

## Obituary

**Lorraine Dancy Williams,** the daughter of the late Walter Sr. and Susie Dancy was born May 22, 1938 in Newark, New Jersey. She grew up in Newark and attended South Side High School (Malcom X Shabazz).

At an early age she joined Metropolitan Baptist Church under the pastorage of Rev. B.F. Johnson. She attended Shaw University but later earned a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Elementary Education and Library Science at Kean University in Union, New Jersey. She worked for Newark Public School system for twenty-five years both as an Educator and Media Specialist.

She met and married Charles M. Williams on November 3, 1963 and they came to Newark to start their life together. To this union two children were born. She took pleasure in being a devoted housewife and mother. She was a quiet, caring person who diligently instilled religious and moral values in all she met. She was a firm believer in encouraging her children to receive the best education and no goal couldn't be achieved. She demonstrated it by being a dedicated housewife and mother while completing her education at night.

She was an active member of NJEA (New Jersey Education Association) and NEA (National Education Association). Her favorite past time was playing Bingo where she met and bonded with some of her closest friends.

Upon retirement, Lorraine and Charles relocated to Upper Marlboro, Maryland where she became an active member of Mt. Ephraim Baptist Church in Largo, Maryland under the pastorage of Rev. Richard Gilmore.

On June 18, 2010 she entered into his eternal life with God after a long illness. She decided the battle was won and she became one of his angels with a peaceful calm on her face.

She leaves to cherish her memory: a devoted husband, Charles M. Williams; two daughters, Charletta M. Williams and Lynda M. Smith both of Chesapeake, VA; one son-in-law, Michael Smith; two grandsons, Marcus D. Smith and Miles J. Smith; three brothers, Walter Jr. (deceased), William of Mesa, AZ and Joshua Dancy of Piscataway, NJ; one sister, Catherine D. Hepburn of Montclair, NJ; three sisters-in-law, Louise Dancy of Newark, NJ, Eddie Mae Dancy of Mesa, AZ and Yolanda Dancy of Piscataway, NJ; one brother-in-law, Meredith Hepburn of Montclair, NJ; and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

# Order of Service

Processional
Selection "Blessed Assurance"
Scripture Reading Old Testament Ecclesiastes 3:1-8 New Testament Psalm 100
Prayer
Poem Miles and Marcus Smith
Solo "His Eyes on The Sparrow" Ethel Wheeler
Remarks
Acknowledgements & Obituary
Eulogy
Selection "One Day At A Time"
Recessional
Mortician Perry's Funeral Home

Recessional

<u>Interment</u> Rosedale Cemetery Orange, New Jersey

## Peace Be Thine

God saw the road was getting rough, the hills were hard to climb. He gently closed those loving eyes and whispered, "Peace Be Thine." The weary hours, the days of pain, the restless nights are passed. The patient's worn out frame has found sweet peace at LAST!



The Family

#### In Appreciation

The family wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation, the many comforting messages, prayers, flowers and other expressions of kindness and concern. May God bless and keep each one of you in his tender, loving care.

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