

Celebrating the Life of
Fontina Maria Kendricks



Sunrise
August 18, 1948

Sunset
September 10, 2020

Wednesday, September 16, 2020 - 9am

Immaculate Conception Church
389 E. 150th Street (at Melrose Avenue), Bronx, NY 10455

Obituary

Fontina Maria Kendricks was born on August 18, 1948 to Adell and Catherine Clinkscales of New York, New York. Fontina attended St. Helena High School where in 1964 she met and soon after in March 1965 married, Harvey Kendricks. Later that year she gave birth to their first child, their daughter, Kenya Kendricks. In the following year their son, Harvey Kendricks, Jr., and in 1975 she bore Anthony Kendricks who preceded her in death. In 1985, she gave birth to twins, Yolanda and Jolanda.

Fontina worked as a waitress for nearly 20 years before embarking on a career as a Home Health Aide, the profession she worked in until her health began to decline preventing her from continuing in that field.

In her later years she really enjoyed being at home with her dog Rocky, and doing things she enjoyed. Fontina had a zest for life and loved a great many things. Watching Judge Judy and General Hospital were among the things she loved to do.

Fontina Kendricks passed away at home on September 10, 2020.

She leaves behind: her three daughters, Kenya, Yolanda and Jolanda; her eldest remaining son, Harvey Jr.; one grandson, Anthony; two granddaughters, Tiana and Damaya; four great grandchildren, Anthony Jr., Jayden, Alexis and Aaliah; her cousin, Dorothy McCormick; her closest friend, Yvette Livingston-Brown; and a host of other friends who will miss her.

Order of Service

Processional

Musical Selection

Scripture Readings

Prayer of Consolation

Acknowledgement of Condolences

Musical Selection

Obituary Reading
Kenya Kendricks

Eulogy

Benediction

Recessional

Interment
Mt. Holiness Memorial Park
Butler, New Jersey





Remember Me

author: Lisa Poullard-Burton

When you remember me
Remember me fondly
Remember me being happy
Remember me looking sharp
Remember my laughter my style
Remember me feeling well
If you are going to remember me
Remember me not with sadness
Remember me not with pain
Remember me with a smile and a wave
As we passed along the street
Remember the joy and peace of our holidays past
Remember gifts exchanged and preparing to feast
Remember sitting down to a meal
Remember good stories and better jokes
Remember I loved you and you loved me
And when folks ask how this happened so suddenly
Tell them I led a good life
I had children I had a home I wanted for nothing
I did not live my life alone
And if you remember me, think
Not that she is gone,
Remember, she lives on
in the hearts of friends and family
My memory carries on...

Fontina Maria Kendricks

Acknowledgement

***The 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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