# In Loving Memory of Jacqueline Samuels

Sunrise October 7, 1949 Sunset July 12, 2021



<u>Service</u>
Thursday, July 22, 2021 • 11:00 a.m.

## ROY L. GILMORE'S FUNERAL HOME, INC.

191-02 Linden Blvd. • St. Albans, New York 11412

Pastor Jay Gooding, Officiating

Dr. Frankco Harris, Organist

## Order of Service

#### Processional

Recessional

Scripture Readings Old Testament - Psalm 23 New Testament - John 14:1-7 Prayer of Consolation .......Pastor Jay Gooding Acknowledgements Viewing Benediction .......Pastor Jay Gooding

<u>Final Disposition</u>
Fresh Pond Crematory
Middle Village, New York

# <u>Obituary</u>

**Jacqueline Diane Samuels**, also known as "Jackie", was born October 7, 1949 in Brooklyn, New York to parents Jesse and Marjorie Johnson. She is the oldest of four daughters.

Growing up in the Bedford-Stuyvesant, Brownsville and East New York sections of Brooklyn, life was never dull and full of good times with plenty of family and friends to share every experience with. She attended schools P.S. 150, J.H.S. 263 and 214, Franklin K. Lane H.S., which is during the time she met and eventually married her husband, the late Michael "Mickey" Samuels, and eventually culminating her education at New York City Community College.

Jackie also had a long and fulfilling career in the Health Insurance industry, having tenured with the New York District Council of Carpenters and later with Healthcare Partners. Having since retired from both insurance organizations with a combined total of nearly 50 years of dedicated service.

To Jackie, family was everything. She was always making sure the family's needs and wants were taken care of like cooking Sunday dinner, sending out boxes of gifts to out of town relatives and making your favorite cake for any and all occasions.

There are many things Jackie is known for, but especially her cooking, her keen fashion sense, much of which she handcrafted herself, and her love of travel, with the Caribbean being a favorite destination. You can trust and believe that she did it all with a "classy-sassy" flair and a whole lot of attitude

Jackie made her transition and gained her wings on July 12, 2021, after a bout with cancer. She is celebrated by her mother Marjorie, her sisters Carolyn, Sydell and Darcell, nieces, nephews, and a ton of additional family and friends.

Heaven Has Gained An Angel As you complete this temporary journey you have embraced our hearts. Yes we mourn but realize this is where your life truly starts. Your smile sparkled greater than silver and gold, we're willing to let go of your hand so that God can grab hold. We will always love you as you have continued to love us. All we ask now is that you look down while you are above us. We are grateful that God put us in the midst of your presence. We breathe with your memory and walk with your essence. The Lord is our Shepherd He tends to us as sheep and mends the hearts that are weak, until one day we can shake his hand and sit at his feet. We don't think of you as a loss to our family that remains. We cherish you as a beautiful angel that heaven has gained!

### **Acknowledgements**

The family wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation the many expressions of love, concern and kindness shown to their family during this hour of bereavement. May God Bless and Keep You!

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