

In Loving Memory of



Rose Pearl Pettiford

Sunrise

December 18, 1924

Sunset

July 21, 2010

Services

Tuesday, July 27, 2010 - 6:30 p.m.

**TRINITY TEMPLE SEVENTH
DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH**

35-37 Hillside Avenue
Newark, New Jersey

Pastor Norman Miles, Officiating

Obituary

SUNRISE Rose Harrison entered this life on December 18, 1924 in Atlanta, Georgia to Carl & Vera Smith- Harrison. At the age of 3 the family moved North and settled in Newark, New Jersey. Rose attended the Monmouth Street Elementary School in Newark, N.J. Rose was an active member of the Zion Hill Baptist Church, Newark, N.J. where she sang in the choir. She also graduated from Southside High School. Rose was a lover of dance and she performed with the Hawaiian dance ensemble.

In the mid 1940's she met and married Edward Ralph Galloway of Newark, NJ. To this union one son was born, Darryl Bruce Galloway. Rose was also a member of the Star Dusters Women's auxiliary club. After her divorce to Edward Galloway she met and married Lucius Pettiford in the mid 1950's. Unto this union one daughter was born, Vera Michelle Pettiford better known as "Mikey".

In the early civil rights movement of the 1960's she was actively involved in voter registration for Blacks in Newark, NJ and also worked the voting poll stations. In the late 1960's and early 1970's her loving friends, Gretha Wheeler and Christine Sawyer introduced Rose to the Adventist message. Rose and her daughter accepted the Adventist message. They were baptized by Pastor John E. Collins and attended the Trinity Temple Seventh-Day Adventist Church of Newark, NJ. She was an active member in the Choir, Prison Ministry, Treasury Dept and Senior Club.

Rose was a teacher's aide in the Newark Public School system and the Trinity Temple SDA Academy, Newark, NJ. She worked as a medical assistant secretary. Rose also was an assistant child care provider with the New Community Day Center in Newark, NJ. She had a love for writing and liked to read and often read to the children at the New Community Day Center. Rose was known for making chocolate cakes, peach cobblers and sweet potato puddings.

In the summer of 2005 Rose moved to Brockton, MA to live with her daughter and son-in-law. She also transferred her membership to the Berea SDA Church of Dorchester, MA. Rose enjoyed attending the Saint Joseph Manor/ Mater Dei Adult Day Care Center in Brockton, MA.

SUNSET after a brief stay at Saint Joseph's Nursing home Rose departed this life on July 21, 2010.

Rose was preceded in death by her husband, Lucius Pettiford and her late brother, Ronald Harrison better known as "Sonny".

She leaves to cherish in the memories: her son, Darryl Galloway of Newark, NJ; daughter, Vera Weeks of Brockton, MA; daughter-in-law, Ida Galloway of Newark, NJ; son-in-law, Ronald Weeks of Brockton, MA; granddaughter, Kisha Galloway-Small & her husband, Thomas Small of Ladson, SC; grandson, Darryl Galloway Jr. of Newark, NJ; granddaughter, Venetta Weeks of Brockton, MA; in addition she leaves a host of nieces, nephews and family friends.

Order of Service

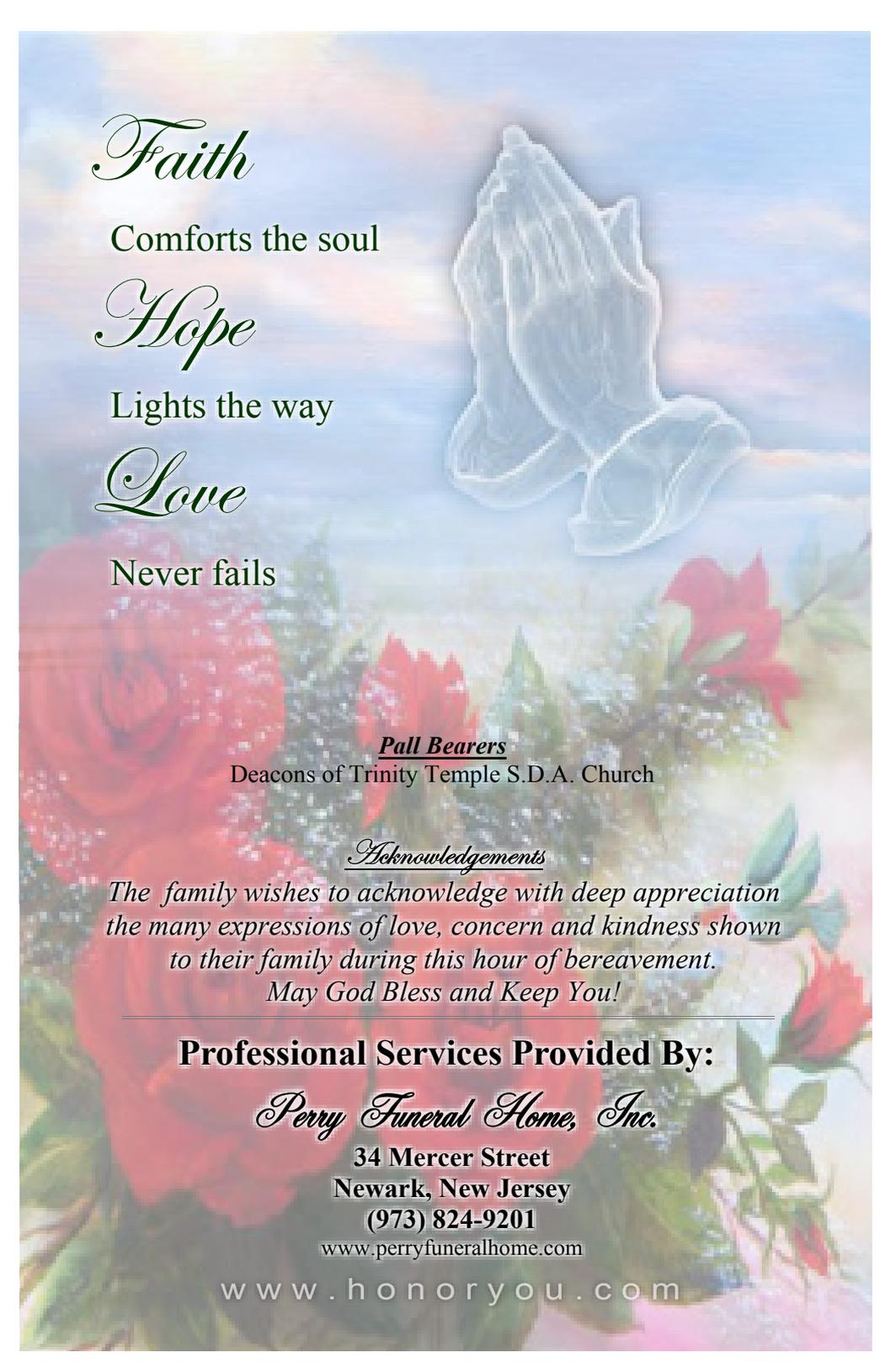
Prelude Organist
Processional Family
Prayer of Comfort Elder Larry Williams

Scripture Reading

Old Testament – Twenty Third Psalms Elder Francis Hardy
New Testament - First Thessalonians 4:13-18 Elder Fitz Wilson
Musical Selection Sister Lisa Garner
Acknowledgment Sister Francis Mitchell
Obituary Sister Joyce Braxton
Musical Selection Sister Delores McQueen
Remarks Pastor Haywood Weatherford
Eulogy Pastor Norman Miles
Closing Hymn “Until Then” No. 632
Benediction Elder Larry Williams

Interment

*Fairmount Cemetery
Newark, New Jersey*



Faith

Comforts the soul

Hope

Lights the way

Love

Never fails

Pall Bearers

Deacons of Trinity Temple S.D.A. Church

Acknowledgements

The family wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation the many expressions of love, concern and kindness shown to their family during this hour of bereavement.

May God Bless and Keep You!

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