

*Celebration of Life for*



*Pearl M. Triplett*

*Sunrise*  
*April 6, 1924*

*Sunset*  
*April 28, 2015*

*Service*  
*Monday, May 4, 2015 – 10:00 a.m.*

*Perry Funeral Home*  
*34 Mercer Street • Newark, New Jersey 07103*

## Obituary

### *Celebration of life for the late Pearl Triplett 1924-2015*

**Pearl Mae Wilson** was born April 6, 1924 to the late Lillian Boswell and the late Charlie Wilson in the state of Virginia.

**Pearl** married Joseph David Triplett in 1943. They enjoyed fifty-three years of marriage, until his death. Their union was blessed with twelve children, eight of whom survive them.

**Pearl** passed away in the early morning hours of April 28, 2015 after a long, hard two years. She was a very strong and determined lady until her unfortunate demise.

**Pearl** was dearly loved and adored by her children, grandchildren, great grandchildren and great-great grandchildren. She spoiled loved, adored and play fought with each and every one of them.

**Pearl** was loved, cherished and cared for sweetly, kindly and lovingly by her devoted husband, Joseph David Triplett, all the years they spent together.

**Pearl** was preceded in death by four of her children, Margaret Triplett, Joseph Triplett, Aaron Triplett and Barbara Spencer.

**Pearl M. Triplett** leaves to cherish her memory: her children, Betty Alexander (Clifford Alexander) of Nashville, TN, Elaine Triplett, Khabir Jihad, Jean Triplett, Charles Triplett, Saleem Jihad, Rashid Jihad and Mittie Triplett (Woodson) of North Carolina; five sisters, Madeline Davis of Newark, NJ, Dorothy Rainey, Rosa Jennings, Mandy Williams and Annie Mitchell all of Virginia; thirty-five grandchildren (six deceased); sixty-three great grandchildren (two deceased); fifteen great-great grandchildren; sisters-in-law, Marion M. Davis (West Palm Beach), Grace Bethea and Ester Triplett (New York, NY); and a host of other relatives and friends.

*“She was truly loved by all who knew her. May she Rest In Peace!”*

## Order of Service

Processional..... “His Eye Is On The Sparrow”

Hymn of Praise.....Gloria Pittman

Prayer of Comfort.....Madeline Davis

Scripture Readings

*Old/New Testament*.....Reverend Lula A. Baker

*Founder, Cross & Crown Christian Church, South Orange, New Jersey*

Acknowledgements.....Jean Triplett

Obituary.....Read Silently

Poem Reading.....Sa’Jadea, Nyvana & Janiyyah

Eulogy.....Reverend Lula A. Baker

*Founder, Cross & Crown Christian Church • South Orange, New Jersey*

Recessional

### Interment

Fairmount Cemetery  
Newark, New Jersey

# *I'm Free*

*Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free  
I'm following the path God has chosen for me.  
I took His hand when I heard him call;  
I turned my back and left it all.*

*I could not stay another day,  
To laugh, to love, to work or play.  
Tasks left undone must stay that way;  
I've now found peace at the end of day.*

*If my parting has left a void,  
Then fill it with remembered joys.  
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss;  
Oh yes, these things, I too will miss.  
Be not burdened with times of sorrow  
Look for the sunshine of tomorrow.*

*My life's been full, I savored much;  
Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.  
Perhaps my time seems all to brief;  
Don't lengthen your pain with undue grief.  
Lift up your heart and peace to thee,  
God wanted me now-He set me free!*

## *Acknowledgements*

*The Family of **Pearl M. Triplett** with deepest gratitude, acknowledge all of the cards, prayers, calls and many acts of kindness extended to them during this time of bereavement. May God continue to bless you.*

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