In Loving Memory of

Ida Cheatham-Lee

Sunrise
August 24, 1955

Sunset
September 17, 2014

Service
Wednesday, September 24, 2014 - 11:00 a.m.

Whigham Funeral Home
580 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd.
Newark, New Jersey

Obituary

Ida Cheatham was born August 24, 1955 to the late Otis and Callie Cheatham in Newark, New Jersey. She was one of ten children, Ida was a lifelong Newark resident where she also worked and raised her family.
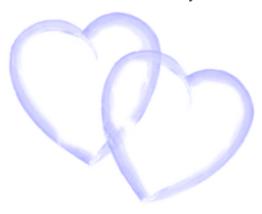
Ida was educated in the Newark Public School system. After graduating from Central High School, she began full time work with Prudential Insurance Company. After ten years she moved on to several other employers, always maintaining an exemplary work ethic and record.

Ida was a proud mother, devoted wife, and loyal friend. Her smile would light up any room and her presence would brighten any one's day. Anyone who came in contact with her knew they were in the presence of an angel. She was truly loved by all.

She leaves to cherish her memory: her husband, Leon Lee; sons, Mustafa Shabazz, Basiyr Rouse, Idris Rouse and Jalil Reddick; sisters, Catherine Cheatham, Esther Boyd and Vivian Cheatham; brother, Ronald Cheatham and Donald Cheatham.

She was preceded in death by: sister, Gloria Noelian; brothers, Otis Cheatham, Samuel Cheatham and Henry Cheatham.

Ida's heart was her best feature and will truly be missed.

Order of Service

Processional

Scripture Reading
Old Testament
New Testament

Prayer

Hymn

Obituary & Acknowledgments

Remarks

Solo

Eulogy

Recessional

Interment
Rosehill Cemetery
Linden, New Jersey

On The Wings of Death And Sorrow

On the wings of death and sorrow
God sends us hope for tomorrow
And in His mercy and His grace
He gives us strength to bravely face
The lonely days that stretch ahead
And know our loved one is not dead,
But only sleeping and out of sight
In that land where there is no night.

Acknowledgement

The family wishes to express their sincere thanks and appreciation for all acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy that was shown to them during this time of bereavement.

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