

In Loving Memory of



Nice Gladney

Sunrise

March 4, 1928

Sunset

June 1, 2020

Service

Friday, July 17, 2020 • 11:00 a.m.

COTTON FUNERAL SERVICE

1025 Bergen Street • Newark, New Jersey

Obituary

On Monday, June 1, 2020 Alice Mae Gladney completed her journey and farewell to this life on earth, and without reservation proceeded to meet Our Heavenly Father.

Alice Mae was born on March 4, 1928 to the late Roosevelt Gladney and Hattie Goodman. She was their only daughter. She was educated in the South Carolina public school system, and graduated High School in 1946. Alice was baptized early in life in South Carolina. She moved to Washington, DC to live with her mother, and in 1965 she moved to Newark, NJ.

She joined New Eden Baptist Church under the Rev. John Shorter. Under Rev. Bernard Savage she was known as mother of the church, and was an active member for over fifty years. She joined Union Baptist Church in 2018. Early in her career, she was employed in several jobs. She retired from the Housing Authority, dedicating 37 years of services. Alice enjoyed cooking, sewing and being active in community services throughout the Newark area. She received several awards from the City Council and Mayor's office. She had a way of making everyone in her life feel special. Her greatest love was her family and friends.

Alice was preceded in death by her parents, Hattie Goodman and Roosevelt Gladney, and devoted friends Wesley and Esther Buckhanan. She leaves to treasure her love, memories, and homegoing: her brother Joseph Gladney, cousins Calvin and Regina Gladney; William, Tyronne, Felicia Bratton; cousin and Godson Rev. Bernard Savage; long-time dear friends Sarah Lomax and family, Godnieces Barbara Buckhanan and Brenda Monk and Godnephew Benjamin Buckhanan; Devoted and supportive caregivers and family friends Joseph McGill and Rose Williams, and a host of other relatives and friends.

Order of Service

Processional

Selection

Scripture Reading

Old Testament

New Testament

Selection

Obituary (silent reading)

Acknowledgements

Eulogy

Recessional

INTERMENT

Evergreen Cemetery
Hillside, New Jersey

Pallbearers

Family and Friends

I'm 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!*

-author unknown

Acknowledgement

The family of **Alice M. Gladney** wish to gratefully acknowledge all acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy to us during this time bereavement. May the Lord bless you for your kindness.

The Family

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