

# *I'm Free*

**Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free,  
I'm following the path God laid for me.  
I took his hand when I heard his call,  
I turned my back and left it all.**

**I could not stay another day,  
To laugh, to love, to work, to play.  
Tasks left undone must stay that way,  
I've found that peace at the close of the day.**

**If my parting has left a void,  
Then fill it with remembered joy.  
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,  
Ah yes, these things I too will miss.**

**Be not burdened with times of sorrow,  
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.  
My Life's been full, I savoured much,  
Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch,**

**Perhaps my time seemed all too brief,  
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.  
Lift up your heart and share with me,  
God wanted me now, He set me free.**

# *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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# *Celebrating The Life of*



# *Angela Patterson*

Sunrise  
May 2, 1965

Sunset  
April 24, 2021

Service

Friday, April 30, 2021 - 11:00am

**Oasis Christian Center**

2052 St. George's Ave. • Rahway., NJ 07065

Pastor Fred McCarthy, Senior Pastor





Those whom  
we have loved  
never really leave  
us.  
They live on  
forever  
in our hearts.  
And cast their  
radiant light onto

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# Order of Service

Agape Family Worship Center • Rahway, NJ  
 Dr. Lawrence Powell, Senior Pastor

**Processional & Family Viewing**  
**Musical Selection**

**Prayer of Comfort**..... Elder Al Izlar  
**Scripture Readings:**

**Old Testament**.....Dr. Robyn M. Dennis

**New Testament**..... Donna Newton

**Musical Selection**..... Bread of Heaven

**Acknowledgements** .....Dr. Odessa McNeill

**Obituary**..... Phyllis Lewis

**Reflections**..... Tysen Graham,

**Bernetta Chandler, Rodney Point-Du-Jour**

**Dance Selection**..... Donna Landrum

**Eulogy** ..... Dr. Lawrence Powell, Senior Pastor

Agape Family Worship Center • Rahway, NJ

**Benediction**

**Recessional**

**Internment**

**Hollywood Cemetery, Union NJ**

**\*No Repast due to the Pandemic\***

**Pall Bearers:**

**Aaron Williams, Ryan Williams,**

**DeAndre Point-Du-Jour, Rodney Point-Du-Jour,**

**Marques Adams, Tim Bean**

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**Angela Patterson** affectionately known as (Sister, Aunt, Auntie, Angie and friend) was born May 2, 1965 at Orange Memorial Hospital Orange, NJ. to the late Phillip C. and Lorraine Patterson. She entered into eternal rest at her residence in Watchung, NJ on April 24, 2021. She was preceded in death by her brother Phillip E Patterson and sister EmmaLee Patterson.

At the age of 12 she was baptized at Ebenezer Baptist church Orange, NJ.

She graduated from Union High School Union, NJ. and throughout her teenage years she was a Candy Striper in local hospitals. Attended the former Upsala College East Orange NJ, Union County College and Trinitas School of Nursing receiving an LPN degree and later graduating with an RN nursing degree.

Angela was employed at Americhoice and Prudential as a case manager and in her earlier years worked in various nursing homes.

She accepted Jesus as her personal Lord and Savior at Faith Fellowship Ministries. She then attended Love of Jesus in Orange NJ and served in the drama ministry.

Agape Family Worship Center was Angela's home away from home. She LOVED her Agape Family and would volunteer wherever she could. Served faithfully in Bodybuilders Bookstore, F.I.T.T. Ministry, and was on the First Response Team. One of Angela's special moments at Agape is when she had the opportunity to be an actor alongside her great niece Mia in the play Eternity the Ultimate Experience.

Loved to travel: Italy, Spain, Germany, Bermuda and her last trip before the Pandemic was to Las Vegas with her friend Bernetta. Angela loved to cook and make unique dishes for her family during the holidays and drop off weekly meals. 80's music was her jam and she would attend various concerts, Broadway shows and New York City. She was an avid reader always found with a good book or a word search. Did you know Angela was an author? She contributed a chapter called 'What Does Love Mean to You' in the book Unimaginable Finding Love through Pain Women's Compilation Project Volume 6.

Angela was a fun loving person always ready for a shopping spree, family gathering and loved to sing off tuned. She adored her family, especially her great nieces and nephews.

She leaves to cherish her memory are her two sisters Esther Williams (Joseph)-Avenel NJ, Clarice Patterson-Linden NJ and twin brother Anthony Patterson. Her nieces and nephews Kandice Point-Du-Jour ( Rodney)- Rahway, NJ, Aaron Williams-Avenel, NJ, Ryan Williams-Rahway, NJ, Jennifer Taylor (Gus)-New Orleans, LA, Adrian Patterson, FL, Darlene Patterson, Arizona, Andrea Bean (Paul), Christy Patterson, Quakertown, PA, Kathleen, Fountain and Darlyne Benoit. Great Nephews and Nieces DeAndre Point-Du-Jour, Mia Point-Du-Jour, Aaliyah Williams, Jasmine Williams, Noah Williams, Paul Jr and Timothy Bean, Rachel Patterson. A host of other family and friends special mention Bernetta Chandler, Tysen Graham & Donna Newton, Elder Joyner