

*Celebrating
The Life
Of*



Jean L. Hampton

Sunrise: July 21, 1934 - Sunset: January 14, 2018

Service:

Sunday, January 21, 2018 - 1:00 p.m.

COTTON FUNERAL SERVICE

1025 Bergen Street • Newark, New Jersey

Obituary

Jean Hampton born in Newark, New Jersey on July 21, 1934 to George Hargrove and Viola (Riley) Hargrove. She was the eldest of six children. Jean fell asleep into eternal life on January 14, 2018 at Saint Barnabas Medical Center after a longtime illness.

Jean was a longtime resident of Newark, New Jersey. She received her education in the Newark Public School System and employed by Newark Beth Israel Hospital as a dietary Aide. In 1967, the Newark riots led Jean to her employment at St. Michaels Medical Center where she remained employed until she retired after twenty four years of service as a Nursing Assistant. In 1977, she moved to Irvington, New Jersey where she resided for thirty plus years. Once Jean's health began to fail she moved to East Orange, New Jersey to be cared for by her daughter Regina Kerr.

Jean enjoyed planning family outings such as family reunion cookouts, bowling, movie nights, going out to breakfast, lunches, and so much more! Jean also enjoyed traveling with friends and family. She enjoyed good music, dancing, cooking, partying and listening to her gospel music on Sunday.

Jean was predeceased by her only son; Roy Lester Hampton, parents; Viola and George Hargrove, her siblings; George II, and Lionel Hargrove, her grandchildren; Anwar West, and great-grandchildren; Lataya Powell and Michael Hampton, and her son-in-law; Larry West.

Jean leaves to cherish her precious memories, her daughters; Erniece (Larry) West and Regina (Anthony) Kerr, her siblings; Joan Henrietta Lennon, John Gerald Hargrove and Kathy Lynn Hargrove, grandchildren; Rahine Hampton, Tameeka Hampton, Shaakira West, Akhu Kerr, and Ayanna Kerr, her great-grandchildren; Rahjohn Hampton, Imani Jean Hampton, Sirayah Hampton, Eric Manning-Hampton, Anaya Williams, Larry Powell, Jr., William Hampton, Laquiwa Odom, and Samiyah Jean West. Jean also raised four non-biological children, Derrick Atkins, Gary Atkins, Dennis Atkins (who preceded her in death) and Denise Atkins. Jean also leaves a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends that will forever hold her close to their heart.

We love you and we thank you! You can rest now.....

Order of Service

Processional

Opening Hymn Aaron Brown

Scripture Reading

Old Testament

New Testament Minister Fitzroy Jackson

Prayer of Comfort..... Minister Fitzroy Jackson

Selection..... Kim Armstrong

Remarks

Acknowledgements/ Reading of ObituaryAlissa Zayas

Selection.....Kim Armstrong

Eulogy..... Minister Fitzroy Jackson

Recessional

INTERMENT
Glendale Cemetery
Bloomfield, New Jersey

Repast following the interment at
583 Central Avenue, Newark, NJ

When Tomorrow Starts Without Me

*When tomorrow starts without me and I'm not here to see
If the sun should rise and find your eyes all filled with tears for me
I wish you wouldn't cry the way you did today
While thinking of the many things we did not get to say*

*I know how much you love me, as much as I love you
Each time that you think of me, I know you will miss me too
When tomorrow starts with out me please try to understand
That an angel came and called my name and took me by the hand*

*The angel said my place was ready in heaven far above
And That I would have to leave behind all those I Dearly Love
But When I walked through Heaven's Gates I felt so much at home
When GOD looked down and smiled at me from his golden throne*

*He said This Is Eternity and All I promised you
Today for life on earth is done but here it starts a new
I promise no tomorrow for today will always last
And Since each day's the exact same way there is no longing for the past*

*So When Tomorrow starts without me do not think we're apart
For every time you think of me remember I'm right here in your heart*

Acknowledgement

The family of **Jean L. Hampton** would like to thank all who have extended their support and acts of kindness during their time of bereavement. God bless you all for your thoughtfulness and concern.

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