

Sunrise January 10, 1933 Sunset May 12, 2020

Service

Tuesday, May 19, 2020 • 9:00 a.m.

CARNIE P. BRAGG FUNERAL HOME

256 Rosa Parks Blvd., Paterson, New Jersey *Rev. Reginald Steele, Officiating*

Reflections of Life

Lillian Carter Walls was born in the Delwanna section of Clifton on January 10, 1933 and she fell asleep in the arms of Jesus on Tuesday, May 12, 2020 after a very brief illness with her family by her side. Lillian was the second oldest child of seven children born to Lloyd and Bertha Carter. She was the sister of Lloyd Jr., James, Rubin, Beverly, Rosalie and Doris.

At an early age she gave her life to Christ and she was baptized at St. Paul Baptist Church of Passaic, where she has remained a member all of her life. She was a active member and served on the Senior Choir, Willing Workers, Women's Auxiliary, Trustee Board and was a faithful Usher. Lily was truly a lifelong member at Saint Paul Baptist Church and she didn't let anyone or anything turn her around.

Lillian was married to Robert Lee Wall (Deceased) and from that union two daughters was born Janice Anita Rivers and Karen Lee Wall (Deceased).

Another one of her loves was American Temple 258 IBPOE of W in Paterson, NJ. Where she served as a Daughter Ruler, Financial Secretary and she supported all of it's programs. Lily loved her temple daughters and brothers and they loved her too.

She was a lifelong resident of Paterson where she grew up. She graduated from Public School #6 and Eastside High School. She went on to further her education and acquired a B.A. Degree from Montclair State University.

Lillian worked at Revlon in Passaic for 14 years, and was employed by State of New Jersey, Department of Labor and The Division of Unemployment for 25 Years. She retired as Office Manager. She worked in numerous offices throughout The State of New Jersey.

Lillian was a class act in everything that she said and did. She was truly a Phenomenal woman who loved her family, nice clothes, nice house and nice cars. She worked hard for her money and she loved going to the casino and socializing at The Elks. Lily was a diamond that shined among others and she was as beautiful as a rose in her appearance. Lillian truly enjoyed her life as she traveled many places with her sisters and with her Elkdom daughters.

Lillian leaves to cherish wonderful memories one daughter, Janice A. Rivers; one daughter-niece, Tanya Carter; three sisters, Beverly Mc Murray, Rosalie Ferguson, Rev. Doris Carter; one sister-in-law, Delores Carter; one grandson, Keyon Rivers (Mia); two granddaughters, Keona Thomas (Dwyane), Ashley Wall; one great granddaughter, Madison Capers; two great grandsons, Keyvon Rivers, and Teagan Thomas; special cousins, Thelma Peterson, and Ruby Alfred; a special friend, Mr. James Brown; and a host of nieces, nephews and friends.

Order of Service

Invocation Rev. Reginald Steele

Musical Selection

Scripture Reading - Rev. Doris Carter Old Testament New Testament

Musical Selection

Words of Comfort Rev. Reginald Steele St. Paul Baptist Church 22-24 Aspen Place, Passaic NJ

Entombment

Fairlawn Mausoleum 22-21 Maple Avenue Fair Lawn, New Jersey



A Note from her Daughter.

To my Family & Friends

To God be the glory! I would not have been able to take this journey alone. The prayers and phone calls meant a lot to me.

To my Aunt Doris thank you for being her primary care giver. Aunt Beverly, Aunt Rosalie, and Tonya thank you all for being there too. There are so many I can name at this time but to all of you thanks for reaching out to me.

My mother was a classy, phenomenal woman she enjoyed life and lived on her own terms. She loved to dress and enjoyed getting on that bus on Thursday, I will always remember her last words to me they gave me strength that I needed to get to today. She showed me her strength, love of family and her faith in God. When it was time to go home she did so on her own terms surrounded by family.

Forever Grateful, Janice

<u> Acknowledgement</u>

The family of the late Lillian Walls wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation the many expressions of love, concern and kindness shown to our family during this our time of bereavement. May God Bless and Keep You!

Professional Services Provided By

CARNIE P. BRAGG FUNERAL HOMES, INC.

Caring for the Community Since 1937

256 Rosa Parks Blvd. • Paterson, NJ 07501 • (973) 278-6330

143 Myrtle Avenue • Passaic, NJ 07055 • (973) 779-1892

To send online condolences, visit www.braggfuneralhome.com

www.honoryou.com

