

Celebrating The Life of
Norma Elaine Phillips

July 10, 1936 - December 16, 2020



SATURDAY, JANUARY 9, 2021
Viewing: 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM
Service: 10:00 AM

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Rev. Nancy Fields, Officiating
(Mount Vernon Presbyterian Church)

Order of Service

Call To Worship

Hymn “Amazing Grace”

Prayer Rev. Nancy Fields

Scripture Reading..... Psalm 27, Mellissa Brown

Scripture Reading.....Psalm 91, Kenton & Edward Phillips, Sons

Hymn “Great Is Thy Faithfulness”

Tributes From The Family

Charlton Family – Great Grandchildren

Marie Plummer – Niece

Edward Phillips – Son

Charlton Girls– Great Grand Kids

Thelma Crossdale– Sister

Winnifred & Ena Phillips – Sister-In-Law

Lowe’s Plummer– Sister,Nephew & Brother In Law

Open Tributes

Eulogy.....Delcia Reid, Sister

Offeratory Hymn..... “What A Friend We Have In Jesus”

(Offering To Be Taken For Eastchester Presbyterian Church)

Sermon Rev. Nancy Fields

Mount Vernon Presbyterian Church

Prayer Of Comfort Pastor Kemoah Wray

Benediction

Final Viewing..... Eternity Funeral Services Directors

Recessional

Entombment

Woodlawn Cemetery

Bronx, NY

Obituary



We are gathered here today in the memory of our mother, Norma Phillips so that together we may acknowledge and share both our joy in the gift that her life was to us, and the pain that her passing brings. In sharing the joy and the pain together today, may we lessen the pain and remember more clearly the joy.

Norma Elaine Phillips née Nelson born July 10, 1936 in Spaulding Clarendon the second of seven kids born to James and Doris Nelson.

Norma attended Baillieston schools after leaving high school she went on to attend Granvilla Business School where she studied accounting and stenographic during here travel back and forth to school she met the love of her life.

After completing Business school she moved to St. Mary where she gave birth to her first born Joan a year later they welcome Edward to the family.

Still searching for the perfect job the couple moved to Spanish Town where Norma went to work for the National Insurance Scheme for the next eleven year's. During that time they added two girls and one son to the family.

When Norma husband got a job in Brown's Town they decided to move back to St. Ann, she continued working at NIS in St. Ann's Bay a job she loved close to heart.

Norma travel took her from north to the south of St. Ann, whenever she would come pass the school where Alicia and I went she would stop by with snacks for us and of course, as kids we would often ask can we have some pocket money.

Norma often took home work which did not sit well with dad but she did anyway helping the folks who were unable to travel from places

like, Nine Miles or Prickel Pole would give here joy. Mom continued with NIS for over twenty five years.

Norma long awaited USA papers came through so she decided that a long overdue vacation was needed so off to the good USA she came in 1983. After her vacation ran out, she decided not to return to Jamaica so, she had to find employment. She did have a few but we all remember Odd Job as there head cashier when she worked until she took early retirement.

Her Canadian sisters would often visit for holidays and you could find her in the kitchen.

Norma was a very soft spoken person and she did not like to bother anyone even her kids. When her doctor told her she had lung cancer she kept it quite and next you know Demencia started to set in over the past eight years.

Norma loved when her grand and great kids came to visit she had names for most of them. She leaves behind siblings Lascells, Linda, Thelma, Trevor and Delcia. Children Joan, Edward, Angella, Alicia and Kenton, two daughters in-laws, Sixteen grands and 13 great grand, one aunt, nieces and nephews.



Amazing Grace

Amazing grace, how sweet that sound,
That saved a wretch like me!
I once was lost, but now am found,
Was blind, but now I see.

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,
And grace my fears relieved;
How precious did that grace appear,
The hour I first believed.

Thro' many dangers, toils, and snares,
I have already come;
'Tis grace hath brought me safe thus far,
And grace will lead me home.

When we've been there ten thousand years,
Bright shining as the sun,
We've no less days to sing God's praise,
Than when we first begun.



Great is Thy Faithfulness

Great is Thy faithfulness, oh God my father,
There is no shadow of turning with Thee;
Thou changeth not, Thy compassions they fall not,
As Thou hast been Thou forever wilt be.

Refrain

Great is Thy faithfulness!

Great is Thy faithfulness!

Morning by morning new mercies I see;
All I have needed Thy hand hath provided,
Great is they faithfulness, Lord unto me

Summer and winter, and springtime and harvest,
Sun, moon and stars in their courses above.

Join with all nature in manifold witness
To Thy great faithfulness, mercy and love [Refrain]

Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth,
Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide;
Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow,
Blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside! [Refrain]

What A Friend We Have In Jesus

What a friend we have in Jesus,
All our sins and griefs to bear!
What a privilege to carry
Everything to God in prayer!

O what peace we often forfeit,
O what needless pain we bear,
All because we do not carry
Everything to God in prayer!

Have we trials and temptations?
Is there trouble anywhere?
We should never be discouraged,
Take it to the Lord in prayer.

Can we find a friend so faithful?
Who will all our sorrows share?
Jesus knows our every weakness,
Take it to the Lord in prayer.

Are we weak and heavy laden?
Cumbered with a load of care?
Precious Saviour, still our refuge,
Take it to the Lord in prayer!

Do Thy friends despise, forsake thee?
Take it to the Lord in prayer!
In His arms He'll take and shield thee,
Thou wilt find a solace there



Acknowledgement

Our family thanks you all for the kind expression of sympathy at this time of our bereavement.

May God bestow His blessings upon you all.

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