

IN LOVING MEMORY OF

Temeshia L. Fooks

Sunrise

July 30, 1947

Sunset

February 21, 2022



Service

Thursday, March 3, 2022 • 10:30 a.m.

ROY L. GILMORE'S FUNERAL HOME, INC.

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Dr. Frankco Harris, Organist

Order of Service

Processional

Selection..... “Amazing Grace”

Scripture Reading..... Deneen Roberts

Revelation 21:4

Joshua 1:9

Prayer of Consolation Rev. Tyrone Pittman

Selection..... “Soon and Very Soon”

Obituary Juanita Randolph

Acknowledgements

Proclamation of Recognition Jackie Brebnor

Eulogy Dr. Aldophus Lacey

Final Viewing

Benediction Dr. Aldophus Lacey

Interment
Calverton National Cemetery
Calverton, New York

Obituary

Temeshia L. Fooks died at the age of 74 on Monday, February 21, 2022 at New York Presbyterian Brooklyn Methodist Hospital after a battle with cancer.

Temeshia Lee Fooks (maiden name Massey) was born in St. Louis, MO on July 30, 1947 to Robert Massey and Elvira Massey (Kendrick). At the age of 9, Temeshia's mother passed away and she went to live with her aunt and grandmother in Martin, TN. Wanting to live in a larger setting, Temeshia left Martin, TN after high school and went to Memphis, TN to attend Owens College (now LeMoyné-Owen College).

At Owens College, Temeshia met her husband Daniel E. Fooks III. On October 6, 1968, Temeshia and Daniel were married in the living room of Temeshia's aunt's house in Martin, TN. After they were married they headed to New York and settled in Brooklyn. At this time Temeshia started working for Shell Oil company.

Through Temeshia's upbringing in the church and her love of God, it was no surprise she joined Bethany Baptist Church in Bedford-Stuyvesant, Brooklyn. She was an active member and heavily involved in the church. Her passion and commitment at church led her to become the Superintendent of the Sunday School where she enjoyed teaching the Word of God to the youth.

On January 2, 1974 their only child, Daniel E. Fooks IV was born. In January of 1978, Temeshia and Daniel bought their first home in Jamaica, Queens. Temeshia went on to work for Queens General Hospital where she worked for over 25 years and retired in 2012. As a person who valued education, Temeshia received her Bachelor's Degree from Queens College in 2006.

Temeshia Fooks was a woman who wore many hats and was very active in the community. She was a wife to Daniel for over 53 years, a mother, grandmother and sister. She was also a cub scout leader, head of the PTA, and Parent Committee Chairperson for the Long Island Chapter of Hampton University just to name a few.

Temeshia was blessed with a family with whom she loved dearly and is survived; by her husband, Daniel III; her son, Daniel IV; her brother, Donald Nabors; daughter-in-law, Robin; grandchildren, Daniel V and Madison; her Bethany Family; extended family, friends and neighbors.

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 Him call
I turned my back and left it all.*

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

*If my parting has left a void,
Then fill it up with remembered joy.
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,
Oh, 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 savored 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!*

Acknowledgements

*The family wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation
the many expressions of love, concern and kindness shown
to their family during this hour of bereavement.*

May God Bless and Keep You!

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