

*In Loving Memory*  
*Lorraine Baker*

**SUNRISE: March 3, 1948 - SUNSET: October 13, 2022**



**Sunday, October 23, 2022 - 2pm - 6pm**

**Greater Zion Hill Baptist Church**

**2365 8th Avenue, New York, NY 10027**

# Obituary

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Lorraine was a loving mother and remarkable woman who made tough decisions to make sure her five children were taken care of and had the best opportunities in life. She loved her children unconditionally and was undoubtedly an important figure in their lives. Despite her large family Lorraine always made time for everyone. She had a big heart and shared it with many. She was an excellent gift giver, and always had time to answer a question or solve a problem - no matter how big or small. She opened her doors to anyone that didn’t have a place of their own. She was liked and loved by many.

Her personality was one of a kind. Always outspoken, she spoke the truth and never sugarcoated anything, but delivered it with love and care. Her smile was bright and infectious. Her humor was witty and sarcastic. Her laughter was contagious and could be heard for miles. She cared about people!

Lorraine was preceded in death by her parents, her sister, Joyce Norman and son, Tyrone Baker.

She is survived by her lifelong best friend, Shirley Parkman; daughter, Kwanda; sons, Aaron, Edward and Keith; 11 grandchildren, Essence, Tyrell, Tyesha, Eddie, Kamani, Deja, Devonn, Madison, Sean, Kayden and Milan; 4 great grandchildren, Olivia, Aiden, Tayden and Zayden; several Godchildren, nieces, nephews, cousins, extended family, and lots of friends.

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