

*Homegoing Service
In Blessed Memory Of*



Vera J. Knight

Sunrise

May 9, 1938

Sunset

December 29, 2014

Saturday, January 10, 2015 - 10:00 am

GREATER ST. JOHNS METHODIST CHURCH

183 6th Street

Elizabeth, New Jersey

Reverend Ernest Jackson; Officiating

Denise Lowe; Organist

Obituary

Vera J. Knight was born to the late Ed (Sr.) And Ullar Clark on May 9, 1938 in Broxton, GA.

Vera, who was affectionately known as “**Mother**”, quietly answered the Masters call on Monday, December 29, 2014. She was preceded in death by her three brothers; Emery, Henry, Ed, Jr. Clark and three sisters; Eula Wilson, Beatrice Simpson, and Maybell Johnson.

She received her education from Carver High in Douglas, GA. She later moved to Madison, New Jersey to help take care of her eldest sister. It was then she reunited with her childhood sweetheart, Charlie. On March 14, 1959, Vera was joined in marriage with the love of her life Charlie L. Knight, to this happy union one child was born, Antoinette.

Vera was a loving and caring person. She worked as a Certified Nursing Assistant for 40 years. She started her C.N.A career at Woodbridge State School for five years, Elizabeth General Medical Center for thirty-five years ending her career at Robert Wood Johnson after two years then retiring to spend more time with her family.

Vera was an avid bowler, bowling on various leagues playing in many tournaments during her bowling career which led to her winning a trophy for high-score with the Union County Regional Bowling League.

Vera loved to cook, she was well known for her signature coconut-pineapple cake “**Cakes By Mother**” was always just a phone call away.

Vera was a devoted member of St. John M.E.R. for over 25 years under the leadership of the late Bishop B.F. Jackson. She continued her service at Greater St. Johns M.E.R. Church, under the leadership of Pastor Earnest Jackson. She faithfully, lovingly, and willingly served on the usher board, Pastors aide, various choirs, kitchen committee, stewardess board, she was a conference worker and a treasurer of the floral club, she was also a Bible school scholar getting 100 on every test she took. When you were in the presence of **Vera**, you were sure to receive a lovely smile, a passionate hug, and a kind word.

Vera was a family-oriented person, who loved **unconditionally**. She was a great inspiration to her entire family, she taught us to dream with our eyes wide open so that we would always be able to see the glory of God.

Vera leaves to cherish her memory her husband of fifty-five years, ILL. Charlie L. Knight; one daughter, Minister Antoinette (Austine) Omizegba of Elizabeth, NJ; four grandchildren DeMetrius (Nicole) Knight, Douglas, GA; KoHaleth (Senetra) Knight, Jonesboro, GA; Alice (James) Mack Linden, New Jersey; Sena (LuCiana) Knight, Norcross, GA; 14 great-grandchildren, two sisters, Lorraine Oridge, Madison, NJ; Leola Clark, Elizabeth, NJ, one brother-in-law David Simpson, Douglas, GA; four sisters-in-law; Mary F. Knight, Mattie M. Knight, Atlanta, GA, Pastor Barbara Johnson, Columbus, GA and Lucy Wise, Austell, GA; dear nephew, Emery (Kurt) Clark, Douglas, GA; very special niece and nephew Charlotte and Kenny Brown, Elizabeth, NJ; three church daughters, Elaine Singley, Roselle, NJ, Frances Brooks and Valerie Rice, Newark, NJ, and a host of nieces, nephews, relatives, and friends.

Order of Service

Family Processional

Musical SelectionGreater St. John M.E.R Church

Prayer of Comfort..... Elder James Mack (Grandson-in-law)
Grace Cathedral International

Scripture ReadingsGreater St. John M.E.R. Church
Old Testament
New Testament

Music SelectionGreater St. John M.E.R. Church

AcknowledgementsValerie Rice

Reading of Obituary.....De Metrius Knight (Eldest Grandson)

Words of Comfort..... Greater St. John M.E.R. Church
Charlotte Brown

Music SelectionElaine Singley

Eulogy.....Pastor Earnest Jackson

Recessional

<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Interment</u> Rosehill Cemetery Linden, New Jersey</p>

Pallbearers:
Family and Friends of Vera J. Knight

Notice Of Change Of Address

Dear Family and Friends,

I want you to know that I have moved. I received a call from God, the Chief Architect, who informed me that my new house is ready and that I could move immediately. I just didn't have time to give you notice.

My new home is finished and it's such a beautiful sight to behold. It is located in an exclusive estate area and it sits behind a beautiful Pearly Gate, just off a serene celestial shore. Of course, the streets are paved with gold and everyday is Sunday here, so I've been told.

There is Peace, Joy, and Happiness here no more pain and cares of the world to bear. Neither strife no discontent, there is only sweet serenity everywhere. Let me give you my new address I highly recommend you make plans to live here too.

Mrs. Vera J. Knight
1 Gates to the City Avenue
Godstown, Heaven 71717

Ps. I don't have a telephone yet, if you need anything just call God if you don't have his number, He is listed in the Good Book on every page contact him ANYTIME...

Poem Honoring My Beloved Nana "Vera" I CANNOT SAY, AND I WILL NOT SAY

I cannot say, and I will not say
That she has passed, she is just away
With a cheery smile, a wave of hand
She has wandered into an unknown land
Her father said it was getting dark, so she has returned home
I thank Him for allowing me to meet such a beautiful & strong woman
She is now an angel, dressed in all white that will continue to watch over me
When I make decisions whether they are wrong or right
Her time isn't over, she's still here
Now she's just the wind that blows, or maybe the glistening in the air
So please don't be sorrowful and cry as if she's gone from here forever
We'll meet her again in a place that's even better
So I CANNOT SAY, AND I WILL NOT SAY

Love,
Ky-Asia N. Mitchell (Great-Granddaughter)

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