

*Celebration of Life & Home Going of
Mrs. Talitha L. Wood Graham*

Sunrise: July 22, 1951 - *Sunset:* December 16, 2013



Service

Saturday, December 21, 2013 - 12:00 Noon

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The Obituary

A TIME TO BE BORN:

Talitha Linda Wood Graham, the oldest daughter of five children born to the union of the late Mr. Frank Wood, Sr. and Mrs. Loreese Wynn Wood on July 22, 1951 in Lynchburg, VA.

She was preceded in death by her father, Mr. Frank Wood, Sr. and her brothers, Frank Jr. and Bruce Wood.

A TIME TO LEARN:

Talitha received her early education in PS97/JHS 22 and graduated from Washington Irving High School. A college graduate of Obelin College in Ohio.

A TIME TO LOVE:

Talitha grew up with the love of her life, Mr. William “Billy” Graham from elementary school all through college. To this blessed union no children of their own were born. They have been married for over forty years.

A TIME TO LIVE:

Talitha grew up and lived on the Lower East Side (LES) in Manhattan, NY all of her life. She affiliated herself with DeWitt Church growing up even at an early age she loved the Lord, was active in church and taught Sunday school.

A TIME TO REST:

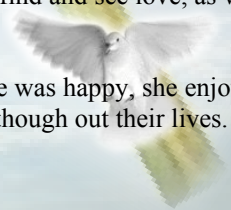
On Monday December 16, 2013, God said Talitha, my daughter your job is done. Come Home Sweet Angel. Well done.

A TIME TO REMEMBER:

Talitha leaves to cherish her memories: a loving and caring family that was important and everything to her: a devoted husband, William “Billy” Graham of the home; her blessed mother, Loreese Wynn Wood, Lugoff, SC; one adoring sister, Valerie Wood, Lugoff, SC; two caring brothers, Sherman Wood, Albany, NY and Deric Wood, Seattle, WA; two sisters-in-law, Carmen Brown Wood, Harrisburg, PA and Marilyn McDonough Wood, Albany, NY; two brothers-in-law, Leo Lawrence, New York, NY and Douglas Graham, Brooklyn, NY; three nieces, Elyse Wood, Bronx, NY, Tameeka Wood Myers, Raleigh, NC and Christina Wood, Harrisburg, PA; one nephew, Frank Wood III, Harrisburg, PA; one nephew-in-law, Marvin Myers, Raleigh, NC; three great nieces, Shai Imani, M'Laysia and M'Kenzie of Raleigh, NC; one great nephew, Magnus, Raleigh, NC; a host of loving aunts, uncles, cousins, so many friends to which she was a friend. When we search our hearts we would only find and see love, as well as fond memories and the wonderful way she touched us all.

In celebrating her Life and Home going please know that she was happy, she enjoyed her life. She and “Billy” shared a great love for one another though out their lives.

Lovingly Submitted,
The family



The Broken Chain

*We little knew that day,
God was going to call your name.
In life we loved you dearly,
In death, we do the same.*

*It broke our hearts to lose you.
You did not go alone.
For part of us went with you,
The day God called you home.*

*You left us beautiful memories,
Your love is still our guide.
And although we cannot see you,
You are always at our side.*

*Our family chain is broken,
And nothing seems the same,
But as God calls us one by one,
The chain will link again.*

Interment

Maple Grove Cemetery
Hackensack, New Jersey

We are
confident,
I say, and willing
rather to be
absent from the
body, and to be
present with
the Lord.

A Legacy of Love...

*When a soul that we love
takes flight on wings of a dove*

We grieve

But we trust and believe

*There is a place overflowing
With grace, where every soul
Is at peace and all weeping ceased*

*And when that soul
Looks down from above
All they see is a legacy of love.*

Lovingly Submitted The Graham & Wood Families

Acknowledgements:

*The family wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation the many
expressions of love, concern and kindness shown
to them during this hour of bereavement.*

May God Bless and Keep You!

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