



March 28, 1940 - March 25, 2019

Service Tuesday, April 2, 2019 - 11:00 a.m.

### **Bethany Baptist Church**

275 W. Market Street Newark, New Jersey

# <u>Obituary</u>



Rose Marie Roberson-Toler was born and raised in the city of Newark, New Jersey on March 28, 1940 to the late Frank and Willie Roberson. She was the youngest of six children. Rose Marie attended the Newark Public Schools in which she graduated from Central High School. She also attended Rutgers University in Newark, NJ for one and a half years.

Rose Marie married Richard Toler and from this union they had two children. She was a dear wife and mother and a very doting grandmother and great grandmother. Rose Marie was a family first person. She loved the Lord Jesus Christ and her family. If anyone was in need she was there to help family and friends in any capacity that was needed.

Rose Marie worked for both the city of Newark and the state of NJ. She was a Brownie Girl Scout Leader, she volunteered at churches helping children to read and she also helped at churches feeding the homeless. Rose Marie was a kind, generous, compassionate person who enjoyed helping others.

Rose Marie also enjoyed the theater, she loved the Olympics Ice & Figure Skating as well as gymnastics. She was an avid reader. She also enjoyed traveling and traveled extensively throughout the world. She always had an endearing spirit & always cheered for the "underdog". But most of all she loved the Lord Jesus Christ and her favorite bible verse was Romans 8:28.

She was predeceased by her three sisters, Shalimar Roberson, Betty Knowles-Sharif, and Marion Kidd, and one brother, EdNorman Abdullah.

She leaves to mourn her husband, Richard; son, Terrance; daughter, Monica; two granddaughters, LaTiffane (Quaseem) and Morae;two great grandchildren, Zafina and Kaleem (affectionately called Prince); niece/daughter, Donna; brother, Frank Robinson; with a host of nieces, nephews, family and friends.

## Order of Service

| Musical Prelude Minister Karlos Nichols                  |
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| Processional (all stand except for the family)           |
| Congregational Hymn "Blessed Assurance" #249             |
| Prayer of Comfort  |
| Scripture Reading Old Testament New Testament            |
| Musical Selection "It Is Well With My Soul" Laurel Pryor |
| Resolution Church Clerk, Lucinda Keith                   |
| Tribute/Reflections                                      |
| Obituary   |
| Musical Selection "I'll Fly Away"                        |
| Eulogy Minister Ross Upshaw                              |
| Closing Prayer   |
| Recessional "Somewhere Over The Rainbow"                 |

INTERMENT
Glendale Cemetery Bloomfield, New Jersey

Repast following the service back at the church



My sweet girls do
not mourn for me I
love you all.
Mourning is so

natural but only for a season. I

am absent from the body but

present with the Lord.

Acknowledgement

The family of **Rose Marie Toler** wishes to extend our sincere gratitude for all acts of kindness and sympathy shown to us at our time of bereavement. God bless you all for your thoughtfulness and concern.

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