

*In Loving Memory*  
*Celebrating the Life Of*  
***Dorothy Evans***



**Sunrise:**  
July 6, 1932

**Sunset:**  
November 7, 2017

**Service**

Wednesday, November 15, 2017 – 11:00 AM

Viewing

10:00 AM – 11:00 AM

**Greater Mount Moriah Baptist Church**

24 East 14<sup>th</sup> Street

Linden, New Jersey

Rev. Barry E. Wise, II, Pastor

## *Life Reflections*

**Dorothy Evans** was born on July 6, 1932 in Aiken County, South Carolina, daughter of Ruby Bates Wigfall and Rayford Wigfall, Sr. She was raised and educated in Augusta, Georgia.

In 1956, Dorothy moved to Newark, New Jersey. There she met her soulmate, Earl Huggins and this union was blessed with 2 children, Rosalind and Tanya.

She was baptized at an early age at Hall Saint Baptist Church in Augusta, Georgia. When she relocated to New Jersey, she became a member of New Point Baptist Church in Newark. After moving to Linden, NJ in 1996, she became a member of Greater Mount Moriah Baptist Church where she served as a Missionary and sang in the choir.

She was employed as a Health Aide for Patient Care, Inc. in West Orange, New Jersey for over 20 years before she retired. Dorothy was a devoted mother. She once said, "If anyone asks you what I like to do, just tell them that I like helping people and taking care of the sick." She also enjoyed shopping and going out to eat.

Dorothy Evans departed this life on Tuesday, November 7, 2017 at home in Linden at the age of 85. She was predeceased by her parents, Ruby and Rayford Wigfall, Sr.; a daughter, Jacqueline Patterson and a son, Jerry Evans; her soulmate, Earl Huggins; a sister, Rosa Lee Burns; a brother-in-law, Abraham Burns and a brother, Rayford Wigfall, Jr.

She leaves to cherish fond memories, 2 devoted daughters, Rosalind Evans and Tanya Evans both of Linden, NJ; 5 grandchildren, Rodney Evans, Sheila Dunbar, Antonio Patterson, Jonas Evans and Darien Evans-Raines; 8 great grandchildren; a brother, John Wigfall and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends.

*Those we love don't go away,  
They walk beside us every day,  
Unseen, unheard, but always near,  
Still loved, still missed and very dear.*

Lovingly and Sorrowfully submitted,  
The Family

# Order Of Service

Processional

Organ Prelude

A Parting View

Congregational Hymn

Scriptures

Old Testament – Psalm 23

New Testament – John 14: 1-6

Prayer of Comfort

Church Selection

Words of Comfort

Acknowledgment of Condolences

Reading of the Obituary ..... Rodney Evans

Selection ..... Precious Lord

Eulogy.....Rev. Barry E. Wise, II

Recessional

**Interment**

Rosedale Cemetery

Linden, New Jersey

Immediately following the interment, family and friends are invited to the Galloping Hill Inn, 1085 Galloping Hill Rd., Union, NJ where a repast will be served.

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*Services Entrusted To:*

**G.G. Woody Funeral Home, LLC**

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*Pallbearers*

Family and Friends of **Dorothy Evans**

*God's Garden*

God looked around his garden  
And He found an empty place.  
And then He looked down upon the earth,  
And saw your tired face.  
He put His arms around you,  
And lifted you to rest.  
God's garden must be beautiful,  
He always takes the best.  
He knew that you were suffering,  
He knew you were in pain,  
He knew that you would never  
Get well on earth again.  
He saw the road was getting rough,  
And the hills were hard to climb,  
So He closed your weary eyelids,  
And whispered "Peace be thine."  
It broke our hearts to lose you.  
But you didn't go alone,  
For part of us went with you,  
The day God called you home.

*Acknowledgement*

The family of **Dorothy Evans** acknowledges with sincere appreciation every thought and act of kindness expressed to us during this hour of bereavement. May God continue to keep and richly bless each of you.

The Evans Family



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