

Celebration of Life
for
Monique Thorpe



Sunrise
April 28, 1970

Sunset
June 20, 2019

Monday, July 8, 2019 - 7:00 p.m.
CARNIE P. BRAGG FUNERAL HOME
143 Myrtle Avenue, Passaic, New Jersey
Rev. Mable Grier, Officiating

The Life of Monique Thorpe



Monique Thorpe of the Bronx, NY was born in Passaic, NJ on April 28, 1970. She was the daughter of the late Jonnie Mae "Sister" Thorpe and Roosevelt "Bubba Geech" Goodwin.

She was a Passaic High School graduate and spent her childhood as well as most of her adult life in Passaic, NJ.

In later years, she relocated to the Bronx, NY where she let every person know she was from New Jersey however she was happy to be a "New Yorker." She was known for her comedic nature which made people laugh at her hilarious jokes. Her vivacious smile would light up any room, her laugh was unique and memorable. She was warm hearted, caring and never afraid to speak her mind.

Monique was employed as a certified nurse's assistant. Her passion was helping others who were sick and/or in need. Her civic and volunteer duties included, working in food pantries throughout New York, collecting surveys for the New York Census Bureau and aiding those who struggled with a chemical dependence.

Monique was predeceased by her maternal grandmother Mattie-Mae Thorpe, her paternal grandmother Corine Goodwin and her nephew Dwayne Thorpe Jr.

On Saturday, June 20, 2019 at the age 49 she gained her wings at the Saint Barnabas Hospital located in the Bronx, NY with family members surrounding her.

She leaves to celebrate her life: her children, Shaniqua Monique Smith, Ashley Monay Thorpe, Nijel and Nasiah Flowers. Her siblings Damaris Thorpe-Williams, Dwayne Thorpe Sr, Deshawn Thorpe and her sister-in-law Nicole Thorpe. She also leaves to remember her a host of Nieces, Nephews, Aunts, Uncles, and Cousins.

Order of Service

Prelude

Processional

Selection

Scripture Readings
Old Testament
New Testament

Prayer of Comfort

Selection

Poem

Acknowledgements & Remarks

Reflections of Life

Selection

Words of Comfort
Rev. Mable Grier

Associate Pastor, Mt. Pilgrim Baptist Church, Passaic, NJ

Recessional

Final Disposition

Cedar Lawn Crematory
Paterson, New Jersey



Serenity Prayer

*GOD, grant me the Serenity
to accept the things I cannot change,
Courage to change the things I can, and
the Wisdom to know the difference.*

Living one day at a time;

Enjoying one moment at a time;

Accepting hardship as the pathway to peace.

Taking, as He did, this sinful world as it is,

*not as I would have it. Trusting that He will make all things right if I
surrender to His Will; That I may be reasonably happy in this life, and
supremely happy with Him forever in the next. Amen*

-Author unknown

Special Acknowledgement

The family wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation the contributions and donations to the GoFundMe account for “Going Homes Services for **Monique Thorpe**” and to the special donations of many. Thank you all and May God Bless you for the support and encouragement during this difficult time.

“In Memory of my Mother. Things I feel the most deeply, are the hardest things to say. Dearest Mother, I’ve loved you so much in the most special way. If I could have one more lifetime wish, one dream that could come true, I’d pray to God, with all my heart, for yesterday with you.”

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