



Celebration of Life for
Annette Baldwin

Sunrise
February 10, 1943

Sunset
December 3, 2016

Monday, December 12, 2016 - 6:00 p.m.

UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

375 Van Houten Street

Paterson, New Jersey

Rev. Diane Anderson, Officiating

Tracy Williams, Organist

Reflections of Life

Annette “Net Net” Kelley Baldwin was called to her heavenly home on December 3, 2016, after a lengthy illness. She was born on February 10, 1943 in Scotland County, North Carolina to the union of the Late James Kelley, Sr. and the late Ella Bell (Patterson) Kelley.

Annette received her education in the Scotland County school system. Annette met and married Billy O. Baldwin in January 2, 1959. The next year they relocated to Paterson, New Jersey. Their union was blessed three children, Antoinette, Mary Joan and Cynthia.

Annette worked for Sterns-Quackenbush for several years. She attended Passaic County Community College and graduated in 1976 with a degree in Radiology Science. After graduating, she went to work at St. Joseph Hospital as an X-ray Technician. In 1991, she was forced to retired early due to health issues. Annette loved baking, arts and crafts and collecting teddy bears.

Annette was a faithful member of United Presbyterian Church, Paterson, New Jersey. As a leader, she served as a Deacon, an Elder and the Pastor Nominating Committee. She participated as a member of the Women’s Service Group until her health began to fail.

Annette was predeceased by her daughters, Antoinette Baldwin and Mary Joan Baldwin; sisters, Hattie (Enulerus) Chandler, Margaret (Wilson) Stallworth; and brothers, James (Mable) Kelley, Jr., Robert E. Kelley, Sr., and Charles Kelley.

She leaves to cherish her memory: her husband, Billy O. Baldwin, Newark, NJ; her devoted daughter, Cynthia Baldwin, Lake Hiawatha, NJ; three sisters, Carretha (Bruce) Adams, Fayetteville, NC, Ola M. Terry, Hampton, VA and Cassie McKoy, Brooklyn, NY; two brothers, Garvester (Evelyn) Kelley, Somerset, NJ and Cleo Kelley, Bronx, NY; two sisters-in-law, Lucille Kelley, Somerset, NJ and Bernice Kelley, Laurinburg, NC; three grand godchildren, Arthur Quinton Towles, Houston, TX, Marquise A. Harris, Paterson, NJ and Anaya Staats, Middletown, DE; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

Order of Service

Musical Prelude

Invocational Prayer.....Pastor Diane Anderson

Selection.....Tracy Williams

Scripture Readings

OLD TESTAMENT: Psalm 121.....Ora Jane Bell

NEW TESTAMENT: John 14:1-7.....Willa Mae Taylor

A Prayer of Comfort

The Obituary

Acknowledgements, Cards & Condolences

Remarks by Friends and Family.....(2 mins max)

Selection.....Tracy Williams

The Eulogy Pastor Diane Anderson

Benediction.....Pastor Diane Anderson

The Interment is December 13, 2016 at 9:00 a.m.
George Washington Memorial Park
234 Paramus Road • Paramus, New Jersey

I'm Free

*Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free
I'm following the path God laid 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 found that peace at the close of day.*

If my parting has left a void,

Then fill it up with remembered joy.

A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,

Oh, yes these things I too will miss.

Be not burdened with times of sorrow,

I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.

My life's been full, I savored much.

Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.

Perhaps my time seemed all too brief,

Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.

Lift up your heart and share with me,

God wanted me now, He set me free!

-author unknown

Acknowledgement

Your heartfelt expressions of sympathy to our family are greatly appreciated. The food nourished our bodies, the cards encouraged our hearts, the calls lifted our spirits and your prayers strengthened us. No matter the act of kindness, we are grateful and thankful.

The Baldwin Family

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