



Sunrise: December 4, 1967 Sunset: July 15, 2018 Service

Friday, July 20, 2018 - 11:00 a.m.

**ST. MARKS UNITED METHODIST CHURCH** 49 Edgecombe Avenue • New York, NY

Obi<u>tuary</u>



**Robin Woodley**, also known as "Rob Base", was born on December 4, 1967 in Harlem, New York to Susan Woodley. Her siblings are Maria, Yolanda, Emma, Darnell, Gwendolyn, Renee, Wakiem and Nigel.

She attended high school in New York City and soon after she started a family with Johnny Williams, Sr. Robin loved each of her children, Johnny, Tiffany, Donta, James and Jamel, and there was nothing she wouldn't do to make sure they were good. She also loved her six grandkids, Geonny (deceased),

Azzurae, Sage, Autumn, Jonan and Kairo. Everyone knew her grandkids were her heartbeat. They were her "Nana Babies".

Robin was a loving, caring and out going person. She was known by the way she would see you and greet you: to the women she would say, "Hola Linda"; to her son Johnny her favorite saying was, "he don't have that big head for nothing"; to Tiffany, "what's up big Tiff"; Donta was her "Pop"; to Jamel, "what's up my dude" or "Melly Mel"; and to James, "what's up son, go get some rest," LOL. We could go on for days. She was a great person without a doubt. She was always ready to help with anything. If there was food to be cooked, she was ready to prepare it. She was a giving person.

Robin was also known as the Electric Slide Queen. You knew when that song came on, she was about to turn up. Dancing was definitely her thing. A couple of her favorite songs that we knew was going to have her busta move were, "Love on Top" by Beyoncé, "Rum & Redbull" by Beenie Man, and "Empire State of Mind" by Alicia Keys. And we can't forget her love for playing cards. She played extremely well and would cheat even better. We will certainly miss her.

In 2014, Robin was diagnosed with cancer. In these last years, her fight against cancer came with many ups and downs, but she was always willing to put up a fight, and she never quit or stopped fighting. In the last two months her fight became more intense, (if you knew Robin it was one of them fights where she would kick her shoes off first) and still she wouldn't stop fighting. On July 14th, Johnny and Tiffany stood by their mother's side and assured her they'd take care of their siblings and that her work here was done. In the early hours of July 15, 2018, God called her home and Robin gladly accepted His calling knowing her kids were good and she was at peace.

Robin is preceded in death by Geonny, Henry, Cag and John. She leaves to cherish her memories: her children and grandchildren; along with a few people that held a very special place in her heart, her godmothers, Polly and Aunt Mickey; her godsons, Little Emil and Ike; we can't forget her road dogs, Edna and Marcella, whom she loved them deeply; and a host of other family and friends.

Robin until we meet again, we know you're watching over us.

<u>Order of Service</u>

Processional

Selection "Going Up Yonder"

Scripture Readings Old Testament - Psalm 23 New Testament

Prayer

Selection "His Eye Is On The Sparrow"

Acknowledgements

Remarks Family and Friends

Obituary Johnny Williams

Selection "I Will Always Love You"

Eulogy

Committal

Viewing

Recessional "Take Me to the King" "I'll Always Love My Momma"

Final Disposition

Oxford Hills Crematory Chester, New York

REPAST: Immediately Afterward St. Marks United Methodist Church 49 Edgecombe Avenue (between 137th and 138th Street)

## Do Not Stand At My Grave and Weep (From Mommy to her Children)

Do not stand at my grave and weep I am not there, I do not sleep I am a thousand winds that blow I am the diamond glints of snow I am the sunlight on ripened grain I am the sentle autumn rain When you awaken in the morning's hush I am the swift uplifting rush Of quiet birds in circled flight I am the soft stars that shine at night Do not stand at my grave and cry I am not there, I did not die.

Acknowledgement

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

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