Hanaring the Memory of and Celebrating the Life of

Valerie Denise Williams

Sunrise March 19, 1951

Sunset July 9, 2015

Thursday, July 16, 2015, at 10:00 a.m.

JACKSON FUNERAL RESIDENCE 384 Communipaw Ave Jersey City, New Jersey Reverend Malcolm L. Simpson, Officiating

Order of Service

Musical Prelude Organist
Hymn of Consolation
Prayer of Comfort Clergy
Scripture Readings Old Testament: Psalm 27:1-4 New Testament: St. John 14:1-6, 27
Musical Selection Amiri Maxwell Allen
Acknowledgement of Condolences and Obituary Derek L. Farthing
Reflections Family & Friends
Eulogy Rev. Malcolm L. Simpson
Final Viewing Jackson Funeral Residence
Committal/Benediction/Recessional
Recessional Hymn "When We All Get To Heaven"

<u>Interment</u>

Bayview Cemetery, Jersey City, NJ

<u>Obituary</u>

On March 19, 1951, *Valerie Denise Williams* was born to James T. *Williams and Bessie L. Adams, in New York City, NY.*

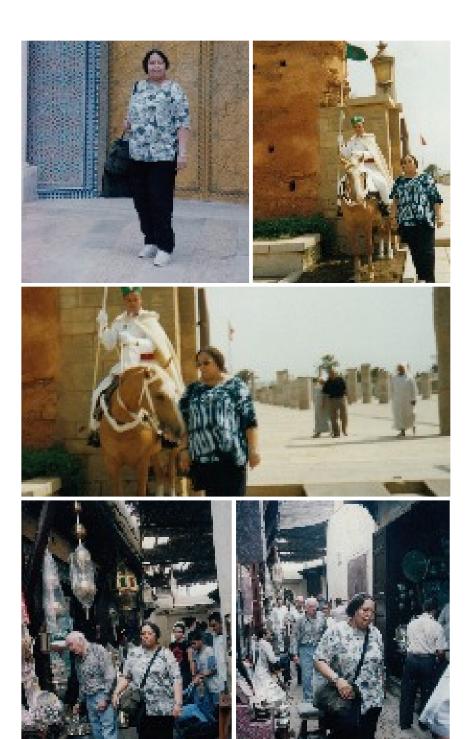
She was raised and educated in New Jersey, culminating with a B.A. degree from Jersey City State College. This faithful servant was called home, at age 64, on July 9, 2015.

Valerie's upbringing was well rounded with a respect for God and nature together. This belief led to her love of animals. Specifically, she was a champion of equine sports. She learned horse riding skills, owned and trained horses of which she stated were extremely smart with each having their own personality. Valerie's love of horses extends forward of her own passing with a substantial donation to "Horses in the Hood", a program (originated in New Jersey) designed to teach urban children in the Los Angeles, CA, area to catch the magic that she caught from one of Nature's excellent creatures.

Her other interest was in science fiction and Western movies. Valerie was a "Trekkie" to her heart. She attended Star Trek and Star Wars conventions. Of course, horses aplenty were in all the Westerns. Valerie's career choice was that of a Teacher. Her teaching of history to students at Jersey City's Lincoln High School was more than a job. Valerie traveled to historic world sites to explore the very battlefields, castles and villages of the ancient Celts, Romans, Britons, Egyptians and other countries and nationalities to add strong credibility to her classrooms teachings throughout the years. Combined with her avid reading of historical substance and review of media and movies, Valerie's discussions of such were really a private history lesson for you, which was never included in anything you ever covered to date. She knew; then you knew. Valerie retired from teaching in 2010.

Her parents preceded Valerie in death.

She leaves to mourn her passing an uncle, John A. Adams, Jersey City NJ, numerous relatives, friends, students and co-workers.







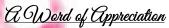






Psalm 23

The Lord is My Shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures; He leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul. He leadeth me in the path of righteousness for His name's sake. Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil; for Thou art with me; Thy rod and Thy staff they comfort me. Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies. Thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life; and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.



Our hearts are always broken when loved ones leave us, but family and friends like you help to make the burden lighter. We are very grateful and highly appreciative of your thoughtfulness through prayers, cards, flowers and other sympathetic gestures during our bereavement. May God bless each and every one of you. THE FAMILY

Professional Services Entrusted Jo:

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384 Communipaw Avenue Jersey City, New Jersey Rosalyn A. Burns Browne, Manager / Director Sidney M. Hagans, Director

