

# <u>Obituary</u>

The Lord lent us an angel. She completed her task and was called home on September 29, 2019.

Hazel Marie Grant was born in Suffolk, Virginia to the late George and Hattie Greene. She was the youngest of twelve children and the only girl. Hazel was educated in the Virginia School System.

On June 11, 1953, Hazel married Roosevelt Grant and three children were born of that union, Linda Anita Roosevelt, Jr. (Buddy) and Edward Lee (Peewee). In the early 1960's, Roosevelt and Hazel relocated their family to Harlem, New York, where they planted many roots for generations to come.

Hazel better known to family and friends as "Tiger" wore many hats. There was nothing she wouldn't do for her family. She held down many jobs before finally settling on a career with the Marriott Hotel, where she remained until she retired.

Hazel was loved and respected by all who knew her. She was the back bone of her family. Hazel would always show up for those in need. Though she had little time for mess, there was nothing she wouldn't do for those she loved.

Hazel was of the Catholic faith and was a member of St. Joseph Church for more than twenty years. She loved to travel. She also enjoyed cooking and spending time with family and friends.

Hazel was preceded in death by her husband, Roosevelt; her son, Edward (Peewee); her granddaughters, Darlene and Anita.

Hazel leaves behind to mourn: her daughter, Linda; her son, Roosevelt; five granddaughters, Felicia, Renee, Tena and Victoria; one grandson, Ronald; ten great grandchildren; thirteen great great grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews, family and friends.

You will be missed.

### Funeral Mass

#### INTRODUCTORY RITES

Entrance Hymn
Greeting
Sprinkling with Holy Water Placing of the Pall
Opening Prayer

### LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading Responsorial Psalm Second Reading Gospel

PRAYER OF INTERCESSION
Offertory Hymn

### LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Preparation of the Altar and the Gifts
Eucharistic Prayer
Communion
Communion Hymn
Meditation Hymn
Closing Prayer
Obituary

### **FINAL COMMENDATION**

Song of Farewell and Incense Prayer of Commendation Recessional Hymn



Heavenly Rest Memorial Park East Hanover, New Jersey

# Psalm 23

The Lord is My Shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures; He leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul. He leadeth me in the path of righteousness for His name's sake. Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil; for Thou art with me; Thy rod and Thy staff they comfort me. Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies. Thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life; and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.

# Im 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!

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He family acknowledges with deep appreciation all acts of kindness extended to them during this bereavement hour. May God bless you for all your thoughtfulness and concern.

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