In Loving Memory





Sunrise January 31, 1985 Sunset July 2, 2010

Thursday, July 8, 2010 - 12:00 Noon

COTTON FUNERAL SERVICE 1025 Bergen Street • Newark, NJ 07112

Evangelist Tonda Hughes, Officiating Pastor G. Ann Ryder-Dieujuste, Eulogist

<u>Reflections of Life</u>

Nadiyah Denise Williams also known as "**Granny**" was born January 31, 1985 to Deacon David Williams and the late Missionary Denise Williams.

Nadiyah was educated in the Newark School system. She attended Camden Street Elementary, Louise A. Spencer and Essex County Vocational High School (North 13th Street Center). She also attended Gibbs College, Livingston, New Jersey, where she received her state license for nursing assistance.

Granny was known for her great sense of humor and enchanting smile never letting her problems bring her down. Through it all she had a loving, giving and humble spirit. She loved everyone for who they were and always had a kind word to pick you up. Nadiyah was known for her kind words, bright smile and her positive thoughts through poetry.

Nadiyah had a great love for children even though she didn't have any children of her own. She assisted regularly to the upbringing of two younger siblings. She was a **"Great Aunt"** to her nieces and nephews, whom looked up to her in many ways. Granny we love you and you will forever be missed!

She was preceded in death by her mother, Denise Williams and brother, David Terrell Williams.

She leaves to cherish her memory: her father, David Williams; one sister, Tiffany Williams; one god-sister, Hassana Bias-Nyeor; four brothers, Hassan (Rahjana) Williams, Shakur Williams, Hadith Caesar and Ibn Khalid; one grandmother, Mamie Williams; four nieces, Nataya Williams, Ty'Quana Reid, Ty'Quasha Reid and Na'yae Smith; six nephews, Hassan Williams, De'Jhaun Williams, Shakur Williams, Jr., David Williams, Nazir Smith and Rahsan Williams; a special friend, Derrin Young; special aunt, Tonda Hughes; and a host of other relatives and friends.

Order of Service

Processional "What A Friend We Have In Jesus"
Scripture Readings Old Testament - Psalm 91:1-7 Deacon George Williams New Testament - Thessalonians 4:13-18 Sister Evelyn Williams
Prayer of Comfort Pastor Ernestine Thomas Bowaser
Poems of Nadiyah Tiffany Williams Quiana Davidson-Robinson
Solo Pastor G. Ann Ryder-Dieujuste
Reflections (two minute limit)
Acknowledgements & Reflections of Life Evang. Tonda Hughes
Solo Michelle Wainwright
Eulogy Pastor G. Ann Ryder-Dieujuste
Recessional "When We All Get To Heaven"



A Dedication To My Pastor Always There

When the entire world has turned against me And I have no friends to spare I call on the heavenly father above I know he'll be right there

When my family and friends deny me And strangers start to stare I'll ask the Lord for help from above I'll know he'll be right there

When my fears have overwhelmed me Sometimes I may get scared I'll call on the mighty king Jesus Because he'll be right there

When things don't go my way And I let out a few tears I look above for guidance and strength I know he'll be right there

> When I feel like I can't go on And the end seem all so near Just hold on and be strong Cause God will be right there ~By Nadiyah Williams

Farewell

Farewell my family, don't weep for I'm at peace now, just asleep. Farewell my family, I'm not alone, the Mighty Maker has led me safely home. Just think back over the many years, how the family seemed so strong, holding back the tears. Yet, God somehow always made a way, thanking Him every night and day. Be good my family, always love each other. Be strong my family, strong in heart, the blood ties, no one can ever part. If at some time I made a mistake, as you live, many will you make. Farewell my family, I've been called away. Walk with God, trust in His word, for He is always by your side.

Acknowledgments

The family of Nadiyah D. Williams sincerely appreciates your kind acts, expressions of love and sympathy during the loss of our beloved. Your prayers and comforting words are deeply treasured and will never be forgotten. May God pour out a multitude of blessings upon you for what you have done for us.

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