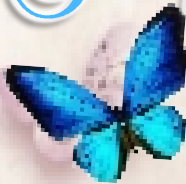




Homegoing Service
Celebrating the Life of



Jacqueline Barksdale



"Jackie"

Sunrise:

April 27, 1957

Sunset

August 21, 2019



Service

Friday, August 30, 2019 ~ 10:00 am

Morning Star Community Christian Center Church

1009 Chandler Avenue

Linden, New Jersey 07036

Dr. Therman E. Evans, M.D., Ph.D, Pastor

Order Of Service

Organ Prelude

A Parting View

Hymn of Comfort.....“Pass Me Not Oh Gentle Savior”

Scripture Readings..... Deacon Catrina Youngblood

Old Testament: Psalms 139:1-18

New Testament: Colossians 3:1-17

Prayer of Comfort

Solo..... Jerrod S. Starling

Reflections(Limit 2 minutes)

Acknowledgement of Condolences

Obituary..... (Read Silently)

Solo..... Faith Towler-Perkins

Eulogy.....Dr. Therman E. Evans, M.D., Ph.D

Recessional

Interment
Rosehill Cemetery
Linden, New Jersey

Immediately after the Interment, Family and Friends are invited to return to the Church where a Repast will be served.

Services Entrusted To:

G.G. Woody Funeral Home, LLC

206 East Eighth Avenue • Roselle, NJ 07203

www.ggwoodyfuneralhome.com

“Where Our Sympathy Expresses Itself Through Sincere Service”

Life Reflections

Jacqueline "Jackie" Barksdale (nee McKenzie), affectionately known as "Lady J," the third of seven children, born on April 27, 1957 in Elizabeth, New Jersey to the late Willie "Bill" and Claudia McKenzie. Jackie graduated from Linden High School in Linden and Vocational Technical School (Certificate, Allied Health) and attended Union County College in Cranford, New Jersey.

She worked at several jobs but her main focus was being a "Mother" raising three boys. Jackie truly enjoyed doing things that were FAMILY and Friends related – especially things that involved her grandchildren, great-nieces and nephews. One of her favorite things in life, Jackie loved playing BINGO and taking trips to AC (for those who don't know "Atlantic City".)

Jackie was baptized at First Baptist Church of Linden at an early age and later moved her membership to Morning Star Community Christian Center of Linden.

On Wednesday, August 21, 2019, Jackie Barksdale, of Linden, New Jersey, was called home to her eternal rest early in the morning at Robert Wood Johnson University Hospital in Rahway, New Jersey at the age of sixty-two.

She was predeceased by her husband, Stewart Barksdale; two brothers: Michael D. and George W.; younger sister, Sharon; and longtime life partner, James "Junie" Carey.

Jackie leaves to cherish her memory her three sons and grandchildren: Stewart J. (Christopher and Courtnei) Antonio L. (Kimora, Amari, Synai, and Aitana) and Phillip W. Barksdale; sisters: Kathryn and Brenda McKenzie, and Teresa Maeweather of Linden, NJ and Jenine Bellinger of East Windsor, NJ; a devoted cousin/friend, Renne Judge of Rahway; nieces and nephews: Nicole Kaio, Shareef and Josanne Hardin, Sheabriah, Marquis, Erica, Alexis, Princess and Justin McCloud; and a host of dear relatives and friends.

Humbly submitted,
The Family

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Pallbearers

Family and Friends of **Jacqueline Barksdale**

The Final Flight

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 his call,
I turned my back and left it all.

I could not stay another day,

To laugh, to love, to work, to play.

Tasks left undone must stay that way,

I've found that peace at the end of the day.

If my parting has left a void,

Then fill it with remembered joy.

A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,

Ah, yes, these things too I will miss.

Be not burdened with times of sorrow,

I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.

My Life's been full, I savoured 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.

~Unknown Author

Acknowledgement

The family wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation the many expressions of love, concern and kindness shown to them during this hour of bereavement.

May God Bless and Keep You!

