In Losing Memory of



Dorothy Harrington

Sunrise August 15, 1945 Sunset August 10, 2014

Service

Saturday, August 16, 2014 - 11:00 a.m.

First Baptist Church of Linden

929 Dill Avenue Linden, New Jersey 07036

Order of Service

Prelude Organist
Processional
Invocation
Musical Selection Evelyn Reeves
Scripture Readings Old Testament - Psalm 23 Minister Cornelius Barker Continuous Flow Christian Center, NJ New Testament - John 14:1-6 Minister Floyd Jeter Continuous Flow Christian Center, NJ
Acknowledgements/Cards/Resolutions/Obituary Elder Gloria Carter-Hopkins
Expressions of Love 2 Minutes Please

Recessional

Interment

Musical Selection Evelyn Reeves

Continuous Flow Christian Center, NJ

Rosehill Cemetery Linden, New Jersey

<u>Obituary</u>

Dorothy Deloris Cokley Harrington, affectionately known as Dee and Deloris, passed away on August 10, 2014. She was born August 15, 1945, the fourth of six children, in Sumter, South Carolina to Marant and Minnie Cokley. In 1957, she moved to Dayton, Ohio where she confessed hope and gave her life to Christ at an early age. She was baptized and joined Macedonia Baptist Church, under the Reverend Marcus T. Clark. After graduating from Roosevelt High School in 1963, she relocated to Linden, NJ where she met and married, Thomas Harrington. She was educated and achieved many certificates and certifications. She worked as a Cardiac Technician at Saint Elizabeth Hospital, Elizabeth, NJ for fifteen years. Her job was moving to Bethlehem, PA and Dorothy did not want to move away from her family, in 1979, Dorothy was hired as a Book Keeper at Eagle Plywood, Plainfield, NJ for fifteen years. Shortly after, Dorothy began working as Manager at Essex Plaza in Jersey City, NJ which was her last job before she became ill.

Dee was a passionate, avid bowler and was always trying to improve her average. She served for more than twenty-five years as Secretary of the Andy Ferguson Memorial League and thirty years as the Lilac City Tournament Coordinator. It was through the sport of bowling; she and a group of friends decided to lend support for higher education. Dee was a dedicated volunteer, treasurer and co-founder of the Strike Merchant's Scholarship Foundation, Inc. Dee, with the Strike Merchants, has assisted numerous students from Hudson, Union, Essex, Middlesex and Passaic Counties to pursue their academic goals.

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Although Dee did not have children, she devoted her life to her nieces, nephews, and God-children. Dee's ministry was the "Ministry of Help". She was known for her passion of taking initiative to assist others, and known to complete tasks with quickness. Nothing was too much for her. She was a dedicated individual and leaned on the Gospel, word and songs, for her strength. Celebrating her life and cherishing her memory are her parents, Marant and Minnie Cokley - Piscataway, NJ; three brothers, Junius (Sara) Cokley - Piscataway, NJ, LeRoy (Elizabeth) Cokley - Roselle, NJ and Earl Cokley - Linden, NJ; two sisters, Carrie (Robert) Reid and Annie Clark - Dayton, OH; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Honorary Pallbearers

Clifford Clack Keith Clack
Tyrone Cokley Davion Pullin
Kevin Cokley

Pallbearers

Lawrence Digsby Patrick Henry
Robert Gass Sahib Peterson
George Bailey Less Hill
Wayne Hightower

Miss Me, But Let Me Go

When I come to the end of the road and the sun has set for me, I want no rites in a gloom filled room, Why cry for a soul set free? Miss me a little-but not too long. and not with your head bowed low. Remember the love that we once shared. Miss me-but let me go. For this is a journey that we all must take, And each must go alone. It's all part of the Master's plan, A step on the road to home. When you are lonely and sick at heart, Go to the friends we know. Laugh at the things we use to do Miss me-but let me go. -author unknown

<u>Acknowledgement</u>

For all the love and care shown to Dee during her illness, and for all the prayers, visits, calls, food, flowers and other expression of love shown to our family after her homegoing, thank you from the bottom of our hearts. A very special thank you to her Dearest Friend, Minnie Belton your kindness means the world to us. May God continue to bless all of you. Special, special Thank You to her brother, Earl Cokley.

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