

In Loving Memory of



Gloria Ann Cooper

Sunrise
May 3, 1937

Sunset
October 16, 2014

Service

Friday, October 24, 2014 - 12:00 Noon

Metropolitan Baptist Church

149 Springfield Avenue
Newark, New Jersey

Rev. David Jefferson, Sr., Pastor

Order of Service

Processional

Scripture Sentences

Hymn

Prayer of Consolation

Hymn

Tribute..... Rev. Mark Anthony Mitchell
Inner City Pastor, Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church, Atlanta, GA (Cousin)

Jesse Ricks
Wilbert Eley

Acknowledgements
(Cards, Telegrams, and other Expressions)
Kathy Irving

Message from Daughter

Hymn

Obituary Kathy Irving

Eulogy

BenedictionRev. Dr. David Jefferson

Recessional Rev. Dr. David Jefferson

<p><u>Interment</u> Evergreen Cemetery Hillside, New Jersey</p>
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Repast

*Repast immediately following the service at
B.F. Johnson Fellowship Hall Metropolitan Baptist Church.*

Obituary

Gloria Ann Cooper was born on May 3, 1937. She departed this life on October 16, 2014. Gloria was preceded in death by her parents Adella and Oliver Leaptrott.

Gloria attended school in Newark, NJ and she was baptized at Metropolitan Baptist Church by Rev. B.F. Johnson in 1951. She was united in marriage to the late Bernard Cooper, three daughters were born from this union: Roslynn, Lezlie and Bridgette.

Gloria worked 36 years as a Laboratory Technician and retired in 1999. After many years of absence from the church, Gloria felt the need to re-dedicate herself to the Lord and received the right-hand of Fellowship in May 1999. She was a loyal member of the African American Cultural and Women's Fellowship Ministries at Metropolitan Baptist Church. Gloria was a dedicated mother and a devoted grandmother who loved her family very dearly.

She leaves to cherish fond memories; her daughters; Roslynn Eley (Wilbert), Lezlie Cooper, and Bridgette Ricks (Jesse). She was the proud grandmother of eleven grand children: Wilbert (Bernie), Omar Tyree (deceased), Damien, Cameron, Brandon, Noelle, Joshua, Kyla, Kalinka, Kristal, and Syreeta and 17 great grandchildren. She also is mourned by a host of family and friends.

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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

Acknowledgement

Perhaps you sent a lovely card or sat quietly in a chair.

Perhaps you sent a floral piece If so, we saw it there.

Perhaps you spoke the kindest words as any friend could say.

Perhaps you were not there at all just thought of us on that day.

Whatever you did to console our hearts, We Thank You, Whatever the part.

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