

In Loving Memory of



Jean V. Sutton

Sunrise
March 23, 1937

Sunset
February 2, 2021

Service:
Thursday, February 18, 2021 - 10:00 am

MCCALL'S BRONXWOOD FUNERAL HOME
4035 Bronxwood Avenue • Bronx, New York 10466

Obituary

Jeanie and Babsie, a dynamic duo, surprised many people who did not know they were twins. While they were so different, they had bonded irrevocably over the nine months before entering the world on 23 March 1937, Jeanie first. For the next 83 years and 316 days, they were almost always together except for a period of time as you will see. After completing private school, they and Clement (the eldest) went to Franklin Town Government School, renowned for its emphasis on music and for participating in annual eisteddfods and competitive music festivals. Our home, 2 Jackson Lane, was always full of music, and we sang the beautiful classical songs they learned in school. Those songs still enthrall us. After completing their studies at Franklin Town, they went to Rollington Town Government School to complete Sixth Standard. Jeanie was the pitcher on the Rollington Town softball team, and I went to all of her games played at Up Park Camp. They completed their education at Kingsway High School.

Jeanie and Babsie were baptized at Rollington Town Seventh Day Adventist Church when they were teenagers. Together with Pauline Thomas and Verna Swaby, they formed an excellent quartet. In 1958, they cut an LP record of 10 songs which we have dubbed; although scratchy, Jeanie's alto voice is resounding. The smooth pleasant soprano is Babsie.

In December 1959, Babsie left Jamaica to reside in Canada with Clement while Jeanie was teaching at Rev. Norton Bellamy's private school on Cawley Rd. In 1962, Jeanie left to study at the Seventh Day Adventist Nursing Academy in Canada; however, at that time, England was seen as a better option. Therefore, Jeanie travelled to London to complete the remaining 36 months of her studies at St. Helens Hospital. Afterwards, she went to Scotland for a year to practice as a midwife. In 1967, Jeanie moved to Brooklyn,

New York, and was reunited with Babsie. By then, Clement, Vivienne and Joy were also living in the U.S. Jeanie practiced as a nurse at St. John's Hospital and Brooklyn Jewish Hospital. After completing her B. Sc. in Nursing at St. Francis College, she worked for the New York State Department of Health in nursing administration, and her first office was in one of the Twin Towers in lower Manhattan. Later, she was transferred to an office in Jamaica, Queens. On 11 September 2001, also known as "9/11", Jeanie made an early routine visit to the Twin Tower's office. Upon returning the Queens office, she learned that the Towers had collapsed. God was not ready for her. Retiring in 2002, Jeanie enjoyed her time together with Babsie at the home they purchased in Ossining, NY, in 1994.

Her four remaining siblings, Babsie, Vivienne (Dillon), Joy (Larry), and Pops (Erma), three nieces, seven nephews, their spouses and children, numerous relatives and good friends, all remember Jeanie's unconditionally loving ways, caring nature, liberal generosity, considerate attitude, divine charity, acts of compassion (why she became a nurse) and her strong faith in God. She had a special love for children. She loved to have them around, her nieces and nephews in particular; and they took to her. One of her former student's recently shared, "Jeanie has shown me more love than anyone I can remember in my childhood and young adult years." Jeanie always looked out for those in need; and she asked us to take in those disadvantaged by their relatives. Jeanie always had good advice for every situation. Vivienne said that in this respect Aunt Ruby used to call Jeanie, "Mi madda."

While it is very hard to accept that Jeanie is no longer with us, instead we must be comforted in knowing the many lives she touched. Finally, we must be comforted by the oh so many wonderful memories.

Order of Service

Opening Prayer
Pastor Courtney Goulding

Opening Hymn
“Because He Lives”

Scripture Reading
Mr. Kaestner Hutton / Mr. William Perkins

Musical Selection
The Hutton Family

Reflections

Musical Selection

Prayer of Comfort
Elder Anthony Morris

Obituary
Mr. Dave Hutton, Sr.

Eulogy
Pastor Philemon Corrodus

Closing Hymn
“The Glory Song”

Closing Prayer
Pastor Hugh Maynard-Reid

Remarks by the Funeral Director

Final Viewing & Recessional

Interment

Kensico Cemetery
Valhalla, New York

"THE GLORY SONG"

Verse 1

When all my labors and trails are o'er,
And I am safe on that beautiful shore,
Just to be near the Lord I adore,
Will through the ages be glory for me.

Refrain

O that will be glory for me,
Glory for me, glory for me,
When by His grace I shall look on His face,
That will be glory, be glory for me.

Verse 2

When, by the gift of His infinite grace,
I am accorded in heaven a place,
Just to be there and to look on His face,
Will through the ages be glory for me.

Verse 3

Friends will be there I have loved long ago;
Joy like a river around me will flow,
Yet, just a smile from my Savior, I know,
Will through the ages be glory for me.



"BECAUSE HE LIVES"

Verse 1

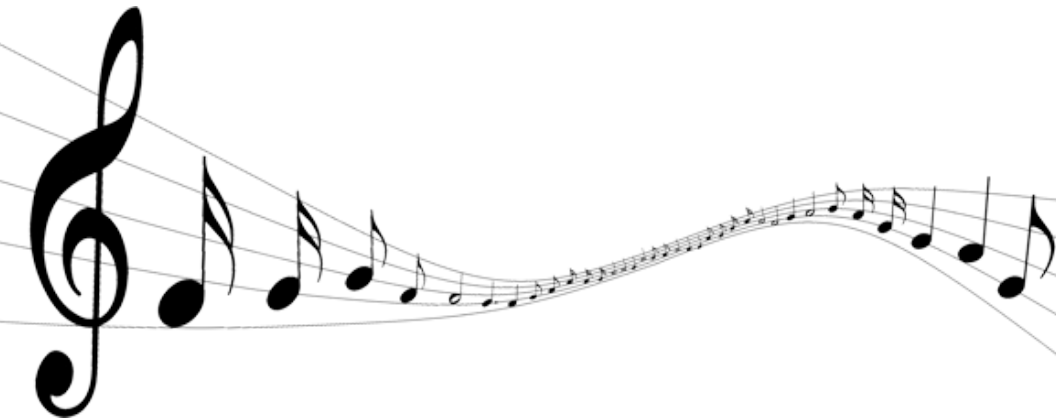
**God sent His Son, they called Him Jesus,
He came to love, heal, and forgive;
He lived and died to buy my pardon,
An empty grave is there to prove my Savior lives.**

Refrain

**Because He lives I can face tomorrow,
Because He lives all fear is gone;
Because I know He holds the future.
And life is worth the living just because He lives.**

Verse 2

**How sweet to hold a newborn baby,
And feel the pride, and joy He gives;
But greater still the calm assurance,
This child can face uncertain days because He lives.**





The Lord's Prayer

**Our Father which art in
heaven, Hallowed be thy
name. Thy kingdom come.
Thy will be done in earth, as it
is in heaven. Give us this day
our daily bread. And forgive
us our debts, as we forgive
our debtors. And lead us not
into temptation, but deliver us
from evil: For Thine is the
kingdom, and the power, and
the glory, for ever. Amen.**

Acknowledgments

The family would like to express their deep appreciation and sincere thanks for all acts of kindness shown to them during their time of bereavement.

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