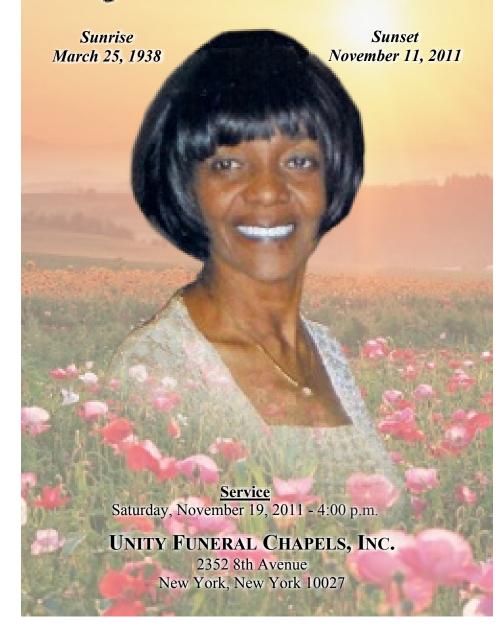
In Loving Memory of

Joella Hunter



<u>Obituary</u>

Joella Hunter, better known as "Tottie", departed this life to be with the Lord on November 11, 2011. She was the ninth child of fifteen children born to the late James and Josephine Simpson in Hertford, North Carolina. She was educated in Perquimans County School system. Joella moved to New York City, there she met the love of her life and was united in Holy Matrimony to the late Kenneth Hunter. To this union was added five children and her heart and home was always open to other children. Joella was loved by all.

Later in life, Joella accepted Jesus Christ as her Lord and Savior and became a member of First Glorious Church of Bronx, New York under the leadership of the late Reverend A.B. Duncan. She joined the Celestial Choir because her joy was singing and praising the Lord. Joella always encouraged her family to share in Bible Study so that they could come to know the Lord and accept Him as their Savior.

Joella spent many months in Montefiore Hospital, enduring her illness. Some would say she was a strong fighter; but we know it was God who brought her through and blessed her to come home and be with us a little longer. The family was thankful.

Joella leaves to cherish her memory: two sons, Larry and Kenneth Hunter; three daughters, Tanish Freeman, April Renee and Nicole Hunter all of New York. She had eleven grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. Preceding her in death were two brothers, James and Willie Lee Simpson, two sisters, Eva Holley and Dorothy Brooks, her siblings, Blanch Moore, Gladys Brooks (Nathaniel), Nathan Simpson (Lucy) all of Virginia, Helen McCrimon, Catherine Simpson and Nellie Banks all of New York, Wilber Simpson (Ethelyn), Charles Simpson (Olga), Doris Simpson all of North Carolina and Vernon Simpson (Annie) of Georgia; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Order of Service

Presiding - Rev. Vernon "Jim" Simpson

Prelude

Processional

Invocation

Holy Scripture Readings Old Testament New Testament

Solo	
Prayer of Comfort	Rev. Robert Tinsley First Glorious Church
Choir Selection	Gospel of St. Luke's Mass Choir
Acknowledgements and Condolence	sEvangelist Helen Taylor
Reading of the Obituary	
Solo	Minister Leroy Jones
Pianist	Minister Charlene Jones
Reflections	Friends (2 minutes please)
Choir Selection	The Celestial Choir of First Glorious Church
Eulogy	Rev. Ronald Hare
The Committal	Rev. Robert Tinsley
Morticians in Charge	Unity Funeral Director
Recessional Hymn	

Final Disposition

Oxford Hills Crematory Chester, New York

Immediately following the service, the Repass will be at First Glorious Church, 2084 Arthur Avenue, Bronx, NY. (between 179th and 180th Street)

We do not need a special day to bring you to our minds.

The days we do not think of you are very hard to find.

Each morning when we awake, we know that you are gone and no one knows the heartache as we try to carry on.

Our hearts still ache with sadness and secret tears still flow.

What it meant to lose you no one will ever know.

Our thoughts are always with you, your place no one can fill In life we loved you dearly; in death we love you still.

There will always be heartaches and often a silent tear

But always a precious memory of the days when you were here.

Lovingly submitted by the Family

<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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