

*In Loving Memory  
of*



*Elizabeth "Lizzy" Campbell*

**Sunrise**  
*December 30, 1929*

**Sunset**  
*January 11, 2011*

Wednesday, January 19, 2011 - 12:00 Noon

**COTTON FUNERAL SERVICE**

1025 Bergen Street • Newark, NJ 07112

*Evangelist Denise Richards, Officiating*

# Obituary

Herbert and Carol Humes were blessed with a daughter, **Elizabeth** on December 30, 1929 in Savannah, Georgia. Lizzy left Savannah as a child and relocated to Newark, New Jersey and was raised by a loving aunt, Marie. In her young adult years, she met and later married her husband the late Jesse Campbell, Jr.

Lizzy received her formal education in the public schools of Newark, New Jersey. Lizzy worked as a home aide companion for a number of years, but the vast majority of her life was devoted to being a homemaker for her husband, children, grandchildren and great grandchild.

Lizzy was known for her kind and gentle manner and her expressive eyes. She was an avid traveler who loved reading and enjoyed seeing plays on the "Great White Way". She was a lover of people, a woman with a kind, gentle and giving nature. She was also a dynamite cook and her macaroni and cheese made everyone happy. She loved going to Atlantic City and Las Vegas, she could not resist the temptation of a one-armed bandit. Her biggest joy in life though was her children. Lizzy was a loving wife, mother, grandmother, great grandmother, sister, aunt, cousin and friend.

The late Elaine, Patricia, Muhammad (Maurice) and surviving daughter, Barbara were blessed with a Mother who supported all of their accomplishments and endeavors. In Lizzy's eyes, God continued to bless her with her grandchildren most of who she had a significant hand in raising Jenifer, Carlton, Geonard, Nafis, Eric, Ibn and the late Juanita. Additionally, Lizzy had five rambunctious and loving great-grandchildren, Jared, Geonique, Geonasia, Enfintie and Caleb.

Lizzy had a special relationship with her first cousin the late Dorothy (Dot) Snead. They raised their children together and spent most holidays traveling alternately between each of their homes to celebrate.

Additionally Lizzy treasured a number of genuine and enduring friendships she was fortunate enough to cultivate over the years.

On Tuesday, January 11, 2011, Elizabeth answered God's call.

She leaves fond memories to be treasured by: her loving and devoted daughter, Barbara of Newark, New Jersey; her grandchildren, travel companion, Jenifer of Newark, Carlton Campbell (April) of Baltimore, MD, Geonard and Eric Barney of Jacksonville, Florida, Nafis Coit and Muhammad Ibn Shouki of Newark; five great grandchildren, Jared Campbell and Geonique Waiters of Newark, Geonasia Walker of Jacksonville, Enfinite Barney of Erie, PA and Caleb Campbell of Baltimore; a dear friend and sister, Addie Downtin of East Orange, NJ; three cousins, Florence Blount of Sicklerville, NJ, Cheryl Lee of Brooklyn, New York and Mary Ann Kornegay of Waycross, GA; a cherished and dear friend, Mildred Thomas of Newark; and a host of other family members and friends.

She was preceded in death by her children, Muhammad Shouki and Patricia Campbell of Newark, New Jersey and Elaine Campbell of Jacksonville, Florida.

# Order of Service

Musical Prelude ..... Organist Willie Martin

Processional ..... Evangelist Denise Richards

Opening Hymn ..... Organist  
Willie Martin

Scripture Reading

Old Testament - Psalm 23 ..... Janice Jones

New Testament - I Corinthians 13 ..... Valerie Whitfield

Selection .... Special Tribute to "Nan" - Jared Anthony Campbell

Acknowledgements ..... April Ayers

Reflections ..... Carlton Thomas Campbell  
Geonard Jesse Barney  
Fudan Farrakhan

Obituary ..... Cherly Lee

Selection ..... Organist Willie Martin

Eulogy ..... Evangelist Denise Richards

Recessional ..... Organist Willie Martin

## **Interment**

Rosehill Cemetery

Linden, New Jersey

*Friends are invited to join the family for repast at  
Society Hill @ University Heights, The Clubhouse  
1 Cornerstone Lane, Newark, New Jersey 07103  
973-622-0256*

## *Miss Me, But Let Me Go*

*When I come to the end of the  
road and the sun has set for me,  
I want no rites in a gloom filled room,  
Why cry for a soul set free?  
Miss me a little-but not too long,  
and not with your head bowed low.  
Remember the love that we once shared,  
Miss me-but let me go.  
For this is a journey that we all must take,  
And each must go alone.  
It's all part of the Master's plan,  
A step on the road to home.  
When you are lonely and sick at heart,  
Go to the friends we know,  
and bury your sorrows in doing good deeds.  
Miss me-but let me go.*

*-author unknown*

## *Mother*

*You can only have one mother patient, kind and true;  
No other friend in all the world will be the same to you.  
When other friends forsake you, to mother you will turn,  
For all her loving kindness, she asks nothing in return.  
As we look upon her picture, sweet memories we recall,  
A face so full of sunshine, and a smile for one and all.  
Sweet Jesus, take this message, to our dear mother up above;  
Tell her how we miss her, and give her all our love.*

## *Acknowledgement*

*The family wishes to express sincere appreciation for your  
prayers and kindness during our bereavement. We pray  
God will continue to bless and keep you in His loving care.*

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