



To Those I Love and Those Who Love Me

When I am gone, release me – let me go. I have so many things to see and do.
You must not tie yourself to me with tears. Be happy that we had so many years. I gave you love, you can only guess, how much you gave me in happiness.
I thank you for the love each have shown, but now it is time I travelled alone.
So grieve awhile for me if grieve you must, then let your grief be comforted by trust.
It is only for a while that we must part so bless those memories within your heart.
I will not be far away, for life goes on so if you need me, call and I will come.
Though you cannot see or touch me, I will be near and if you listen with your heart, you will hear all of my love around you, soft and clear. Then when you must come this way alone,
I will greet you with a smile and “Welcome Home”

Pallbearers

- Brian Timmons
- Ricky McCollum
- Joseph Moon
- Micheal King
- Howard Smythe III
- Jason Virgil

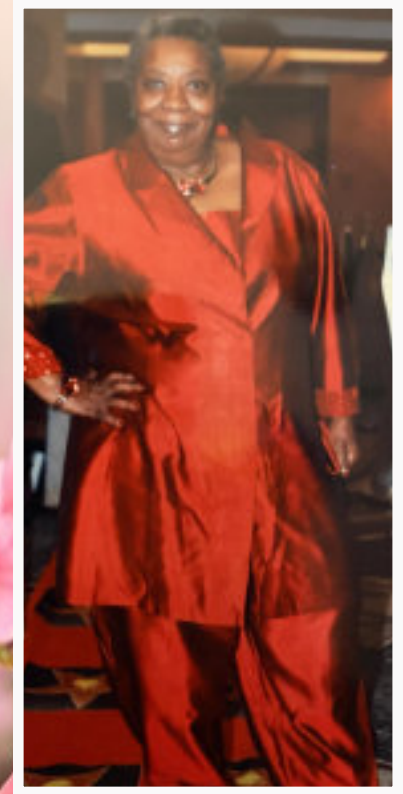
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A Celebration of Life for
Merelyn G. Daniel

February 12, 1949 - February 11, 2022



WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 2022- 12NOON

Greater Abyssinian Baptist Church

88 Lyons Ave. • Newark, NJ

Rev. Dr. Timothy Adkins-Jones, Senior Pastor,
Bethany Baptist Church

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Obituary

Merelyn Georgette Daniel, daughter of the late Georgette Monroe, was born on February 12, 1949 in New York, New York. She was called home on February 11, 2022.

Merelyn was educated in the New York Public School System. She graduated from Queensborough Community College with an Associates Degree in Nursing.

On August 21, 1976, Merelyn married the late Kenneth Clifton Daniel, and to this union one daughter was born, Brandi Monique.

Merelyn was a dedicated Registered Nurse for 45 years before retiring in 2014.

Merelyn was a devoted member of Bethany Baptist Church in Newark, New Jersey.

Merelyn was a devoted and proud member of Princess Tyre Chapter No. 52, Order of the Eastern Star, PHA; Golconda Court No. 16, Daughters; Olive Branch Assembly No. 27, Order of the Golden Circle, PHA and a Charter Member of Solome Court No.7, Order of the Cyrene, PHA.

Merelyn was preceded in death by her husband, Kenneth Daniel and her mother and stepfather, Lenord and Georgette Monroe.

She leaves to treasure her beautiful memory two daughters, Brandi M. Daniel of Newark, NJ and Kendra S. Williams of New Brunswick, NJ;

her brother, Brian (Michele) Monroe of Washingtonville, NY; her brother-in-law, Randy Daniel of New York, NY; four nieces, Janiece (Brian) Timmons of Reiserstown, MD, Shatora (Christopher) Foster of Newburgh, NY, Shiesha McCollum of Washingtonville, NY and Briana Monroe of Washingtonville, NY; one nephew, Ricky (Nicole Conley) McCollum of Hinesburg, Vermont; one great niece, Briana Timmons of Reiserstown, MD; five great nephews, Jayden and Isaiah Shelby of Newburgh, NY, Jeremiah and Jacob McCollum of Newburgh, NY and Jordan McCollum of Hinesburg, Vermont; one goddaughter, Monica Harper of Milltown, NJ; one godson, Stefan (Tina) Malliet of Brooklyn, NY and a VILLAGE of adopted family and friends.

Order of Service

Musical Prelude

Family Processional

Prayer of Comfort..... ..Rev Dr. Timothy Adkins-Jones

Scripture Readings:

Old Testament.... W. Andrew Carter II

New Testament.... Renee Hector

Selection..... Clinteeyah Brooks

Remarks (Two minutes each please)

Obituary..... Read in silence

Acknowledgements..... Sarah Elder

Selection.... ..Clinteeyah Brooks

Eulogy..... Rev. Dr. Timothy Adkins-Jones

Closing Prayer and Benediction

Repast
40-42 Social Club
40 Livingston Street
Newark, New Jersey 07103

Interment

Brigadier General William C. Doyle
Veterans Cemetery
Wrightstown, NJ