

In Loving Memory



Bahiya Maryanne Staggers

June 17, 1974

June 19, 2020

Monday, June 29, 2020
Viewing: 9:00 a.m. Service: 10:00 a.m.

Soul Saving Church Of God In Christ
168 Union Street, Jersey City, NJ 07305

Obituary

Bahiya Maryanne Staggers was born on June 17, 1974 in Jersey City, New Jersey to the Late Mary Elizabeth Evans and the Late James “Jimmy” Carter. She was the youngest of eight children and the youngest twin to her sister Bahja.

Bahiya was educated in the Jersey City public school system. At an early age, Bahiya joined the Soul Saving Church Of God In Christ in Jersey City, New Jersey.

Bahiya was the mother of five children. Even though she was a young mother, Bahiya devoted her life to her children. They never want for nothing.

Bahiya was a hard working woman. For many years she worked at both Macy's and Toys R Us, in Jersey City, New Jersey. Later, she departed her job at Macy's and remained at Toys R Us as a Manager until they closed their doors in June 2018.

In August 2018, Bahiya wanted a change in her life, so she relocated to Dayton, OH to be with her sister, Cynthia. While in Ohio, Bahiya started a new career. In June 2019, Bahiya bought a house in Union, Ohio where she lived until the day she fell ill on March 29, 2020.

Like her mother, Bahiya was a loving, kind and caring person whom opened her doors for those that just needed to rest their head for the night.

On Friday, June 19, 2020, Bahiya answered God's call to come home.

Bahiya leaves to cherish precious memories her Sons: Jamal Jimmy Staggers & James Timmy Staggers (twins), and Mark Anthony Staggers; Daughters: Zharkiera Mary Staggers and Nyeera Bahiya Staggers; Grandchildren: Janasia White, Zakiyah Reason, Jamiyla, Jamal, Jamil and Jamier Staggers; Grandmother: Anne Funchess; Brother: Elisha Staggers; Sisters: Stephanie (Daniel) Carter-Johnson, Cynthia (John) Clements-Jackson, Diane Farmer, Moszell Staggers, Rosetta (Lonnie) Hill, Bahja Staggers; and a host of neices, nephews, aunts, uncles, cousins and friends.

She was preceded in death by Mother: Mary Evans-Farmer, Father: James Carter; Brothers: Joenathan Staggers, James and Barry Carter; Grandfathers: Willard Evans and Willie Carter; Grandmother: Synia Carter; aunts and uncles.

Order of Service

Processional

Prayer

Scripture Reading

Old testament

New testament

Solo

Zakiyah Reason, Granddaughter

Obituary & Acknowledgements

Eulogy

Solo

Derrick Wright

Recessional

In Memory Of A Dear Mother

You are with the angels now, it was time to say goodbye;
yet still it's hard to hide the pain, no matter how I try
For you were such a special mom with lots of love to share;
and knowing you're no longer here is very hard to bear
And though the grief will pass and time will help to heal the pain;
Somehow life without you, mom will never be the same

I thought I saw your face today in the sparkle of the morning
sun; Then I heard the angel say your work on Earth is done
I close my eyes as I wipe my tears;
I just keep wishing you were still here
I will hold all the memories deep in my heart;
And with these memories will never part
Life is full of pain and sorrow;
You're here today gone tomorrow.
I know I miss you and I probably always will;
This is so hard to get over like swallowing a bitter pill
I know that you are dead and gone it's so hard to accept
But now I understand nothing could last forever
and God chose you because he knew you were special
I never will forget your life and love, Auntie Bahiya.
Rest in peace for now, love you. I'll see you on the other side.

- Your Niece, Sylvia Clements -

Acknowledgements

*The family of **Bahiya Staggers** wishes to express their sincere
thanks and appreciation for the many acts of kindness, comforting
words and prayers shown during our time of bereavement.*

Interment

*Arlington Cemetery
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