

*A Service of Memory Celebrating The  
Life of*  
***Evangelist Gloria Jean Harrington***

*Sunrise*  
*May 1, 1935*

*Sunset*  
*June 19, 2015*

Saturday, June 27, 2015 - 9:00 a.m.

**Mt. Olivet Baptist Church**  
401 Avon Avenue • Newark, NJ  
**Bishop Edmund R. Griffin, Sr., Officiating**

## Obituary

**Evangelist Gloria Jean Harrington** passed on Friday, June 19, 2015.

Gloria Jean was born on May 1, 1935 in Raleigh, North Carolina. She was one of five children, born to the late Richard and National Evangelist Anna Lou McIver.

Gloria Jean received her education at FuQuay Springs Consolidation High School in North Carolina. Soon after, she moved to Newark, New Jersey and it was here she married her sweetheart, the love of her life, Deacon Floyd Harrington on April 17, 1960. With this union they raised six children, Dianett Jean, Perry, Ronald, Brian, Heidi and Terrie.

Gloria was brought up in church, she accepted Christ very early in her life and was a faithful and dedicated member of Faith Temple C.O.G.I.C. in Brooklyn, NY under the leadership of Elder W.W. Covington, where she was appointed Evangelist. Gloria was very passionate about her ministry work for the Lord. She continued her ministry under Elder Sexton, Sr. and later Elder Sexton Jr. Evangelist Harrington was a faithful servant she fellowshiped with numerous churches throughout NY and NJ. She was often invited to preach the Gospel at many of these churches such as Zion Temple in Newark, NJ and Mother Paige C.O.G.I.C. and many more. Gloria visited hospitals to pray for her brothers and sisters in Christ. Gloria ministered and assisted countless people. She was also widely known in her community as “Mama” or “Ms. Jean” for opening her home and her heart to many whether feeding people or giving them shelter, clothes and the list goes on. She was a true child of the Most High God.

Gloria was predeceased by her parents, Richard and Evangelist Anna Lou McIver, her son, Brian, her son-in-law, LM (Huck), daughter-in-law, Jackie, her sister, Sue Rose and her brother, Dannie.

She leaves to cherish her precious memory: her husband, Floyd; two brothers, Lynwood and Wade; three daughters, Dianett Jean, Heidi and Terrie (Joe); and two sons, Perry and Ronald; grandchildren, nieces, nephews; and a host of other relatives and friends.

# *Order of Service*

## **Processional**

### **Prelude**

Organist

## **Scripture**

### **Prayer**

Bishop Edmund R. Griffin, Sr.

### **Soloist**

Gail Campbell

### **Poem**

Dionne McIver Jenkins

## **Acknowledgments of Cards, Telegrams and Condolences**

### **Remarks**

One family member and one friend

### **Solo**

Gail Campbell

### **Obituary**

Sis. Zenobia Oaks

### **Eulogy**

Bishop Edmund R. Griffin, Sr.

## **Recessional**

### **Interment**

Rosedale Cemetery

Linden, New Jersey

## **Pall Bearers**

Shannon Callaway	Justin McIver
Haneaf Woodridge	Brian Allen
Jamel McIver	Rashawn McCrae
Jalil McCrae	Deshawn Howard

## *I Think of You*

*I thought of you with love today, but that is nothing new. I thought of you yesterday and days before that too. I think of you in silence, and I often speak your name. All I have are memories and your picture in a frame. Your memory is a keepsake from which I will never part. God has you in His arms, I have you in my heart.*

## *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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