

*Homegoing Service  
Celebrating the Life of*



*Arnetta Louise Knight*

*Sunrise*

July 13, 1926

*Sunset*

June 6, 2014

**Service**

Friday, June 13, 2014 - 11:00 a.m.

**HEARD A.M.E. CHURCH**

310 East Eighth Avenue

Roselle, New Jersey

*Rev. Archie Cummings, Jr., Pastor*

## *Life Reflections*

**Arnetta Louise Knight** was born on July 13, 1926 in Portsmouth, Virginia, daughter of Bessie Jeffries Lassiter and Berlin Lassiter. Educated in the Portsmouth Public School system, she graduated from I. C. Norcum High School in Portsmouth. She would later attend classes at Saint Paul's Polytechnic Institute (now Saint Paul's College) in Lawrenceville, Virginia before moving to New Jersey in the mid-1950s.

Arnetta (affectionately known as "Net") was joined in holy matrimony to Alton Frederick Knight, Sr. and this union was blessed with two children, Alton Frederick Knight, Jr. and April Loi Knight. They would raise their family in Roselle, New Jersey.

Mrs. Knight had been employed as a Seamstress at Phoenix Manufacturing Company in Roselle, New Jersey for approximately 30 years before she retired.

She was a member of Heard A.M.E. Church in Roselle, New Jersey where she was active as a Sunday School teacher, director of the Male Chorus and member of the Emergency Choir. When not singing or directing on Sunday, she could be found in her customary seat in the pew near the back row.

Arnetta Louise Knight departed this life on Friday, June 6, 2014 at Northwest Hospital in Randallstown, Maryland at the age of 87. She was predeceased by her beloved husband, Alton Frederick Knight, Sr., in 2001 and her daughter, April Loi Knight, in 2008.

She leaves to cherish fond memories, a son, Alton Frederick Knight, Jr. (Renee) of Owings Mills, Maryland, four grandchildren, Adrian Maurice Knight (Ana), Tyson Lamont Knight (Sierra), Eric Raymond Knight (Tikisha) and Carmen Renee Knight, seven great grandchildren, Tyson Knight, Jr., Dorian Moore, Tyasia Knight, Ethan Moore, Bryson Knight, Ailani Knight and Kairi Knight, one sister, Vertley Bolton, and a host of other relatives and friends.

Lovingly and Sorrowfully,  
The Family

# Order Of Service

Processional

Organ Prelude

A Parting View

Hymn

Scriptures

Old Testament

New Testament

Prayer of Comfort

Hymn

Words of Comfort

Acknowledgment of Condolences

Obituary

Hymn

Eulogy ..... Rev. Archie Cummings, Jr.

Recessional



**Interment**

Hollywood Memorial Park • Union, New Jersey

Immediately following the interment, family and friends are invited to return to Heard A.M.E. Church where a repast will be served.

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*Services Entrusted To:*

**G.G. Woody Funeral Home, LLC**

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*“Where Our Sympathy Expresses Itself Through Sincere Service”*



*Arnetta, Alton and April Together Again*

**Pall Bearers**

Family and Friends of **Arnetta Knight**

*I'm Free*

Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free, I'm following the path  
God laid for me. I took his hand when I heard his call, I  
turned my back and left it all. I could not stay another day,  
To laugh, to love, to work, to play. Tasks left undone must  
stay that way, I've found that peace at the end of the day. If  
my parting has left a void, Then fill it with remembered joy.  
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss, Ah, yes, these things too  
I will miss. Be not burdened with times of sorrow, I wish you  
the sunshine of tomorrow. My Life's been full, I savoured  
much, Good friends, good times, a loved one' touch. Perhaps  
my time seemed all too brief, Don't lengthen it now with  
undue grief. Lift up your heart and share with me, God  
wanted me now, He set me free.

*Janice M. Fair-Salters*

**Acknowledgement**

The family of **Arnetta Knight** acknowledges with sincere appreciation every thought and act of kindness expressed to us during this our hour of bereavement. We will always keep you in our prayers. May God continue to richly bless you.

