

*Celebrating The Life of*

*Felicia Wright*

*March 29, 1961 - April 12, 2021*



# Service Information

**THURSDAY, MAY 6, 2021**  
**Viewing: 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM**  
**Service: 10:30 AM**

**Nazareth Baptist Church**  
490 East 165<sup>th</sup> Street • Bronx, NY 10456  
***Reverend Jonathan Nottage, Sr., Officiating***  
*(Nazareth Baptist Church, Bronx NY)*

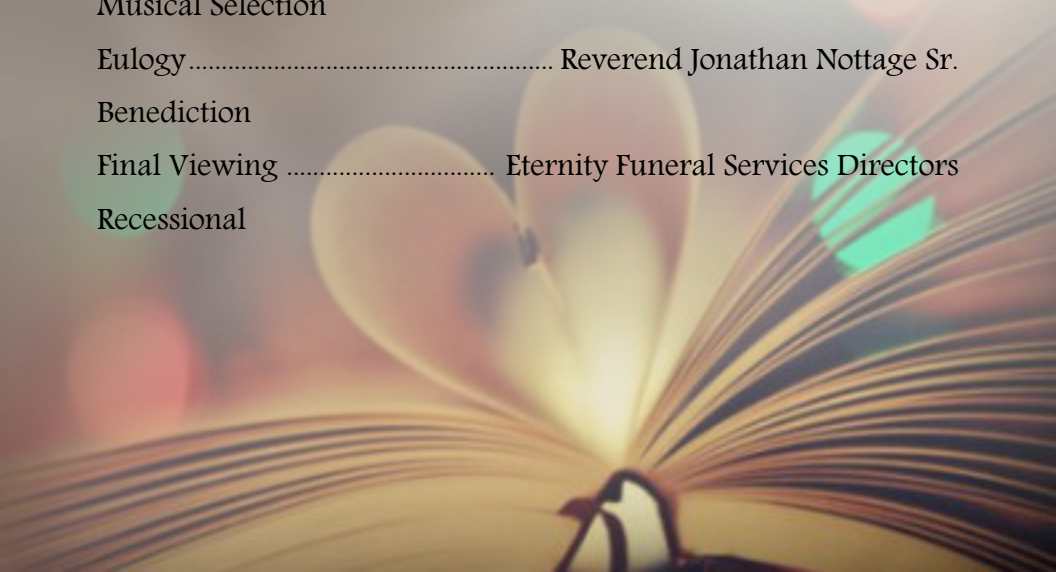
## Interment

Rosehill Cemetery  
Linden, New Jersey



# Order of Service

Musical Prelude ..... “We Come This Far by Faith”  
Processional..... The Family  
Scripture Reading..... Reverend Jonathan Nottage Sr.  
Old Testament Scripture – Psalm 23  
New Testament Scripture – John 14:1-3  
Prayer of Comfort ..... Reverend Jonathan Nottage Sr.  
Expression and Reflections ..... Family, Friends & Colleagues  
(Two minutes please)  
Solo .....Lamont Wright  
Family Tributes of Love ..... The Grandchildren  
Scripture Reading – II Corinthians 4:17-18 ..... Mikayla Wright  
Acknowledgements of Condolences..... Amani Lightbourne  
Scripture Reading..... Najee Smith  
Reading of Obituary .....Shereen Lightbourne  
Musical Selection  
Eulogy ..... Reverend Jonathan Nottage Sr.  
Benediction  
Final Viewing ..... Eternity Funeral Services Directors  
Recessional



# Obituary

Felicia Wright was born March 29, 1961 in New York City to the late Robert Wright and Delores Wright. Felicia was first of five children. While the Bronx is where the family came to reside during the early years of her life, as a youth, Felicia enjoyed spending summers with her siblings at Camp Williams and visiting relatives in St. Helena formerly known as Frogmore, South Carolina.

Felicia received her formal education in the New York City Public System. As a young girl, Felicia was a voracious reader and excelled in school. In 1980, after graduating from Harry S. Truman High School, Felicia attended Mary Bertram Business and Adult Education Center. She also attended City College of New York majoring in Public Administration and Queens College as a Computer Science major.

Felicia was the consummate professional as Procurement Manager of the New York City Metropolitan Transit Authority, where her tenure spanned over 36 years of dedicated service. She began her career as an Office Aide III. From there, she worked her way up to Principal Administrative Associate and was elevated to Staff Analyst shortly thereafter. Felicia was known by her colleagues as intelligent, hard-working, reliable, and a woman of high integrity. Always a class act, she was respected by many and admired by all.

Raised during a time when having respect for your elders was the rule and not the exception, as the oldest sibling, Felicia acted as a mother-figure to her sisters and brother. Her love for them was unconditional. While held in high regard by all of her siblings, she and baby sister Diane shared an especially close relationship. Felicia also enjoyed a special relationship with her "Aunt Maggie" Whitaker. Their bond was so strong that Aunt Maggie looked upon Felicia more as a daughter than her niece. As the saying goes, they were like "two peas in a pod" traveling and spending quality time with each other. As an excellent cook and baker, Felicia took great pride in preparing scrumptious meals for her family. In recent times, Felicia and her brother Alan were able to revel in the company of each other while enjoying her delectable recipes.

Felicia, affectionately known as “Auntie” was absolutely adored by her nieces and nephews. The nickname “Auntie Fee-Fee” was given to her by her nephew Najee. Felicia, being very fond of her oldest nephew’s daughter Niyah, often remarked how much she resembled her, the two having that “signature gap” and beautiful illuminating smiles. She truly loved spending time with her nieces and nephews. While stern and serious at times, Felicia had a comical yet subtle sense of humor, which very often took many by surprise. With love and humor, she would mentor friends and family providing good advice and honest opinions. She was always dependable and there for her family and friends when they needed her.

Felicia was an avid traveler and did so extensively around the U.S and abroad. She enjoyed fine dining with friends and attending concerts and shows. Many may not know that one of her favorite past times was riding motorcycles. From Myrtle Beach to Canada are just some of the places she traveled by motorcycle. Now that is something that her Uncle Jet and Uncle Bowman, both ardent motorcycle lovers, would have gotten a kick out of. Whether solo or with friends, Felicia traveled the world, living life on her own terms.

While very private, Felicia was a spiritual woman who believed in God. Her walk of faith not only provided her with a multitude of blessings, but it enabled her to bestow blessings upon others. Felicia departed this life for eternal rest on Monday, April 12, 2021. Our beloved Felicia Wright was preceded in death by her parents Robert Wright and Delores Wright.

Felicia’s life will be continuously celebrated by her 4 siblings: Addona Wright, Delores Lightbourne, Robert Alan Wright, and Diane Wright; a brother-in-law: Lester Lightbourne; 9 nieces and nephews: Brandon (Sharon)Hill, Jamal (Nina) Lightbourne, Kevon Davis, Najee Smith, Shereen Lightbourne, De’quan Wright, Amani Lightbourne, Mikayla Wright and Akeem Nathaniel Wright; 6 great-nieces and nephews: Marquis Hill, Jamir Hill, Niyah Hill, Cairo Lightbourne, Chanel Hill, Layla Lightbourne and a host of aunts, uncles, cousins, extended family and friends.

***“Death leaves a heartache no one can heal but love leaves a memory no one can steal.”***

A woman wearing a black motorcycle helmet and jacket is smiling. She is wearing sunglasses and has a pink shirt visible under her jacket. She is standing outdoors, possibly on a street or parking lot.

# *Don't Cry*

Don't cry over me.

Don't shed a tear.

You know that I'm safe

My God has promised me everlasting life,

So I know I'm in a better place.

Remember my works, remember my smile

Remember the joy we've shared

Keep these thoughts in your hearts my love

That's when I'll know you've cared.

I'm smiling right now as I view this place

Where my soul is so at peace.

The light that shines so brightly here

Is a definite sigh of relief

I am surrounded by those who love me most

My love will always shine

So don't cry for me my loved ones

I'm in a place that's so divine.

To my brother, my sisters, my friends

Wipe those tears from your cheeks I say

For I am now here doing God's works

In a place where I will permanently stay.

# Precious Memories





## *Acknowledgement*

*The family of **Felicia Wright** acknowledges with great appreciation all acts of kindness, sympathy and love extended to us during this time of bereavement.*



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