



In Loving Memory of
Edith Etienne

Sunrise
September 9, 1931

Sunset
April 11, 2020

Service

Tuesday, April 28, 2020

Visitation: 10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Funeral Mass: 11:00 a.m.

WALLER CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST
694 Macon St. • Brooklyn, New York 11233
Father Berrette Hugues, Officiating

Order of Service

Introductory Rites

Greetings

Entrance Processional and Song.....“Amazing Grace”

Opening Prayer

Liturgy of the Word

1st Reading - Romans 6:3-9

Responsorial Psalm (Sung)

Alleluia

Gospel...John 14:1-6

Homily

Intercessions

Eulogy

Final Commendation

Invitation to Prayer

Farewell Prayer

Prayer of Commendation

Recessional Hymn.....“How Great Thou Art”

Interment

Mount Rest Cemetery

Butler, New Jersey

Obituary

Edith Etienne was born September 9, 1931 to the late Rejul Giordani and Clarice Montinart in Haiti. Growing up as a child she believed in and loved God and was a very religious young girl in which she carried into her adult life. While studying in Haiti, she became a nurse and worked at Renault Medical Center for 30 years. In her early 30's she met and married the late Dr. Antoine Etienne, from this union were born 3 children. Edith had a passion for baking and when her husband passed, she continued to work as a nurse, she also used her talent for baking to sell pastries to earn additional income to support her family.

At the age of 50, Edith migrated to New York City where she settled in Queens, NY to start a new life after retirement. A few years later two of her children soon followed. She became a home health aide as she felt that she still had more to offer the world. She became a member of St. Theresa Catholic Church in Queens, NY and joined the Sacred Heart Prayer Group. Despite the loss of 2 of her children in the late 1980's, her son Frankie and the late 1990's her daughter Maggie, she never lost her faith. She continued to stay strong as she raised her grand-daughter Sorayah. She worked hard to support her family, both in New York and also her daughter, son-in-law, and grandchildren who were back in Haiti. In the early 2000's she moved to Brooklyn where she later retired at the age of 80. Edith continued to stay active after retirement, continuing attend church services and prayer groups. Edith loved to dance and festive events, she always baked patties, hot pockets, cakes and other pastries. A stern woman, she was never unkind to anyone and there is no one who can say anything negative about her. She was very affectionate and loved to embrace those she loved. Edith LOVED being around her family and wanted nothing more to spend all the time that she could with them.

She was strong in her faith and was a God-fearing woman. On April 11, 2020, Edith was granted her wings. She was predeceased by her parents Rahuel and Clarice, husband Antione and children, daughter Maggie Etienne and son Frankie Etienne; granddaughter Daphane Etienne, sister Rose-Marie Gordani.

She is survived to cherish her memory her daughter Maryse Coutard, niece Marie-Nella Giordani; grandchildren: Michel, Stanley, Stephane Coutard, Sorayah Etienne and Anne-Laurance Coutard and 11 great grandchildren.

John 14:1-6

Let not your heart be troubled: ye believe in God, believe also in me. In my Father's house are many mansions: if it were not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you. And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again, and receive you unto myself; that where I am, there ye may be also. And whither I go ye know, and the way ye know. Thomas saith unto him, Lord, we know not whither thou goest; and how can we know the way? Jesus saith unto him, I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me.

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May God Bless and Keep You!

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