



## May 14, 1958 - July 27, 2020

His lord said unto him, Well done, good and faithful servant; thou hast been faithful over a few things, I will make thee ruler over many things: enter thou into the joy of thy lord. - Matthew 25:23

> Service Wednesday, August 5, 2020 - 10:00 a.m.

## **UNITY FUNERAL CHAPELS, INC.**

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Order of Service

Silent Processional	
Prayer of Comfort	Rev. Kelvin Spooner
Scripture Readings	
Old Testament - Psalm 27	Deacon Colleen Wright
New Testament - Matthew 25:22-23	Elder Maria Cooper
Acknowledgement by the Consistory	Elder Irma Williams
Musical Selection	Shera Ellison, Daughter
The Reading of the Obituary	Aline Hill, Sister
Musical Selection	Bro. Norris Barrino
Family Reflections	Jordan Troche, Son
Musical Selection	Elder Vivian Campbell Mack
Eulogy: A Faithful Servant	Rev. Dr. Micheal Edwards
Pravers of Intercession	

Final Viewing

Committal (Cemetery)

Benediction

Recessional

<u>Interment</u>

Oakwood Cemetery Mt. Kisco, New York

**Repast: Campos Plaza Community** 

Obituary

Patricia Pressley Troche was born on May 14, 1958 in New York City at St. Vincent's Hospital. She was the second child of Lena Miller Pressley and the late Allen Lloyd Pressley. Patricia's physical being departed this earth on July 27, 2020 at 3:04 p.m. at Mount Sinai West Hospital in New York City surrounded by her family. Patricia was met at the Golden Gates by her father, Allen Lloyd Pressley and older sister, Susan Pressley-Wright, who preceded her in death.

Patricia's education started at PS 110, continued at JHS 22 followed by Seward Park High School. After graduating from high school, Pat attended Bronx Community College in the Bronx, New York.

Pat met her future husband, Jose Troche in 1980. On August 21, 1981, they were joined in Holy Matrimony. To this union, three children were born.

Patricia worked at May's Department Store for 5 years and later at Gruntal Brokerage Firm for 15 years as a Benefits Administrator. Pat took her job very seriously and made sure all the employee's medical benefits were in place.

Patricia loved the Lord and dedicated her life to Him and the church. As a child/adult she was an officer in the New York City Cadet Corps, a member of the Dewitt Youth Choir, The Inspirational Voices of Christ, under the directorship of Ms. Cassandra Woods Feimster, which later became the Gospel Choir under the leadership of the late Ms. Edith Rhymer. Patricia, along with her sister Aline and Ms. Carrie Brown, felt there were members of the church who wanted to be a part of a choir. They decided to start another choir, which was called the Dewitt Mass Choir, where she served as Vice President for 10 years and President for 3 years. She was also a part of the New Praise Choir founded by the late Rev Dr. Carolyn Holloway. Patricia was also a member of the R.C.Y.F. (The Reformed Church Youth Fellowship). As she got older, she received the calling to become a Deacon and then an Elder of the church. She served on this board for over 25 years until her transitioning. If you asked Pat, why she worked so hard in the church she would tell you, "It's what I want to do and it's my calling." Pat was also the sitting President of the Campos Plaza Tenant Association, she worked closely with the PSA 4 Board and with the City Council members. Pat would say, "If I can help somebody then my living will not be in vain." She lived her life by those words.

Pat leaves to celebrate her life: her husband of 39 years, Jose Angel Troche; her mother, Lena Pressley; her daughters, Ebony Troche (Michael) and Shera Ellison (Ordaine); her son, Jordan (Shayna); her granddaughters, De Asia, Akera and Sydney; her grandsons, Michael Jr., Reilly and Mikel; her sister, Aline Pressley-Hill; her uncle, James Miller; her nieces, Latasha (Donald) and Brittany; her nephews, Allen, Michael (Christina) and Ephraim; her grand nieces, Domonique, Aliyah, Emma and Mya; her grand nephews, Nasir, Tyrec, Syncere, Zyaire Jerimiah, and Grayson; her best friends, DeReese Huff, Christine Bookin, Inez Turpin and Donita Barrino; and a host of cousins and friends.

## Rest In Peace, Your Loving Family

We'll Huvays Remember Ma

We'll always remember Ma that special smile, that caring heart, that warm embrace, that Ma always gave us. Ma you were there for all of us through good and bad times, no matter what. We'll always remember you Ma because there will never be another one to replace you in our hearts, and the love that we will always have for You.

- The Family of Elder Patricia Troche

Hcknowledgement

The Troche and Pressley families thank you for your earnest prayers, condolences and support during our time of loss.

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