

Celebration of Life
for
Barbara Ann Hannah

Sunrise:
November 10, 1948

Sunset:
December 5, 2016



Tuesday, December 14, 2016 - 11:00 a.m.

Faith Temple Baptist Church
678 Ocean Avenue, Jersey City, NJ 07305
Reverend Arthur Long, Pastor

The Life Story of Barbara Hannah

A Time to Be Born - Barbara Ann Hannah was born in Newark, NJ on November 10, 1948 to the late Calvin J. Graves and Rozena Cohen Graves. She was the second of six children.

A Time to Learn - Barbara was educated in the Jersey City Public School System. She began her education at PS#15 and continued her education at Lincoln High School.

A Time to Grow - Following her being educated, she chose not to attend college, but began her working career at Ma Bell Telephone in New York, NY. She later worked at American Management Association, in a Management position, also located in New York, NY for many years.

Time to Unite - In 1966, she was united in Holy matrimony to Mr. William Hannah. She was the proud mother of Vincent, Renoda and James.

A Time to Live - "Ma" Barbara loved to laugh and cook and most of all she enjoyed people, who loved her cooking. She was a "People Person" who loved and enjoyed friends and family alike. She loved to play spades! And really loved to WIN! She was the kind of person who LOVED company and never wanted to be in an empty house.

A Time to Be Called Home - Barbara peacefully departed this life on December 5, 2016. She is predeceased by her Brothers, Calvin Graves and Roland Graves and one Sister, Priscilla Wright.

A Time to Mourn - She leaves to cherish her memory her Children, Vincent Hannah, Renoda Wade and James Gumbs; one Grandchild, Bryson Wade; two Sisters, Joyce Lowe (Tom) and Theresa Graves of Plainfield, NJ; Aunts, Edna Graves, Alean Patterson and Zadie Graves all of Northern NJ; one Uncle, Willingham Cohen and host of extended Family and Friends.

Order of Service

Pastor Arthur Long, Officiating

Musical Prelude.....Organist

Processional Clergy & Family

Scripture ReadingOld Testament – Ecclesiastes 3:1-14
New Testament – 1 Corinthians 15:50-58

Prayer of Comfort

Reflections.....(2 MINUTES PLEASE)

Musical SelectionStaci Sconiers

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Cards & Acknowledgements

Sermonic Selection Staci Sconiers

Eulogy

Recessional

Interment ~ Rosemount Memorial Park ~ 1109 Neck Ln, Elizabeth, NJ 07201



Our memories build a special bridge
When loved ones have to part
To help us feel we're with them still
And soothe a grieving heart
They span the years and warm our lives
Preserving ties that bind
Our memories build a special bridge
And bring us peace of mind
Emily Mathews

Death Is Nothing At All

*Death is nothing at all
I have only slipped away into the next room
I am I and you are you
Whatever we were to each other; That we are still
Call me by my old familiar name
Speak to me in the easy way you always used
Put no difference into your tone
Wear no forced air of solemnity or sorrow
Laugh as we always laughed
At the little jokes we always enjoyed together
Play, smile, think of me, pray for me
Let my name be ever the household word that it always was
Let it be spoken without effort; without the ghost of a shadow in it
Life means all that it ever meant; It is the same as it ever was
There is absolute unbroken continuity
What is death but a negligible accident?
Why should I be out of mind; Because I am out of sight?
I am waiting for you for an interval; Somewhere very near
Just around the corner
All is well.
Nothing is past; nothing is lost
One brief moment and all will be as it was before
How we shall laugh at the trouble of parting when we meet again!*

Canon Henry Scott-Holland

Acknowledgements

The family of Barbara Ann Hannah gratefully acknowledges the many acts of kindness and beautiful expressions of sympathy, love and care shown during our time of bereavement. May God richly bless each of you.

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