



*Celebrating  
The Life  
of*

*Lenora Turner Roberts*

*Sunrise*

*February 15, 1948*

*Sunset*

*April 5, 2014*

*Service*

Monday, April 14, 2014 - 12:00 Noon

**Cotton Funeral Service**

1025 Bergen Street  
Newark, New Jersey

*Pastor Bryant R. Ali, Officiating*

## *Obituary*

**Lenora Roberts**, daughter to the late William Chester Turner and Viola Turner was born February 15, 1948 in Newark, NJ. Lenora departed this life on April 5, 2014 at Robert Wood Johnson Hospital in New Brunswick, NJ.

Lenora received her formal education in the Newark School System. Lenora continued her education attending Essex County College. While attending college, Lenora worked for Essex County Welfare for several years. In 1980, she received her Real Estate license. Lenora was a natural born sales person and after receiving her Realty, License. Lenora was employed at Listner and Williamson Realty of Newark, NJ. "Lenora took to realty like a storm to be reckoned with". Lenora worked there for many years and received several "Real Estate Sales Person of The Year" awards.

Lenora was known as a person that was very knowledgeable of many subjects. Lenora was always "the go to person" in the family. Lenora will always be known for her many hats that she worn. One of which was a true shopaholic. Lenora was a devoted daughter, a loving sister, caring mother, a stand-by your man wife, and enjoyed being a Grandmother. Lenora always said, "I should had skip having kids and just had grandkids" with a SMILE. Lenora was a person not afraid to voice her opinion regardless of good, bad, place or time. Lenora was very boisterous and strong willed. Lenora enjoyed eating crabs, drinking pepsi and starting riots!!! LOL. Lenora had many personalities one of which was Karimah Bilal. Lenora was truly one of a kind.

Lenora was preceded in death by her parents, husband, Karim Roberts, four sisters, the late Dorothy-Mae Tharrington, Diane Lee Turner, Mary Bogar, and Lillian Smith, two brothers, William Tyrone Whitley and William Ernest Turner, a.k.a HASSAN.

Lenora is survived by a loving family that will always cherish her memory: sisters, Wilma Smith and Jean Turner; children; Keith, Melissa and Edward "Eli" Turner, and Rasheemah Turner-McMillian; sons-in-law, Timothy Khabir Jackson, Leo Natta and Robert McMillian; grandchildren, Malcolm Dobson, Tiffany and Jessica Turner, Ali, Amirah and Fatima Jackson, Elijah, Aquan and Elijanay Turner, Khalif, Tameera, Sameera and David McMillian; great grandchildren, Kaden Turner, Carter Garrison and Marley Martin; along with a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

# Order of Service

Prelude Music..... Cotton Funeral Home

Scripture readings  
Old Testament  
New Testament

Solo .....Nicole Booth

Processional..... Pastor Bryant R. Ali and Family

Remarks..... Family and Friends 3 minutes Please

Obituary..... Bernard Turner

Eulogy .....Pastor Bryant R. Ali

Prayer of Consolation



**Interment**  
Rosedale Cemetery  
Linden, New Jersey

# *The Very Best*

*God saw you getting tired, and a cure was not to be, So He put His arms around you and whisper, "Come to me" With tearful eyes we watched and saw you pass away. Although we loved you dearly, we could not make you stay. A heart made of gold stopped beating, Hard working hands at rest. God broke our hearts to prove to us, He only takes the very best.*

(Keith, Melissa, Eli and Rasheema)

*I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race,  
I have kept the Faith.*

**2 Timothy 4:7**



## *Acknowledgement*

The family of the late **Lenora Roberts** wishes to acknowledge with sincere appreciation, to all of our family, and friends of the family for all of their unselfish acts of love, kindness and sympathy during this most difficult time. A heart "thank you" to all of you for you cards, flowers, phone calls and most of all your prayers. You have been our pillar of strength. May God continue to bless each and every one of you.

The Family

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