

Reflections of Life



Shirley Mackey-McGlone ascended into the right hand of God on Monday, April 6, 2020. The daughter of Benjamin Sr. and Marie Mackey, who preceded her in death, was born in Harlem, NY August 9, 1950. She was a resident of Paterson, N.J. for 45 years. Shirley was married to Vernon Kevin McGlone who also preceded her in death 2018.

Shirley attended the New York Public School System and graduated from Jane Addams High School majoring in nursing. She completed her education in nursing at William Paterson College, and then entered the workforce as a nurse at Beth Israel Hospital. Her career in nursing led to many opportunities at several major hospitals in New Jersey; to name a few, St. Joseph's, St. Michael's, Daughters of Miriam, and

the Paterson Board of Health. Shirley worked in private nursing, nursing homes and as an X-ray Technician at the University Hospital in Newark, NJ before her retirement.

Shirley was a longtime member of Grace Chapel Church in Paterson, NJ where she served on the Missionary Board. She later became a member of Canaan Baptist Church where she was a faithful member and served on the Missionary.

Shirley was a member of the International Free and Accepted Modern Masons, Inc. She was in the Order of the Eastern Stars Daughter of Election and was appointed Queen of the South in Chapter #177 where she served honorably.

Shirley was a beautiful God-fearing woman, who was very passionate about the Lord. She was extremely fashionable and loved shopping, music and cooking. Shirley had a heart made of gold. She had a charismatic way of making people feel loved and special. She was hilarious and kept people laughing until you were practically in tears with her magical humor. She loved to see everyone happy.

However, she was known for keeping it real and would let you know if she was not happy about something....she will be immensely missed!

Leaving to cherish her memory is her loving daughter; Seleste White and husband Bryan, her step-grandson Lamar, her sister Rosalie and brother Benjamin (Amar), her aunts Josephine, and Dorothy, nieces Dawn, Michelle, Marcia, nephews Michael, Cliff, Jason, Jarion, and Steven and a host of cousins, grandnieces and grandnephews, in-laws and loving friends.



Interment

Maple Grove Cemetery 127-15 Kew Garden Road Kew Gardens, New York

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