

In Loving Memory of



Sunrise
April 24, 1947

Sunset
January 10, 2014

Phillis Jones

Service

Saturday, January 18, 2014 - 11:00 a.m.

NEW MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH

171 West 140th Street • New York, NY

Obituary

Phillis Jones, was born April 24th, 1947, to the late Homer and Virginia Anderton-Gilyard. She was born and raised in Harlem, New York. She attended Julia Roberts High School in Manhattan and Suffolk Community College in 1984. Before she was called on before our Father, Phillis worked for NYC Transit Authorities for 21 years.

Phillis resided in Harlem, where she met John L. Jones. Years later they married, bore 6 children, and moved to Long Island to raise their family.

Phillis was a devoted, loving, and caring wife, mother and grandmother. She was always concerned about the well-being of her family. She had a serious demeanor and rules that followed. Her children's friends would sometimes ask, "Is your mother a police officer?". They would reply, "Nope, that's just mommy."

Phillis would give her heart and last to make sure her family had everything they needed, wanted, and more. She was a God-fearing woman who donated to churches, paid her tithes, and gave regularly to Feed The Children in Africa. She was also a loyal supporter and donator to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital.

Phillis can now rest with her late family; mother, Virginia Gilyard, brother and sister, Gales, brother, Holmer Gilyard Jr., granddaughter, Larissa, and two sons-in-law, Damon Mitchell and Frankie McKenzie. She is and will be missed, but never forgotten.

Phillis leaves behind: her husband, John Jones; her children, Keshia Jones-McKenzie, Phillis Jones-Billinger, John Jones Jr., Stephanie Jones-Mitchell, La'Toya Jones-Etienne, Corey Jones; daughter-in-law, Karin Dorloyres-Jones; sons-in-law, Rick Etienne and Robert Billinger; 25 grandchildren, 15 great-grandchildren, and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and dear friends.

Remember God Is Good All The Time!!

Order of Service

Processional

Selection

Scripture Readings

Prayer

Selection

Acknowledgements

Remarks

Obituary

Selection

Eulogy

Committal

Viewing

Recessional

Interment

*Pinelawn Memorial Park Cemetery
Farmingdale, New York*

A Mother's Love

*A Mother's Love Is
Being happy for her children
When they are happy
Being sad for her children
When they are sad
Being together in good and bad times.
A Mother's Love is a source of strength
A Mother's Love Is
Being honest with herself at all times
Being honest with her children at all times
Talking, listening and respecting the truth and never pretending
A Mother's Love is the source of reality.
A Mother's Love Is
An understanding so complete that she feels
as if she is a part of her children
Accepting her children just the way they are
And not trying to change them into being something else
A Mother's Love is the source of unity.
A Mother's Love Is
The freedom to pursue her own desires while
sharing her experiences with her children
The growth of her individuality along with
the growth of her children's individuality
A Mother's Love is the source of success.
A Mother's Love Is
Knowing that her children will always be with her
Regardless of what happens
Missing her children when they pass
But knowing that they are near in her heart
A Mother's Love is the source of security.
Most of all a Mother's Love is Forever!*

Acknowledgement

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

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