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Sunrise November 20, 1918

// *Oaitland* Sunset June 8, 2021

Service: Wednesday, June 16, 2021 - 7:00 pm

MCCALL'S BRONXWOOD FUNERAL HOME 4035 Bronxwood Avenue • Bronx, New York 10466 Rev. Dr. Sheldon E. Williams, Officiating Kevin Wade, Organist



Mary Magdalene Maitland was born in St. Elizabeth, Jamaica on November 20, 1918 to Maude Ebanks and Alexander McLean.

Mary worked in Kingston for many years. First, she was a waitress and then the manager of a restaurant. Next, she migrated to England and spent years there working in a factory. After that she settled in New York—thanks to her dear nephew Conrad and his wife Rena. Mary was forever grateful for how welcoming and supportive they made her transition to life in America.

Mary was noted always as a hard worker. She retired after spending years, first taking care of children and then as a health care attendant.

During her time here Mary continued what she had started in Kingston. She welcomed family and friends into her home until they could stand on their own feet as immigrants. She asked nothing for herself and was noted for her generosity and her passion to tend those around her. As years passed, she became lovingly known as "aunt Mary" to family and friends. All those who have been blessed with her friendship and solicitude will always treasure her memory.

Our beloved Mary is predeceased by her husband Egerton, daughter Merline and brothers Samuel and Martel. She is survived by her son Norman (Jerah), grandchildren Michael, Faith, Christine, Gulie, Gertrude, Carol, David, Malcolm, Norman, and Mary. Also left to mourn her are many great grandchildren, great grandchildren and a host of other relatives and friends.

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Processional

Selection "Amazing Grace" Kevin Wade
Prayer Rev. Dr. Sheldon E. Williams
Scripture: Old Testament- Ecclesiastes 3: 1-11Elaine McLean New Testament - Revelation 21: 1-7Mary Jacob
Selection "How Great Thou Art" Kevin Wade
Tributes
Obituary Norman Scott
Selection "It is Well with My Soul" Kevin Wade
EulogyRev. Dr. Sheldon E. Williams
Committal

Final Viewing

Benediction

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Ferncliff Crematory Hartsdale, New York



Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free. I'm following the path God has chosen for me. I took His hand when I heard Him call; I turned my back and left it all. I could not stay another day, to laugh, to love, to work or play. Tasks left undone must stay that way; I've found now peace at the end of the day. If my parting has left a void, then fill it with remembered joys. A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss; Oh ves, these things, I too will I miss. Be not burdened with times of sorrow, look for the sunshine of tomorrow. My life's been full, I savored much; good friends, good times, a loved ones touch. Perhaps my time seems all too brief; don't lengthen your time with undue grief. Lift up your heart and peace to thee, God wanted me now - He set me free.

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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