

Celebrating the Life of



Mary Ann Canty

Sunrise
October 31, 1939

Sunset
June 1, 2020

Saturday, June 6, 2020 - 2:00 pm

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Obituary

Mary Ann Canty, daughter of the late Mr. Henry Canty and late Earline Dow Canty was born in Wilmington, North Carolina on October 31, 1939. Mary Ann attended Scott Branch High School in Summerton, South Carolina.

She resided in New York City as a young woman, where she went on and met the late Joseph Taylor. Mary Ann known as “Sister” and “Mutt”, was a loving mother of five children who she loved dearly, and grandmother to four grandchildren who she cherished. She was known for her great cooking and the fact that she could light up a room with humor. She cared for so many people and was known to never say no if you needed her.

God saw you getting tired and a cure was not to be. So He put His arms around you and whispered, “Come to Me”. On the morning of June 1, 2020, God called Mary Ann home to be with Joseph and her two sons, General Lee and Troy.

She is preceded in death by her father, Henry Canty who she adored; her mother, Earline Dow Canty; sister, Martha; sister and best friend, Dorothy Mae; brothers, George, Robert, David and closest brother, Henry; and niece, Nadia.

Living on to cherish and mourn the memories of Mary Ann Canty are: her daughters, Michelle Canty Ramos, Tracy Canty Cumberland and Hope Canty of New York City; two sons-in-law, Matthew Ramos and Davy Cumberland; four grandchildren, Kayla Mary Ann Canty, Chad Matthew Ramos, Brian Joseph Canty and Trinity Ava Canty; sisters, Josephine Juniors of Summerton, SC and Beulah Canty of New York City; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Your life was a blessing, your memory a treasure, you are loved beyond words and missed beyond measure.

***Mommy we will love you forever,
your daughters, Michelle, Tracy and Hope.***

Order of Service

Processional

Selection

Scripture Readings

Prayer

Selection

Acknowledgements

Remarks

Obituary

Selection

Eulogy

Committal

Recessional

FINAL DISPOSITION:
Oxford Hills Crematory
Chester, New York





I'm Free

Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free,
I'm following the path God laid for me.
I took his hand when I heard his call,
I turned my back and left it all.

I could not stay another day,
To laugh, to love, to work, to play.
Tasks left undone must stay that way,
I've found that peace at the close of the day.

If my parting has left a void,
Then fill it with remembered joy.
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,
Ah yes, these things I too will miss.

Be not burdened with times of sorrow,
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.
My Life's been full, I savoured much,
Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch,

Perhaps my time seemed all too brief,
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.
Lift up your heart and share with me,
God wanted me now, He set me free.

Acknowledgement

The family acknowledges with deep appreciation all acts of kindness extended to them during this bereavement hour. May God bless you for all your thoughtfulness and concern.

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