Celebration for the Life of **Lottie Mae Gibbs**

Sunrise April 14, 1924

Sunset February 4, 2015

Friday, February 13, 2015 - 12:00 noon

CARNIE P. BRAGG FUNERAL HOME

143 Myrtle Avenue Passaic, New Jersey Reverend Anthony Cureton, Officiating Johnetta Bush, Organist



Reflections of Life

Lottie Mae Johnson was born in Beaufort County North Carolina on April 14th, 1924 to the late Moses and Nicey Johnson. She was born the second youngest out of seven children; Fannie, Erma Lee, Cora Lee & Willie Lee (twins), "Bud" and Alphonso Johnson.

Lottie Mae attended Pantego School system. After high school Lottie moved to New York City to live with her sister, Cora. While living in NY, Lottie met Liston Gibbs, Jr to whom she married on February 26th, 1950. Lottie and Liston lived in Brooklyn, NY and gave birth to their first child, the late Liston Gibbs III. Two years later, Lottie and Liston had twin girls, Linda and Glenda Gibbs. Five years later, Lottie & Liston moved to Hackensack, NJ. Lottie received her Nurse's Assistant certificate from Hackensack Hospital where she went on to become a Nurse's Assistant. Later on Lottie worked at Timeplex as a Solderer. She worked at Timeplex for many years and built wonderful lifelong friendships. In 1993, Lottie retired from Timeplex.

Lottie and Liston returned back to their hometown of Belhaven, North Carolina. They built their home on land passed down from Lottie's parents.

Retired life agreed with Lottie. She spent her days making a loving home for her family and she was happy to rejoin with old friends & family. Lottie enjoyed sewing, cooking, going to church, watching wrestling and spending time with her family.

After moving back home to North Carolina, Lottie and Liston joined their hometown church, Holy Grove. They were both active members and extremely loved by the entire congregation. Lottie sang in the choir, attended church meetings (which they affectionately called "Headquarter Meetings") participated in home church and visiting church services. In 2009, Holy Grove presented Lottie with the prestigious title of Mother of The Church. Lottie loved the Lord and truly enjoyed dwelling in HIS house.

Lottie leaves to cherish her memories, her loving daughters, Linda and Glenda; her four grandchildren, Robbi, Michele, George and Donnell and her four great grandchildren, Kelante, Zion, MyAngel and Roman, in addition, to a host of cousins, nieces and nephews that all love her dearly.

Order of Service

Worship leader	Rev. Anthony Cureton
Morning Prayer	
Scripture Reading	Michele Gibbs Owens Robbi Gibbs
Corinthians 5:8 John 14:1-4	
Poem	Robbi Gibbs Michele Gibbs Owens
CD Selection	
Prayer of Comfort	
Reflections of Life	
CD Selection	
Words of Comfort	Rev. Anthony Cureton
Recessional	

Interment Arlington Cemetery Kearny, New Jersey

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

The family of the late **Lottie Mae Gibbs** wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation the many expressions of love, concern and kindness shown to their family during this hour of bereavement. May God Bless and Keep You!

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