A portrait of an elderly woman with short, wavy grey hair, wearing a red top and large hoop earrings. She is smiling slightly. The background is a blurred outdoor setting with trees and a brick wall.

*In  
Loving  
Memory  
of*

*Mary M. Jenkins*

**Sunrise**  
**December 8, 1939**

**Sunset**  
**April 11, 2021**


**Service:**  
**Friday April 23, 2021 - 11:30am**

**MCCALL'S BRONXWOOD FUNERAL HOME**

4035 Bronxwood Avenue • Bronx, New York 10466

**Officiant: Pastor Barry K. Hill**

**Organist: Rev. Kevin Wade**

A close-up of a pearl necklace with several large, round pearls and smaller decorative beads, resting on a textured surface.

# *Obituary*

**Mary Jenkins** was born on December 8, 1939 to Benjamin and Margaret Mitchell in Charleston South Carolina.

Mary along with her two siblings, Ben Junior and Margaret spent their Early years in South Carolina.

Mary migrated north to New York in the 60s. She eventually started working at Harlem Hospital where she was an employee until she retired. She also met her lifelong friend Theresa Allen who became like another sister to her. After she retired she spent time with her pets, who she always considered her children and became an active member of Woods Memorial AME Zion church where she became a Deaconess and found her church family.

On April 11, 2021 Mary was called home by the Lord.

She leaves to mourn her loss her Brother: DeAngelo Mitchell, Sisters: Gloria Johnson and Inger Hardison, Nephews: Dale West, Kenneth, Darrell, Elder Henry Allen Jr and Elder Carroll Gibbs, Nieces: Gwenivere Wainwright, Jennifer and Veronica Gibbs and Margaret Hardison and her Goddaughter Nina Allen Houston and a host of friends and family.

She goes to join her mother Margaret Hardison, father Benjamin Mitchell Senior, brothers Benjamin Mitchell Junior, Ronald Mitchell and Gregory Hardison. Her sisters Margaret Gibbs and Sandra Hardison and Aunt Alberta Neal. Also her brother-in-law Bishop Henry Allen Gibbs Senior and nephew Curtis Gibbs.

# *Order of Service*

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Pastor Barry K Hill -Officiating

Processional

Hymn

“Pass me not, O Gentle Saviour”

Scripture

Old Testament- Edith Mayfield

New Testament-Rev. Norma Joseph

Prayer of Comfort

Pastor Hill

Solo

Marvin Mayfield

Tributes

2 minutes Please

Resolution

Woods Memorial AME Zion

Obituary

Gloria Levin

Solo

Marvin Mayfield

Eulogy

Elder Henry Allen Gibbs

Committal

Benediction

Recessional

“Blessed Assurance”

## *Final Disposition*

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White Plains Rural Cemetery

White Plains, NY

# *God's Promise*

**God didn't promise  
Days without pain,  
Laughter without sorrow  
Or sun without rain.  
But God did promise  
Strength for the day,  
Comfort for the tears  
And a light for the way,  
And for all who believe  
In His Kingdom above,  
He answers their faith  
With everlasting love.**

## *Acknowledgments*

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