

*A Celebration
of Life for*



Mrs. Lennie Atlantic Brice

Sunrise

November 28, 1932

Sunset

November 13, 2015

Friday, November 20, 2015 - 7:00 p.m.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH IN ENGLEWOOD

113 Engle Street • Englewood, New Jersey 07631

Obituary

Lennie Atlantic Miller, was the youngest child of her parents, Samuel Otis and Rosanna Perpall Miller, on November 28, 1932 in Bannermantown Eleuthera of the Bahamas Islands.

This quiet, prim and proper "island gurl" attended Evalina Pratt Sewing & Boarding School in Nassau and became a seamstress. As she hone her tailoring craft she met the love of her life, Benjamin Livingston Brice. They married on December 9, 1955 and from that union they had four children.

Amidst the volatile social change in America during the early 1960's, daddy brought his family to live in East Harlem, NYC. Mommy was a go getter, and when education and career opportunities were offered through the NYC Bd of Ed., she took every advantage. Though challenging during the 1970's, she earned her degree and became a certified school teacher while raising a family of five. She was few credits shy of her Masters Degree when she retired, Mrs. Brice loved and respected her profession highly. She remained with the NYC Bd of Ed for 33 years. She loved children and doted on her children and her "boo-boos", Brandon and Tariq. Mommy enjoyed sewing, gardening and shopping. She made decorative pillows, home furnishings, perfumed satchels and other crafty items. She was an Avon Rep since the 1960's. She always dressed elegantly and stylish and never drank, smoked, nor hung out; she was too classy for that .

Mommy was a good Christian lady. She was an active and long time member of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church in Harlem, NY and became a member at St. Paul's Episcopal Church after moving to NJ.

After her beloved husband of fifty-three years passed away in November 2008, she seemed to have lost that "spark" that defined her energy. Mommy loved life, her family and our Lord Jesus Christ. Her favorite saying was "Thank GOD for Life" We are going to miss you immensely Mrs. Brice. Rest in heaven peacefully.

She is survived by: her three children, Kathreen, Lynn, Benjamin Jr. and Dorinda; six grandchildren, Brandon, Tariq, Crystal, Brentwood and Benjamin and Annabelle; her sister, Gladys Gibson; a host of nieces, nephews, great and grand, cousins, god-children, friends and close acquaintances.

Order of Service

Prelude

The Opening Anthems

The Collects

The First Lesson

A Psalm

The Second Lesson

A Psalm

The Gospel

A Poem, *The Dash*, by Linda Ellis

The Reading of the Obituary

Remembrances

Homily

The Apostles' Creed

The Prayers

Hymn

The Commendation

The Peace

Hymn


The Blessing and Dismissal

Postlude

Final Disposition

Cedar Lawn Crematory • Paterson, New Jersey

No Time For Sad Remembrances



*There's no time for sad remembrances
Because I'm home where I belong
I've conquered all my battles,
I've even heard the trumpet's song.
I've climbed my highest mountain
And I've reached an even peak,
And I've found that peace and true reward
That you have yet to seek.
There's no time for sad remembrances
For you have a precious life;
So find comfort in my journey
Please don't bear this pain and strife.
Oh! My Father's house is perfect
Just like He said it would be,
So dry your tears
Because I'm home and now I'm free.
I am part of all the beauty
That your world has yet to see;
So don't be sad about my journey,
Just be glad that I am free!*

-Author unknown

Acknowledgement

*The family acknowledges with deep appreciation all acts of
kindness extended to them during this bereavement hour.
God bless you for all your thoughtfulness and concern.*

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