



*In Loving
Memory
of*

Yvonne Perkins

Sunrise
August 9, 1940

Sunset
March 4, 2011

Saturday, March 12, 2011
10:00 a.m.

ST. MARTIN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
230 Lenox Avenue
New York, New York 10027

Obituary

Yvonne Carol Perkins was born to Marion Whitehead and Harold Perkins on August 9, 1940.

She married Jacob F. Edwards III and of this marriage she gave birth to Candis Y. Edwards, Jacob F. Edwards IV and Lamont M. Edwards.

Born and raised in Harlem, she attended PS 90, PS 136 (Harriet Beatrice Stowe), George Washington High School, Monroe Business School and Baruch College.

She worked in the corporate world as an accountant and dared to brave the world as an entrepreneur in the Tax Preparation and Realty Management Business sectors. For over 20 years, she maintained a lucrative client base of over 150 loyal clients reaching across the 5 boroughs and even into New Jersey.

Yvonne touched the lives of many people. She was a quiet soul who took the time to listen to others no matter how large or small their problems might be. She was always willing to give of herself in her endeavor to help others. She assisted a countless number of her foreign clients that needed help and direction in how to adjust in our country.

When asked for one word to describe Yvonne the responses were loyal, loveable and fly. Her signature was her high heels which had to be 4 inches or higher.

Our loving Yvonne was engaged to marry Mr. Emanuel Johnson Sr. They shared over 7 beautiful and loving years traveling, and enjoying life with their children, grandchildren, family and friends.

Yvonne leaves to mourn, her loving mother, Mrs. Marion Whitehead; her three children, Candis, Jacob IV and Lamont; her brothers, Christopher, Jon Thomas, Gregory and Gary; her sister, Norma; her five grandchildren, Antoine, Jacob V, Kristyn, Justina, and Lamont II, and a host of family and friends.

Psalm 37:25-26

I have been young and now am old yet I have not seen the righteous forsaken or his children begging bread. He is ever lending generously and his children become a blessing.

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Rev. Johan Johnson Ph.D. – Rector

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Rev. Ivan Griffith, Officiate

YVONNE CAROL PERKINS

Organ Prelude.....Mr. A.C. McCallum

Processional.....Clergy

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Hymn # 266“*Holy, Holy, Holy*”

Scripture Readings

Old Testament - Psalm 37

New Testament - 1 Corinthians 2:9-11

Obituary.....Miss Kristyn Edwards

Soloist Selection.....Mr. Anthony Ogburn

Remarks.....Rev. Ivan Griffith

EulogyClergy Member or Family Member

Organ Interlude.....Mr. A. C. McCallum

Prayers and Benediction

Hymn #422.....“*What A Friend We Have In Jesus*”

Recessional.....Clergy and Family



Final Disposition
Oxford Hills Crematory
Chester, New York



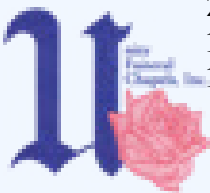
Psalm 23

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.



Acknowledgement

The family wishes to express their deep appreciation and sincere thanks for your kindness during a time of sorrow.



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