

In Loving Memory of



Mavis M. Lambert

Sunrise

May 8, 1926

Sunset

January 8, 2014

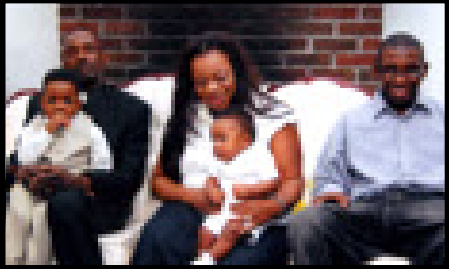
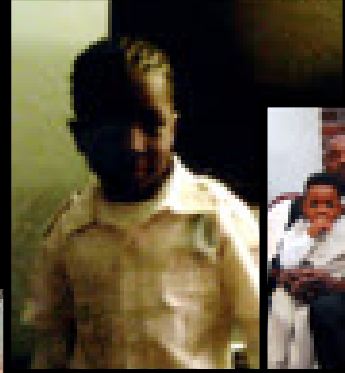
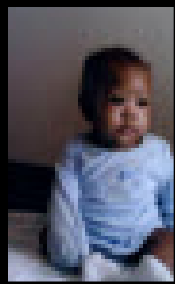
Saturday, January 18, 2014 - 10:00 a.m.

PARK AVENUE/ST. JOHN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

220 Park Avenue

East Orange, New Jersey

Rev. Annie E. Williams, Officiating



Reflections of Life

Mavis Minelva Lambert died on Wednesday, January 8th at the University Hospital in Newark at the age of 85. After a valiant fight with illness. Her strong will to live and her unwavering faith in God, the love and prayers of her children, family and friends, carried her through all these years.

She was born on May 8th, 1926 in Courtland Village Corentyne Berbice in Guyana. She was the daughter of the late Gertrude and Daniel Lambert. As a child she attended #1 School in Guyana, she also attended the Carnegie School of Home Economics, where she mastered the art of cooking and pastry making. She was a longtime hairdresser and beautician, many girls felt like princesses. Her daughters, nieces and many friends can attest to that. She enjoyed traveling and on many occasions visited the Caribbean. She was married to Issac Smart, that union produced four girls, Burl, Arlene, Barbara and Hazel.

In 1968, she migrated to the USA. In 1972, her children joined her. Mavis continued to work in home care and as a beautician until she retired. She was known for her flamboyant and cheerful personality, she loved life. She liked dancing and traveling. Her signature gift of love will

always be remembered by giving, constant smile, sense of humor and friendliness by all who had the pleasure of meeting her.

She is survived by her children, Lawrence Ismael, Arlene Williams, Barbara Gibson and Hazel Lambert and the late Grafton; daughters-in-law, Sheryl and Joan; grandchildren, Gillian, Lerone, Kurt, Maxwell, Tasha, Ebony, Antwan, Jaime, Kevin, Kevin, Lakna, Lockner, Courtney, Odetta and Jamal; great grandchildren, Calvin, Tashana, Junior, Savion, Savianne, Sahane, Briana, Kenyatta, Kennedy, Noah, London, Jamarcus, Kasia, Daniel, Shiloh, Jamonie and Jayden; brothers, Leon and William Lambert and the late Orville, Daniel and David; her loving sisters, the late Lyrah, Genelda, Jane and Eleanor; sisters-in-law, Lois and Frances; aunt of Joan King, Yvonne Crandon, Charlie Bagot and others, Verone, Gem and others, Lloyd, Ossie and others, Megan, Ferdie, Stanley, Elton and others, Gail and Gregory Lambert and others, Odetta, Ofari and others; cousins, the Benjamins, Crandon, Williams and others and many friends and well wishers.

*Aunt Mavis you have fought the good fight, you have
finished your course. We will miss you.
May your beautiful soul Rest In Peace.*

Order of Service

Processional.....Organ Prelude

Invocation Prayer..... Bro. Derrick Davis, L. M.

Hymn of Comfort “Amazing Grace”
Congregation

Greeting Bro. Derrick Davis, L. M.

Reading of Scriptures

Psalm 27:1-5 Ms. Briana Ali

Gospel Luke 24:1-8Bro. Derrick Davis. L. M.

Solo / Selection “Precious Lord”
Ms. Gwendolyn Hunter

Acknowledgements/ Remarks..... Ms. Gail Lambert
Mr. Lawrence Ishmael

EulogyMs. Linda Lambert

Solo Selection“Bridge Over Troubled Waters”

Reflections of Life..... Ms. Gail Lambert

Benediction

Recessional Hymn “Rock Of Ages”

Interment

Rosedale Cemetery
Montclair, New Jersey

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.

Acknowledgement

Perhaps you sent a lovely card or sat quietly in a chair.

Perhaps you sent a floral piece If so, we saw it there.

Perhaps you spoke the kindest words as any friend could say.

Perhaps you were not there at all just thought of us on that day.

Whatever you did to console our hearts, We Thank You, Whatever the part.

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