In Loving Memory of

Vickie Renee Holmes

Sunrise June 22, 1958

Sunset September 7, 2015



Saturday, September 12, 2015 - 9:00 a.m.

**ZION HILL BAPTIST CHURCH** 450 Highland Avenue • Piscataway, New Jersey

## Obituary

**Vicki Renee Holmes** was born to the late Pastor Jessie T. Sales and Charles Marly. In the early 60's Pastor Sales relocated to Newark, New Jersey first to Schiller Avenue where Renee as the eldest child began a love of fashion and design with the decorating of her room in her own flair and style.

Later on they settled in at 26 Grand Avenue in the Vailsburg section of Newark. In 1976, Renee graduated from Vailsburg High School followed by Cosmetology School obtaining her certificate becoming a licensed make-up artist. Now licensed she took an empty canvas and painted the perfect picture on any skin type or color; her first job as a make-up artist was with Bamburgers downtown Newark, New Jersey! While working at Bamburgers she met Dennis Mason and the two conceived her only child, Jakeitha Renee Holmes born November 22, 1979.

Renee always in search for the new and exciting she decided to try her hand in something totally different. In her early twenty's she moved to Washington DC, and began working as an Administrative Assistant for the District of Columbia. After several years she decided again to try something different, always re-inventing herself she began working in Senior Assistant Living becoming Property Manager of Whetstone Senior Assistant Living.

Following in her grandmother's footsteps the late Ethel Mae Dotson Renee joined the Eastern Stars in the state of Maryland where she served diligently in the capacity of Worthy Matron for the Sister of Judah Chapter, Maryland Grand Matron and Queen Bathsheba.

Vicki leaves to mourn: her daughter, Jakeitha Renee Holmes of Miami Florida two brothers Tyrone Holmes of Auburn NY, Elder George Holmes of Newark NJ., two sisters Vernell Scovil (Dwayne Scovil) of North Plainfield, NJ and Pastor Tiffany Morrast (Lorenzo Morrast) of Plainfield, NJ,; three aunts; Mary Eva Hudson of Piscataway NJ, Verlia D. May of Washington DC, and Gerry M. Dotson of East Orange, NJ.; a godson Brandon, a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. She was preceded in death by her parents Pastor Jessie T. Sales and Charles Marly, one uncle John Dotson, and grandmother Ethel Mae Dotson.

A few things that will never be forgotten her love of her babies Cinnamon and Sir Noble her style, grace and eclectic taste. We will always remember her signature saying "As quite as it's kept it's five o'clock somewhere!"

Order of Service

## Family Processional

Solo	Alexis Morrast
	Assistant Pastor Craig McDaniel Allen Hudson
Prayer of Comfort	Tracy Carter
Presentation from International	Mason & Order of Eastern Star
Selection"The	e Blood Still WorksChoir
Reading of Obituary	Cynthia Carter-Lee
Remarks	(2) minutes
Church Resolution	Linda Winstead
Acknowledgements	
Selection	"I'm Grateful"Choir
Eulogy	Pastor Tiffany Morrast Secret Place of Praise Inc. Plainfield, NJ

Viewing

Recessional

## **INTERMENT**

Graceland Memorial Park Kenilworth, New Jersey



My Way

I lived my life my way, tried to treat those who deserved to be treated right, loving everybody. Helping another man whenever I can; why because I love my people, I don't care what you say ain't nobody else like us. Stayed closer than most to family, limiting what I called true friends. Had my own style, time and ideas and as long as you don't impose you'll never have to know what I can be when your on the wrong side of me! I tell you the truth "As Quiet As it's Kept" couldn't nobody else have done it as good as me; I lived my life my way, so thank's for coming and have an "Incredible Day"!!!

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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