

In Loving Memory of
Gloria F. Hubbard



Sunrise
March 29, 1951

Sunset
December 3, 2017

Service

Friday, December 15, 2017 - 11:00 a.m.

ROSDALE CEMETERY GRAVESIDE
Montclair, New Jersey

Reflections of Life

Gloria Jean Hubbard nee Spivey, 66, returned to her heavenly home on December 3, 2017 after a valiant battle with a long illness. Her devotion to her family and her firm belief in God supported her through her struggle and ultimately gave her peace.

Gloria was born to the late Hubert and Bertha Spivey in Glen Ridge, NJ on April 29, 1951. A life-long resident of Montclair, New Jersey, she graduated from Montclair High School in 1969. Shortly after graduation, she married the late Billy Hubbard and together on October 20, 1972, the couple welcomed a son, the late Richard Lee Hubbard. Gloria was a devoted mother and Richard truly was her pride and joy.

In the late 70's, Gloria began her career in cooking at Clara Maass Medical Center in Belleville, New Jersey. It was there she gained her love for the art and craft of food preparation. 20 years later, after the sudden loss of her husband, Gloria retired from the kitchen to take over her late husband's establishment called Minnesota's Legacy. With the help of supportive family and friends, she ran Minnesota's Legacy for nearly 10 years until her health began to decline.

Gloria was an avid bingo and card player. She loved attending bingo several nights a week with her mother and friends. She participated in several different card clubs and enjoyed places like Atlantic City.

Gloria's favorite card game was pitty pat and she spent her last years teaching her niece, Malaysia, everything she knew.

Gloria is survived by: her brother, Frank Spivey; niece, Kecia Spivey; and her great niece's, Katoria Marshall and Malaysia Ashcroft. She is preceded in death by her husband, Billy Hubbard; her son, Richard Lee Hubbard; and her parents, Hubert and Bertha Spivey.

Her loved ones, who celebrate the fact that she is at peace with God, will miss her singing gospel songs around the house and during long car rides.

Order of Service

Final Viewing

Opening Prayer.....Rev. Michael Spivey

Scripture Reading

Old Testament.....Psalm 23

New Testament.....John 14:1-3

Obituary Reading.....Family

Poem

Congregational Song.....“Going Up Yonder”

Eulogy.....Rev. Michael Spivey

Committal

Funeral Home.....Closing remarks

Closing Prayer



Interment

Rosedale Cemetery
Montclair, New Jersey

A graveside service will take place at 11:00 a.m. on Friday, December 15, 2017, at Rosedale Cemetery with the repast to follow at Union Baptist Church at 12-14 Midland Avenue, Montclair, NJ. The family gratefully declines flowers, but cards, prayers, condolences and memories are gladly accepted.

Farewell

Farewell my family, don't weep for I'm at peace now, just asleep. Farewell my family, I'm not alone, the Mighty Maker has led me safely home. Just think back over the many years, how the family seemed so strong, holding back the tears. Yet, God somehow always made a way, thanking Him every night and day. Be good my family, always love each other. Be strong my family, strong in heart, the blood ties, no one can ever part. If at some time I made a mistake, as you live, many will you make. Farewell my family, I've been called away. Walk with God, trust in His word, for He is always by your side.

Acknowledgement

*The family of the late **Gloria J. Hubbard** 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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