

# <u>Obituary</u>

**Dorothy Burrell Robinson** was born on December 5, 1933 in Wendell, North Carolina to the late Magdalene Logan Burrell and the late Reverend Daniel Burrell, Sr.

Dorothy graduated from Nash Central Training School in Rocky Mount, NC in 1952. In 1957, she moved to Hoboken, NJ, (along with her two sisters) where she met and married her husband of twenty-seven years the late James Robinson, Sr. who preceded her in death. Shortly after, she joined Mount Olive Baptist Church in Hoboken, NJ (under the pastorate of the late Reverend Murdock, where she was a member of the Senior Gospel Choir. In 1962 she and her family relocated to Jersey City, NJ where she had been a resident for the last forty-eight years.

Dorothy worked as a supervisor for over thirty years at several companies throughout NJ, which included, Marvel Lamp, Emerson T.V's and Radios, Remco Toys, Nelson Distributors and Leaseway Distributors, where she retired in 1988.

Dorothy was a strikingly beautiful woman and was flattered when complimented for her ability to style and groom her hair as well as her beauticians. She also knew her way around the kitchen and her southern styled cooking skills couldn't be matched.

Dorothy was a tireless worker inside and outside of the home and her home was a shelter to many of her family and friends. She loved to party and mingle with people of all ages. She also was well known for her feisty demeanor, tough exterior and unbridled tongue, yet to truly know her, was to love her.

Dorothy was predeceased by two brothers, Willie and Daniel Burrell, Jr., one sister, Naomi Burrell Wiggins, two nephews, Micah Burrell and Terrence Wiggins, her granddaughter, Shirita Marie Norris and her son, Dennis Ray Robinson.

Surviving to cherish Dorothy's memory are: one daughter, Darlene Robinson; two sons, James Robinson, Jr. and Robert (Bobby) Robinson; one daughter-in-law, Vergonya Norris-Robinson; one step-daughter, Sharon Robinson-Crosby; one sister, Thomasina Burrell-Cruz; three sisters-in-law, Thelma Hoaney, Katherine Freeman and Corlelda Burrell; two brothers-in-law, Luis (Junior) Cruz and Reverend George Wiggins; special niece, Corlelda Burrell; special adopted daughter, Beverly Hunter; special friends, Sonny and Peggy Kelly, Lee Barry Brinson and Sharone Marshall; special classmate and friend, Annie Lee Cooper-Applewhite; seven grandchildren, Damien, Dennis, Jr., Carl, Kenyata, Devin, Shiniece and Shakoor; and a host of other sorrowful nephews, nieces, cousins and friends.

#### Order of Service

Processional The Family
Scripture Readings Reverend Joseph L. Jones, Sr., Pastor Old Testament New Testament
Prayer of Comfort
Remarks Family and Friends
Musical Selection Will Williams
Poem
Acknowledgements & Condolences Beverly Hunter
The Reading of the Obituary
Eulogy
Final Viewing
Committal
Recessional

#### Cremation

Rosehill Crematory Linden, New Jersey

The family respectfully invites friends to join them for a repast at 171 Old Bergen Road in Jersey City, NJ immediately following the Cremation Service.

Psalm 23

The Lord is My Shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures; He leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul. He leadeth me in the path of righteousness for His name's sake. Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil; for Thou art with me; Thy rod and Thy staff they comfort me. Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies. Thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life; and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.

### <u>Acknowledgement</u>

The Robinson family wishes to express their sincere gratitude and appreciation for the kindness and expressions of sympathy extended to us during our time of bereavement. Special thanks to the pastor and the Jackson Funeral Residence Family please continue to pray for us. God Bless You.

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