids which was displayed tremendously when she decided to become a foster mother. Alberta went above and beyond serving the community and she always had her doors open no matter the situation or circumstance, she showed the God that was in her by keeping an open-door policy to family, friends, loved ones and to those who she didn't even know. During her memorable career she worked for DDD, Family Intervention, and Alberta also had a childcare daycare that was called Auntie's Home Care.

Alberta was a member of the Go Getters Club which wasn't a surprise because she was most definitely a go getter.



She was a member at the Great Bethel Outreach Church. While Alberta was living out the purpose that God placed on her life, God also placed a special man in her life that would soon after becoming her husband of 36 years William Herbert Bailey.

Alberta lived a purposeful life, and shared a lot of memorable moments that many of us won't ever forget even if we tried. She continued to bring together the family through the ups and downs and always emphasized how important true love and true forgiveness is when it comes to family.

Alberta preceded her death by the passing of her son Benjamin on September 23 of 2011 and Allen on September 22 of 2017.

Alberta leaves to cherish her memories with her husband William Bailey of Robeson, PA, her two sisters Belinda Harrison, of Delaware, MD and Beverly Hunter of Irvington, NJ. Six children Theresa Johnson, Basym Hassan, Barbra Trusty, of Philadelphia, Pa, Anthony Jackson of Toms River, NJ, Alfreda Trusty and Dion Bailey of Newark, NJ. A host of grandchildren and great-grandchildren as well as a host of many other relatives. Also, Alberta always gave a special Thanks to Rev. Osborne, Kendell, Phillip, Willa and Renia,

Let's remember all the good times that Alberta would have wanted us to remember, lets smile up to the heavens trusting in God that she is looking down on us right now as we are gathered here today knowing that she is smiling down on all of us.

Order of Service

Processional

Scripture Old/New
Beverly Hunter

Prayer of Comfort
Felicia Osborne

Solo

Acknowledgement/Remarks
Tameeshah Davis
Yazmier Hall
Rev. Chamblee

Obituary
Alexis Trusty

Eulogy
Rev. Clifford R. Bower

Recessional

INTERMENT

Evergreen Cemetery
Hillside, New Jersey



Acknowledgement

Perhaps you sent a lovely card or sat quietly in a chair.

Perhaps you sent a floral piece If so, we saw it there.

Perhaps you spoke the kindest words as any friend could say.

Perhaps you were not there at all just thought of us on that day.

Whatever you did to console our hearts, We Thank You, Whatever the part.

The Bailey family would like to thank Rev. Roundtree and Lavar Scott for always being there.

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