# In Loving Memory of Patricia Arnold

Sunrise
January 30, 1942

Sunset
March 11, 2013



### <u>Service</u> Friday, March 15, 2013 - 11:00 a.m.

## TRAVELER'S REST BAPTIST CHURCH

1650 Amsterdam Avenue • New York, NY 10031 Reverend Ronnie L. Faison, Officiating

# <u>Obituary</u>

**Patricia Ann Arnold** was born January 30, 1942 in Detroit, MI. Early in life, she and her family moved to Clairton, PA. While in Clairton she attended elementary, junior high and high school. She graduated from Clairton High School in 1959, where she was known as "Frenchie".

After graduating from high school she moved to New York City. After a brief stint in nursing school, she transferred to Burrough of Manhattan Community College and worked at Chase Manhattan Bank to obtain an Associate's Degree. After graduating from BMCC, she continued to work and enrolled at City College of New York where she graduated with a degree in education.

Shortly after, she began to work for the New York City Board of Education as a Teacher and continued to work for them for twenty years. During these years she met many lifelong friends and obtained a Master's in Reading from Columbia University.

Pat had a lifelong desire to travel. In 1989, while winding up her teaching career, she enrolled at Manhattan Marymount College and obtained a Certificate in Travel. Her desire to travel turned into a desire to become a Travel Agent. With that, The Travel Club with Lisa and Pat was born. For over ten years, Pat booked group travel and held meetings for the club at least four times a year. She traveled extensively, having gone to Africa, Hawaii, Portugal, Rome, Germany, Cancun and numerous other places. Some of her early members included, Miss Mary Royster, Miss Amparo Charnco, Mr. Armando Garcia and Irma Linares.

In 2006, she changed the name of her concern to Pat's Travel and Tours still hosting meetings. Pat was an accomplished woman never missing an opportunity to grow and make new friends. A list of her accolades include Silver Life Member of the NAACP, Founding Sponsor of The Martin Luther King, Jr. Memorial and a member of Cruise Lines International Association. Pat never met a person she didn't like. She had friends from coast to coast. An avid writer, she was constantly sharing information with others and communicating by phone.

She leaves behind a loving and caring husband, Keith; in-laws; and a host of friends and colleagues.

## <u>Order of Service</u>

Selection......Traveler's Rest Baptist Church Choir **Scriptures** Psalm 23 John 14·1-6 Prayer Selection.....Traveler's Rest Baptist Church Choir Acknowledgements Remarks.....Friends and Family (3 Mins. Please) Obituary Selection.....Traveler's Rest Baptist Church Choir Committal Viewing Recessional

### **Interment**

Rose Hill Memorial Park Cemetery Putnam Valley, 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.

# <u>Acknowledgement</u>

The family acknowledges with deep appreciation all acts of kindness extended to them during this bereavement hour. God bless you for all your thoughtfulness and concern.

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