

A portrait of Gail P. Kelley, a woman with dark hair styled in a bun, wearing a white top and a necklace. She is holding a bouquet of white and yellow flowers. A glowing halo is positioned above her head. The background is a soft-focus green and white.

*In Loving  
Memory  
of*

*Gail P. Kelley*

*Sunrise*  
*June 28, 1950*

*Sunset*  
*June 18, 2011*

*Saturday, June 25, 2011 - 12:00 Noon*

**UNITY FUNERAL CHAPELS, INC.**

2352 8th Avenue  
New York, New York 10027

*Daughter Gould, Officiating*  
*Bobby Arrington, Organist*

## Obituary

**Gail Patricia Kelley** was born in New York City, NY to proud parents of Lewis C. and Bertha Kelley on June 28, 1950. She was the seventh out of seven children, she attended Joan of Arc Junior High where she fell in love with sewing and dressmaking. She later took up Crocheting, making afghans and ponchos for her family and friends. She gave birth to two children, Christopher and Gail Nicole before moving uptown to the Inwood area of the city, where she sold Tupperware and played Pokeno every other week.

After the children got a little bigger Gail got training as a Dental Assistant and worked for many years in this field. A few years after, she went to finish her education at Monroe College in the Bronx. The courses in Nursing and Medical Administration were her interests.

She worked as a HIV Liaison for many years at Woodhull Hospital in Brooklyn. Giving assistance to those who where afflicted by listening to their stories and giving the men and women hope for a better tomorrow, by bridging gaps with their families and consoling them on their necessities.

On June 26, 2006, she joined the Universal Masonic Brotherhood, Order of The Eastern Star. A member of the House of Wisdom Chapter 36. Then progressed to the title Worth Matron of Chapter AMORA.

She has touched many lives and will surely be missed we all love you and miss you.

She leaves to cherish her memories: her son, Christopher; her daughter, Gail Nicole; son-in-law, Frank; her grandchildren, Jeanine, Ebony Sade, Troy, Yazmenda, Krystal, Angela and Nahzhae; great grandchildren, Yazmen and Tavares Jahlil; her sisters, Sylvia, Melvon and Jean.

Lovingly Submitted  
The Family

# *Order of Service*

Organ Prelude

Processional ..... Ministers & Family

Opening Prayer ..... Rev. Walter Davis

Musical Selection ..... “Amazing Grace”  
Robert Hughes

Scripture Reading

Old Testament ..... Minister Daughter Gould

New Testament ..... Rev. Walter Davis

Prayer of Consolation ..... Minister Daughter Gould

Selection ..... Monique

Acknowledgements ..... Gail Kelley, daughter

Resolution ..... Daughter Millicent Jones

Reflections ..... Eastern Star Presentation

Obituary ..... Christopher Kirkpatrick, son

Selection ..... “No Way Tired”

Eulogy ..... Rev. Walter Davis

Benediction ..... Rev. Walter Davis

Recessional

**Interment**

Mount Rest Cemetery  
Butler, New Jersey

Oh, sorrow for we cry, Oh wail into the echoing night!  
For a Titan has fallen. May the earth, tremble under  
the feet of those who forget her presence and fall  
remiss to her absence. Let mountains crumble and the  
seas boil due to lack of her watchful eye over those  
she has touched and loved. May no one, speak of her  
person with animosity but with reverence and love.

*Now, that the dust, has settled, a new sun has been  
formed, the water flows to fill the empty caverns to  
bring life, and the stars now shine. Let us start anew,  
for after this day, a new world has been formed. With  
the passing, of who to me, in my eyes is God.*

*For my Mom.*

*~ Christopher F. Kirkpatrick*



*Acknowledgement*

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



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