

In Loving Memory of



Sonya Gettis-Enos

November 18, 1974 - April 8, 2019

Service

Tuesday, April 16, 2019 - 11:00 a.m.

Cotton Funeral Service

130 Main Street, Orange, New Jersey

Obituary

Sonya Geneva Gettis was born November 18, 1974 in Akron Ohio. Sonya was called home on April 4, 2019 to be with her loving parent the late (Fred Lee Gettis) and (Valerie Gettis).

Sonya was the baby of six siblings. “Who would've ever guessed.” She attended 15th Avenue Elementary School in Newark, NJ and later attended Arts High School of Performing Arts in Newark, NJ. Where she perfected what she loved singing and drama. Sonya loved to make everyone laugh, that is just who she was. She was a member of Sweet Beulah Baptist Church in Newark, NJ and held many roles but loved to sing and worship what God bestowed upon her.

Sonya worked at Jay Street Nursing Home in Newark, NJ as a companion to the sick and elderly. She later begins working at the Youth Consultation Services (YCS) in Newark, NJ and there is where she began to flourish as a secretary. She also worked at HFF (Commercial Real Estate) in Morristown, NJ as an Administrator and often bragged about how many words she could type per minute.

In 1996, Sonya married her forever man Eugene Enos III, these two were meant to be. They later had two beautiful amazing children Daughter Zekiah Enos and Son Xavier Enos. She loved her family with every breath in her. She was selfless and very giving to anyone whom encountered her contagious and infectious love. Sonya was a mother, wife, sister, aunt, cousin, friend and so much more and for that, she will always and forever be celebrated.

Sonya preceded in death by her loving parents Valerie and Fred Gettis. Sonya was survived by her husband Eugene Enos III, Daughter Zekiah Enos, Son Xavier Enos Mother and Father in Law Lottie and Eugene Enos, Five God Children Alecia, Toshon, Amina, Eric and Anthony Grandson Sahej, Granddaughter Naomi, Sisters Camela Gettis, Lori Gettis, Simone Mack-Bright, Brothers Fred Gettis, Wesley Gettis, Sister-In-Law Kelly Enos-Barnes and Brother in Law Kareem Barnes, a host of aunts and uncles and one special angel who she truly admire and loved her Aunt Dolores Stokes, twelve nieces and nephews Fred, Al'tebia, Jermaine, Sameerah, Shania, Anthony, Tillmeena, Amina, Stephen, Teheir, Alexis, and Imani and fourteen great nieces and nephews and countless cousins and friends whom she loved dearly.

***“How can the dead be truly dead when they still live
in the soul of those who are left behind?”***

Order of Service

Processional

Selection

Scripture Reading
Old Testament
New Testament

Prayer of Comfort

Selection

Remarks
(Two minutes each please)

Acknowledgements

Obituary

Selection

Eulogy

Recessional

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Evergreen Cemetery
Hillside, New Jersey

I'm Free

*Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free
I'm following the path God laid for me
I took his hand when I heard Him call
I turned my back and left it all.
I could not stay another day.*

*To laugh, to love, to work or play.
Tasks left undone must stay that way,
I found that peace at the close of day.*

*If my parting has left a void,
Then fill it up with remembered joy.
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,
Oh, yes these things I too will miss.
Be not burdened with times of sorrow,
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.
My life's been full, I savored much.*

Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.

*Perhaps my time seemed all too brief,
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.
Lift up your heart and share with me,
God wanted me now, He set me free!*

-author unknown

Acknowledgement

The family of Sonya Gettis-Enos 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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