



*In Loving  
Memory  
of*

*Gloria Sanders*

Sunrise  
December 11, 1936

Sunset  
April 14, 2020

**CORY J. VAUGHN DANIEL FUNERAL DIRECTORS INC.**  
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## Obituary

Gloria was born December 11, 1936 to William and Ella Stokes. Gloria was the sixth born out of nine children. She was born in Brooklyn N.Y. She attended the Rock of Ages Baptist Church, where her father was the Reverend. Gloria attended Franklin K. Lane High School, where she graduated with an Academic Diploma. During High School she met the love of her life Johnnie L. Sanders, who also attended Rock of Ages Baptist Church. July 25, 1956, they married and spent 58 wonderful years together. From this union they were blessed with two beautiful children, Baron and Francine.

Gloria always wanted to be a nurse. She started as a nurse's aide at Kings County Hospital. Later she went to BMCC and Hunter College to become a Licensed Practical Nurse. Still working at the County, she attended the Harlem School of Nursing where she achieved her ultimate goal of becoming a Registered Nurse. This was from 1971-1974. After graduation she continued to work at Kings County Hospital, where she worked 35 years until she retired.

Gloria and Johnnie always went on vacation, to Hawaii twice, Paris, France, on cruises and many other places. One of her favorites pass times was Atlantic City even before the casinos, Empire City and Resorts Casino was much closer in her later years. At home doing crossword puzzles and scratch offs were her interest, also watching her favorite T.V. shows. Perry Mason and Gunsmoke was in her top 5.

Gloria was a very loving and caring person, especially when it came to her family. She enjoyed visiting them. You never knew when she was coming. She loved taking snacks to her little nieces and nephews or bringing food to share with her siblings, family and friends. She would often travel to Manhattan to have lunch with her daughter-in-law and grandsons when Baron were working. She really loved spending time with her grandchildren. She and Johnnie took Baron Jr. and Teiarose to Disney World. She was very giving. If someone was in need and she could help them, she did with no hesitation.

Gloria loved her church, Cornerstone Baptist Church. She was a dedicated member for over 50 years. She supported the activities and contributed to many funds for the wellbeing of the church. Gloria was a faithful Tithing member. Even after she was sick and shut in, she continued to Tithe until her last days. Gloria departed this life April 14, 2020.

She was preceded in death by her husband Johnnie L. Sanders, her parents, 2 sisters Unice (Robert Bartley), Victoria, 4 brothers, William Stokes Jr., Elbert, Jason and Spurgeon. Left to cherish her memory her son Baron (Linda) daughter Francine, granddaughter Teiarose, grandsons Robert (Caprece) Baron Jr., great-grandson Shakim. Sister Beatrice (William Murdough) Brother James (Nadine), Sister-in-law Virginia (Jimmy). 2 nieces Sandra and Barbara who called her almost every day, and a host of other nieces, nephews, cousins, relatives and friends.

Lovingly Submitted  
The Sanders Family

## Order of Service

### **The Scripture:**

Old Testament: Psalm 139:14

Proverbs 31:25-31

New Testament: John 14: 1- 4

### **The Prayer of Comfort**

### **Reflections**

(2 minutes please)

### **The Obituary**

### **The Eulogy**

Pastor Lawrence E. Aker, III

### **The Benediction**

Pastor Lawrence E. Aker, III





## *Acknowledgement*

*The family of **Gloria Sanders** acknowledges with great appreciation all acts of kindness, sympathy and love extended to us during this time of bereavement.*



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