



December 3, 1954

January 2, 2015

Friday, January 9, 2015 - 11:00 a.m.

Cotton Funeral Service

1025 Bergen Street Newark, New Jersey **Reverend Dale Ciceron; Officiating**

<u>Obituary</u>

Mary Ann Thomas know as "Juliet" was born on December 3, 1954 in Newark, New Jersey and departed on January 2, 2015. Mary was the fifth child to the late Joseph Taylor and Margaret Shoemake.

Mary attended Southside High School in Newark. She worked as a Nursing Aide for Patient Care for seven years before she was diagnosed with lupus.

Mary was a loving wife, mother, grandmother, sister, and aunt. She loved helping people and always doing for others. Mary loved to draw and always wanted to be a fashion designer. She never had the chance to become one but taught her grandson, Al-Tariq to draw as well as her. That was her gift to him. Mary also loved to bake always making homemade cakes and pies for everyone and making homemade cookies for her grandchildren and their friends.

Mary leaves to cherish her memories: her loving husband, Jerry Thomas of forty-one years; one son, James Thomas; one daughter, Victoria Thomas; two brothers, Joseph Taylor and James Taylor; four sisters, Betty Williams, Martha Warren, Jancie Taylor and Dorothy Harris; four grandchildren, Evelyn Thomas, Al-Tariq Harris, Denise Thomas and Heaven Thomas; five brothers-in-law, Jesse Thomas, Darren Thomas, David Thomas, Tony Allen and Rick Gartner; three sisters-in-law, Brenda Thomas, Gloria Thomas, Tamera Thomas and Mina Taylor; seven nieces; fifteen nephews; and a host of other family members and friends.

Mary will be missed for her loving warmth and caring heart, but she will always be in our hearts, she's in a better place now, we will always love you Rest In Peace.



Order of Service

Processional

Prayer of Comfort

Scripture Reading
Old Testament - Psalm 61:2
New Testament - 2 Corinthians 1:3-4

Acknowledgement & Obituary

Solo Darryl D'Bonneau

Eulogy Reverend Dale Ciceron Next Level Living Word Ministers

Recessional

<u>Interment</u>

Evergreen Cemetery Hillside, New Jersey

Repast

Following the service family and friends are invited for a repast at
Emanuel Missionary Baptist Church
230 Chancellor Ave.
Newark, NJ 07112

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

Hcknowledgement

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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