Celebrating the Life of



Sunrise March 2, 1933 Sunset November 24, 2020

Saturday, December 5, 2020 - 10am

UNITY FUNERAL CHAPELS, INC.

2352 8th Avenue • New York, NY 10027 Rev. Dr. Eric B. Turner, Officiating

<u>Obituary</u>

On Tuesday, November 24th, 2020, **Frances Greene**, closed her eyes and earned her wings. Frances was born on March 2nd, 1933 in Savannah, Georgia to Frank and Marion Greene. Frances was the youngest of two, her sister, Bernice James preceded her in death.

Frances attended school in Savannah, Georgia and later journeyed to New York in 1950 to begin her 30-year career as a meat wrapper and trainer for incoming staff. She was affectionately known by her coworkers as "Frankie". In addition to doing what she loved she taught herself how to sew, crochet and decorate. Frances perfected her craft and made anywhere from clothing to pillowcases for her entire family to enjoy. When Frances wasn't making gifts for her family that she loved dearly, she took care of the neighborhood kids who she adored.

Frances met the love of her life, George Reynolds. Their union produced four children, her beloved daughter Carolyn Thomas, her eldest son George Greene, beloved daughter Yvonne Reynolds and her youngest Barry Reynolds. Sadly, George Reynolds preceded Frances in death.

Frances later met her next greatest love John H. Maxwell, that lasted for nearly four decades. John also preceded Frances in death.

Frances leaves to cherish her memories: her devoted children, Carolyn Thomas, George Greene, Yvonne Reynolds and Barry Reynolds; her beloved grandchildren, Henry Thomas, Carmen Manso, Carleta Thomas, Niquelle Thomas, Janelle Thomas, John Marcano, Douglas Thomas, Chanelle Thomas, Lawrence Grant, Danielle Grant, Michael Wade, Albert Grant, Kim Grant, David Grant, Monica Silva, Shaymar Greene, Troy Beasley, Theodore Beasley, Amber Strayhorne and Tariq Yarbrough; twenty-one great grandchildren and four great-great grandchildren; her niece and nephew, Marion and Frankie Davis, and her extended family, Vanessa Story, Kerin Poe, Aretha Farrell, Dorinda Butts, Tawana Riley, Natalie Wilson and Jerome Ford.

The family would also like to extend a very special thanks to: Daisy Perez, Celine Chambers, Sharon Blizzard, Diane Allen and Tina Acosta. The Reynolds/Greene family wishes to thank each one of you who have stood by their side during the difficult days.

Mother, Grandmother, Aunt and Friend we love you, but God loves you best. Rest in peace our beautiful angel.

Lovingly Submitted, The Family

Order of Service

Processional

| Selection"Blessed Assurance" |
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| Scripture Readings |
| Selection"Going Up Yonder" |
| Acknowledgements |
| Remarks |
| ObituaryTheodore Anthony Beasley III |
| Selection"His Eye Is On The Sparrow" |
| Eulogy |
| Committal |
| Viewing |
| Recessional |

Interment
Trinity Mausoleum
New York, New York

Add a little sugar, honeysuckle And a great big expression of happiness, you couldn't miss With a dozen roses Such will astound you The joy of children laughing around you These are the makings of you It is true, the makings of you The righteous way to go Little one would know Or believe if I told them so You're second to none The love of all mankind Should reflect some sign of these words I've tried to recite They're close but not quite Almost impossible to do Reciting the makings of you

Curtis Mayfield

Heknowledgement

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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