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With Allah's name,  
The Merciful Benefactor,  
The Merciful Redeemer

*Khalilah Wahidah Bashir*



**Sunrise**  
July 17, 1947

**Sunset**  
October 31, 2014

**Tuesday, November 4, 2014 - 11:00 A.M.**

**Cotton Funeral Service**

1025 Bergen Street  
Newark, New Jersey  
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## Obituary

**Khalilah Wahidah** was the last of four children born to Bessie May and Henry Haynesworth in Newark, New Jersey on July 17, 1947.

Khalilah was educated in the Newark Public School system. She attended Essex County College majoring in Math.

She was united in marriage to Jabbar, together they had five children.

She was introduced to Islam as a young lady. Khalilah was employed at the US Postal Service for many years before her early retirement. She was fond of her vegetable garden and the Internet. In her later years she loved keeping her mind active by doing crossword puzzles and number games. She also enjoyed reading, knitting and keeping current. One of the things her children and family will miss most is her quick wit and investigative skills. She would have you answering five questions back to back before you realized.

Khalilah departed this life on Friday, October 31, 2014.

She leaves to cherish her memory: her beloved children, Mukarramah Brown, Qawiyy (Karriem) Bashir, Sadiq Bashir-Reynolds, Musawwir Bashir and Shahidah Bashir; her sister, Delores Haynesworth and two brothers, Richard Haynesworth and Rahjan Nassiruddin; brother-in-law, Robert Ali; sons-in-law, Imory Brown and Julius Blanding; daughters-in-law, Jacqueline Bashir and Patricia Cross; eight grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Bessie and Henry Haynesworth.

# Janazah Service

Janazah Prayer Service

Obituary

Message of Janazah

Prayer Service

Final Respects

## **Interment**

Rosehill Cemetery  
Linden, New Jersey

*You are invited to join the family at  
LaRouge Restaurant & Lounge  
972 Broad Street, Newark, NJ  
for repast immediately following interment.*

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# Surat Ash-Sharh (The Relief)

1. Did We not expand for you, [O Muhammad], your breast?
2. And We removed from you your burden
3. Which had weighed upon your back
4. And raised high for you your repute.
5. For indeed, with hardship [will be] ease.
6. Indeed, with hardship [will be] ease.
7. So when you have finished [your duties], then stand up [for worship].
8. And to your Lord direct [your] longing.

## 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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