In Loving Memory of



Nyisha Bowen-Judkins

June 25, 1967 - January 19, 2019

"I have fought the fight. I have run my race to the finish. I have observed the faith."

2 Timothy 4:7

Service

Wednesday, January 30, 2019 - 10:00 a.m.

UNITY FUNERAL CHAPELS, INC.

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Order of Service

Opening Prayer

Brother Lawrence Williamson, Chairman

Opening Song

140, "Life Without End—At Last"

Obituary

Brother Curtis Roberson

Remembrances of Nyisha

Brother Frank Bowen (Others 1-2 Minutes)

Memorial Discourse

Brother Lawrence Williamson

Concluding Song

139, "See Yourself When All Is New"

Concluding Prayer

Brother Lawrence Williamson

Acknowledgements

Brother Frank Bowen

Interment

Rosehill Cemetery 350 East Linden Avenue Linden, New Jersey, 07306

Food and Refreshments

Lacretia Lamb Senior Citizen's Center 146 St. Nicholas Ave. (Corner of 117th) New York, New York 10026 3-6 PM

Obituary

Nyisha Bowen Judkins was born on June 25, 1967 to Frank Bowen, Jr. and Veterlean Bowen of New York City. She graduated from Murray Bertram High School, and attended Long Island University, The City University of New York, and Borough of Manhattan Community College. Companies and law firms Nyisha worked for were Dean Witter Reynolds, Squadron, Ellenoff, Plesant & Sheinfeld, Hogan & Hartsen, Latham Watkins, and finally Sills, Cummis & Gross in the position of New York Office Administrator and Human Resource Manager. On January 19, 2019, Nyisha departed this life at Robert Wood Johnson University Hospital in New Jersey after a long courageous battle with breast cancer.

Nyisha was a phenomenal wife, mother, daughter, sister, family member, friend, and employee. Very few people knew about the seriousness of Nyisha's condition because she did not want sympathy and refused to let breast cancer stop her from living her life. Through pain and illness Nyisha was a dedicated, considerate, hard worker who loved her job and the people around her. She was kind, very generous and would do anything she could for other people in their time of need. She radiated warmth with her beautiful smile. During the work day Nyisha was a dynamo, but at night she came home exhausted and rested in preparation for the day to come. In fact, Nyisha worked late into the night the day before her surgery in order to tie up as many loose ends as possible prior to her leaving.

Nyisha's greatest passion and love was her family. Family was her life and everything else came second. She is survived by: her beloved husband of almost 23 years, David Angelo Judkins who she married February 17, 1996; sons, Ernest Bowen and David Aaron Judkins; grandson, Trenton Smith-Brady; mother, Veterlean Bowen; two brothers, Anthony A. Bowen and Frank O. Bowen; uncles and aunts, Curtis and Mary Roberson, Leroy Roberson, James Roberson, Marie Roberson, Charles and Mary Christian, and Sarah and Herb Smith; mother-in-law, Ida Judkins; brothers-in-law, Michael Judkins (Marcie Judkins) and Dwayne Judkins (Tracie Judkins); and sisters-in-law, Darlene and Rose Judkins. She also leaves behind a host of cousins, nephews and nieces.

An Unwelcome Visitor

A visitor unwelcome has shown his face again This time it took a wife, mother, grandmother, and friend He had no invitation to call, nor was he a guest He came and took her from the family As he's done all the rest But to His disappointment and even great remorse He couldn't stop Nyisha Bowen-Judkins from a faithful course So now his intention is to cause her family undue pain But that's for naught For we believe we will see her again So visitor unwelcome you've made your presence known But as our God has promised us Your sting will soon be gone Our daughter that you took with you You'll have to set free Because her God, Jehovah is King of Eternity

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