

Service

Wednesday, October 19, 2011 - 2:00 p.m.

UNITY FUNERAL CHAPELS, INC.

2352 8th Avenue • New York, NY 10027

Rev. Dr. Edward Culvert, Officiating Bobby Arrington, Organist

<u>Obituary</u>

Edna Hodges (also known as Ms. Edna or Edna) was born on September 10, 1919 in Virginia where she met her late husband, Mr. Jake Hodges and they joined in union. She was a homemaker. Edna joined the Project Find Family on June 17, 2003.

Edna was a very cheerful, fun and loving person to be around. Edna would sit in the lobby of The Woodstock where she resided. She would laugh and joke with her friends on a daily basis. Edna enjoyed staying busy. She was a member of The Village Day Center for many years; she would attend The Center five days a week and always spoke about the friends that she had met over the years. Whenever Edna had to attend a medical appointment, she would spend the rest of her day having meals and participating in activities at The Woodstock Senior Center.

Edna would always tell stories of her experiences in life. If someone was sad, Edna would always try to encourage her friends to stay happy and to take care of themselves. She had a beautiful spirit. Edna was the "grandmother" of The Woodstock. Some of Edna's greatest hobbies were dancing and she loved to eat good food and always wanted nice clothes and jewelry. She loved dancing to her favorite artist, Marvin Gaye. Edna was very much a lady. She would always talk about how good she was going to look when parties were given. Edna would dance from the beginning to the end. Edna loved herself and being happy. She would give herself a birthday party every years and invite all her friends. Edna would always talk about her late husband, Jake, and how she appreciated him and the love that he showed her.

At this victorious home going for Edna, she leaves behind many friends from The Project Find Family and The Village Day Center. She will be greatly missed.

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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. Laugh at the things we use to do Miss me-but let me go.

-author unknown

<u>Acknowledgement</u>

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

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