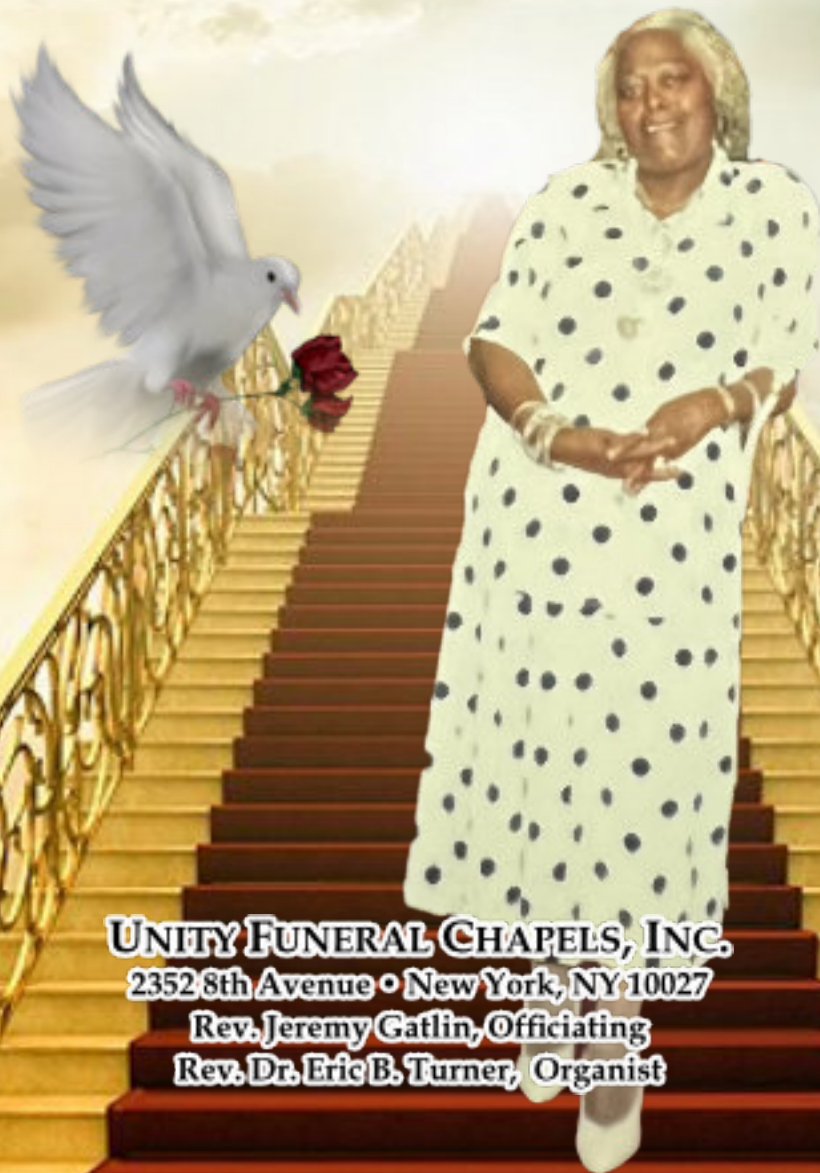


Celebrating the Life of
Martina Mingues

Sunrise: November 6, 1928 - Sunset: April 8, 2022



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Obituary

Martina Mingues was born in Puerto Rico on November 6, 1928 to (the late) Adrian Muley and Maria Rosario. She had one brother, Raymond Muley who preceded her in death. Martina Mingues, ninety-three, passed away on Friday, April 8th, 2022 at home surrounded by her loving family.

In 1953, while attending a jazz concert at Harlem's famed The Lenox Lounge, Martina met the love of her life, Daniel Mingues, her husband of almost sixty-five years. In addition to being a dedicated wife to Daniel Mingues, Martina was very supportive and actively cheering her children during their track and field events.

Martina was a longtime resident of the Grant Houses, and retired in 1994 from Teachers College, Columbia University as a supervisor. She was known for her contagious laughter, wearing her white turban, an abundance of silver bracelets, rings, and necklaces... She was full of life and loved everyone... She was a caring and devoted mother and grandmother.

To cherish her beautiful memory, Martina is survived by: her son, Daniel Richard Mingues, Jr.; her daughter, Mita Sadie Mingues; grandchildren, Rasheed Mingues, Alexander Lombard, III, Terry Mitchell, Jennifer Stuckey, and Tee-Tee Blackwell; great grandchildren, Chisa Byrd, Lyric Mingues, and Khloe Henry; and lots of nieces, nephews, and friends.

Martina Mingues was predeceased by her husband, Daniel Richard Mingues, Sr., her beloved daughters, Doris Josephine Mingues and Angela Rosa Mingues, her precious granddaughter, Ayesha Underwood, her daughter-in-law, Bernalda Mingues, and her son-in-law, William Underwood.

Our lives have been enriched by Martina's time here on earth. We pray that Martina will rest in peace and continue God's work in heaven.

We love you Mommy!

Order of Service

Processional

Selection

Scripture Readings

Prayer

Selection

Acknowledgements

Remarks

Obituary

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Eulogy

Committal

Viewing

Closing Remarks

Felita Butler

Terry Mitchell

Chisa Byrd

Rasheed Mingues

Mita Mingues

Daniel Mingues

Recessional

INTERMENT:

Calverton National Cemetery
Calverton, New York

REPAST:


April 22, 2022

St. Joseph Church, 405 West 125th Street
From 3:30pm to 6:30pm (Dinner at 5:00pm)



The Master Called

I'm sorry I had to leave you.
My loved ones, oh so dear.
But you see, the Master called me,
His voice was very clear!
I had made my reservation
A heaven bound ticket for one,
And I knew that He would call me
When He felt my work was done.
I know that your hearts are heavy
Because I have gone away,
But when the Master called me,
I knew that I could not stay.
Yes, I'm sorry I had to leave you
My loved ones, oh so dear,
But, you see, the Master called me
And, now I'm resting here.
Yes, I've crossed on over to glory
And to you all I say
Just stay in the hands of Jesus
And we'll meet again someday.
-Author unknown



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