

*Weeping may endure for a night  
But joy does come in the morning*

*Homegoing Celebration In Loving Memory  
of*

*Sunrise*

*March 15, 1947*

*Sunset*

*September 17, 2014*

*Ms. Ernestine Lee*

*Exodus 23:20-21*

*See, I am sending an angel ahead of you to guard you along  
the way and to bring you to the place I have prepared.*

*Your Loving Family*

Wednesday, September 24, 2014

Viewing - 9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Service - 11:00 a.m.

**BETHANY BAPTIST CHURCH**

303 West 153rd Street • New York, NY 10039

*Rev. Evelyn Mayrant, Officiating*

## Life Reflections

### Glimpse of Life

*For I am now ready to be offered and the time of my departure is at hand. I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith.*

**II Timothy 4:6-7**

**Ernestine Lee** was born March 15, 1947 to the late James Allen Lee and Alvenia Moore Lee in Manning, South Carolina.

She was preceded in death by one sister, Al Precious Lee Parson and two brothers, James Allen, Jr. and Patrick Lee.

Ernestine was educated in the Public Schools of Clarendon County. She was a graduate of Manning Training High School.

At an early age, she accepted Christ and joined Bethel AME Church, SC.

She moved to New York City and became a loyal and faithful member of Bethany Baptist Church and was a Willing Worker. She loved her Deacon. She worked for Wausau Insurance Company and later was employed by the NYC School Safety. She happily retired and began to really enjoy life.

She loved traveling, fishing, gardening, dancing and lively entertainment, etc. She was a loving and kind person who was loved by many and generously helped those in need. The lights are bright on Broadway (Symphony Space) my work is finished, love to all of you. Thank you and God Bless.

On Wednesday, September 17, 2014, she departed this walk of life unexpectedly at her home 2410 Frederick Douglas Blvd., New York, NY.

She leaves to cherish her loving memories: a loving daughter, Adriane Lee-White; son-in-law, Terry White; son, Reginald A. Lee; granddaughter, Adriane M. Lee; great granddaughter, Alivia; seven sisters, Theodore Lee, Marjorie Boone, Francis Conyers (Ulysses), Patricia Lee, Cheryl Lee Chalmus (Paul), Valeria Lee and Sharon Lee; two brothers, Herbert Lee (Della) and Richard Lee (Gloria); a host of nieces, nephews, grandchildren (too many to name) and several special friends, Wilma Newman, Glenda Kuller, Ms. Edith, and Ms. Bea.

*Order of Service*

**Processional**.....Clergy and The Family

**Hymn of Celebration**.....“The Lord Is Blessing Me Right Now”

**Opening Prayer**.....Reverend Delores Staten

**Scripture Readings**

Old Testament.....Deacon Richard Hargrove

New Testament.....Reverend Evelyn Mayrant

**Musical Selection**.....Bethany Choir

**Prayer of Comfort**.....Rev. Delores Staten

**Solo**.....Sister Patricia Lee

**Obituary/Remarks**.....Frances Conyers  
Glenda Kuller

**Solo**.....Gloria Lee

**Eulogy**.....Rev. Calvin G. Sampson

**Directions from Funeral Director**

**Committal**

**Benediction**

*Interment*  
Kensico Cemetery  
Valhalla, New York

# *"Tribute to My Family"*

## *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 a 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.  
And bury your sorrows in doing good deeds,  
Miss Me-But Let Me Go!*

*Love, Ernestine*

### *In Appreciation*

*The family of the late **Ernestine Lee** would like to express their  
sincere appreciation for your cards, phone calls, concerns,  
cares and any kind deeds during the passing of our loved one.*

*We ask God's richest blessings for each of you.*

*The Family*

*We love you yesterday, today and forever.  
You will always be in our thoughts, rest in peace.*

*The Family*

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