

Celebrating the Life of



Elnedna Graham

Sunrise: August 22, 1974

Sunset: October 11, 2017

Service:

Wednesday, October 18, 2017 - 6:00 p.m.

COTTON FUNERAL SERVICE

1025 Bergen Street • Newark, New Jersey

Rev. Edward Allen, Officiating



Obituary

On Wednesday in the am of October 2017, **Elneeda Graham**, daughter, sister and niece went home to be with the Lord at Clara Maass Hospital. She was the third child and only daughter born to the late Cleo Graham Sr and Grace Roberson.

She was a lifelong resident of the Vailsburg section of Newark, NJ. She was a graduate of Mt Vernon Elementary School and Vailsburg High School of Newark. Elneeda was always a blessing to anyone who entered into her life. Never having children of her own She, having a child like quality, was frequently the baby sitter for many of her relative's children. She enjoyed having children around and loved playing games and nurturing them.

She worked in retail for many years, where she was able to shine with her great smile and pleasant demeanor. Early in life she was stricken with Diabetes. Despite her illness, Elneeda always kept a great disposition and never let anything hold her down. She continued to live her life till the end with freedom and independence.

In addition to her parents Elneeda is predeceased by her (Grandfather), Clyde C Graham, (Grandmother), Elneeda Goff Graham, Jessie Roulac (Aunt), Opheila Edge (Aunt), Dorothy Graham, (Aunt), Samuel Graham (Uncle), Tommy McKnight (uncle), Ossie Graham (Uncle), "Sambo" Roberson (Uncle), and Jean Roberson (Aunt).

Elneeda is survived by Cleo S Graham (Brother) Newark NJ and Lorenzo Graham (Brother) Newark, NJ. She leaves behind a niece and nephew, Emilie Graham and Cleo Graham III of Walton, South Carolina and a host of Uncles, Aunts, Cousins, Loved ones and dear friends.

Order of Service

Processional

Selection

Scripture Reading
Old Testament
New Testament

Prayer of Comfort

Selection

Remarks
(Two minutes each please)

Acknowledgements

Obituary

Selection

Eulogy
Rev. Edward Allen

Recessional

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Rosedale Crematory
Orange, New Jersey

Poem for My Cousin

My eyes filled up with tears as I heard the news
It never occurred to me, how much I could lose
I find myself wishing that it wasn't real
Every time I think about it, pain is all I can feel
Tears fall from my eyes, I can barely see
But my heart tells me that she'll always be with me.
I'm glad she feels no pain now-he lives in a perfect land,
I can still feel the soft touch on my shoulder of her loving
hand, I lie in bed and cry at night
And I don't feel any better in the morning light
And I will love and miss her forever
Until the day we are again together.
Together in that perfect place above,
Filled with caring, sharing and love
But until that day comes-
I will wipe my tears away.
And hopefully see her again someday....

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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