

<u>Obituary</u>

Margaret Frances Powell, the daughter of Beatrice Roberts and Gilroy Smith, was born on July 7, 1937 in New York City.

Margaret attended Julia Richmond and her interests included dance and the arts. In her professional career, she worked for New York Bell Telephone Company, TWA and for twenty-nine years, she worked for the New York Times from where she retired in 1998.

Margaret met William James Powell (Billy) in 1956 and married in 1957. They were married for twenty-two years until his passing in 1979. From the marriage were born; Michele and triplets, Tracey, Lance and Kim.

Margaret enjoyed traveling, especially cruising throughout the Caribbean. She was one of the rare New Yorkers that had never been on a New York City subway.

She was a fabulous cook, a wonderful host who loved to entertain at her home.

Margaret had a generous spirit who did not hesitate to send a care package to a loved one. She was also passionate about reading and education.

Margaret is survived by: her four children; her siblings, Jeannette, Charles, Beatrice, Richard and Howard; her grandchildren, Phillip, William, Alexis and Victor; and a host of nieces and nephews and grand nieces and nephews.

Order of Service

Processional

Family Visitation

Prelude - Organist "Soon And Very Soon"

Order of Service Solo
Scripture Reading Reverend. John G. McCann - Isaiah 41:10
Prayer
Selection
Obituary Reading Dawn Sappe'
Scripture Reading Reverend John G. McCann – Revelations 21:4
Remembrances Gloria Powell Barbara Grandison Dawn Sappe' Phillip Powell Paula Odellas
Solo
Recessional With Parting View

Committal Service

Tuesday, July 26, 2011 departing from Unity Funeral Chapels at 9:30 am to Silver Mount Cemetery 918 Victory Boulevard • Staten Island, NY 10301 Telephone number: (718) 727-7020



The Magic Of A Mother's Touch

There's magic in mother's touch,
And sunshine in her smile
There's love in everything she does
To make our lives worthwhile
We can find both love and courage
Just by looking in her eyes
Her laughter is a source of joy,
Her words are warm and wise
There is a kindness and compassion
To be found in her embrace
And we see the light of Heaven
Shining from a mother's face.

-Author unknown

Acknowledgement

The family wishes to express their gratitude and sincere thanks to everyone for their love and support during this time.

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