

Celebration for the Life of



Lillie Mae (Briggs) Canteen

August 22, 1947 – September 12, 2014

Thursday, September 18, 2014 - 10:00 a.m.

CARNIE P. BRAGG FUNERAL HOME

256 Rosa Parks Blvd.

Paterson, New Jersey

Pastor Denzel Lee, Officiating

Reflections of Life

Lillie Mae (Briggs) Canteen was born on August 22, 1947 in Johnsonville, South Carolina to the late Cepheus and Rachel (Lewis) Briggs.

She was educated by the Johnsonville School System. Lillie later relocated to Paterson, New Jersey in 1972. She was employed by Power Conversion Co. in Elmwood Park, New Jersey, as a mechanist.

Lillie met and married Mr. Daniel Canteen.

Lillie was a loving and caring wife, mother, grandmother, sister and friend.

She departed this life on Friday, September 12, 2014 at the St. Joseph Hospital Paterson, NJ.

Lillie leaves to cherish her memory: her husband, Daniel Canteen; one son, Jonathan Briggs; two daughters, Rudean Briggs and Vickey Briggs; one sister, Annie Lee; eight grandchildren,; five great grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends.

To Know Her Was To Love Her.

Order of Service

Prelude

Processional

Selection

Scripture Reading
Old Testament
New Testament

Prayer of Comfort

Selection

Acknowledgements & Remarks

Selection

Reflections of Life

Eulogy
Pastor Denzel Lee
Church of God Prophet, Paterson, NJ

Recessional

Interment

St. Peter's Cemetery
Garfield, New Jersey

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 Him call
I turned my back and left it all.

I could not stay another day.

To laugh, to love, to work or play.
Tasks left undone must stay that way,
I found that peace at the close of day.

If my parting has left a void,
Then fill it up with remembered joy.

A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,
Oh, yes these things I too will miss.

Be not burdened with times of sorrow,
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.

My life's been full, I savored much.

Good friends, good times, a loved one's 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!

-author unknown

Acknowledgement

*The family of the late **Lillie Mae (Briggs) Canteen** wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation the many expressions of love, concern and kindness shown to their family during this hour of bereavement. May God Bless and Keep You!*

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