

In Loving Memory of
Marie Andree Muller

July 13, 1950 - July 20, 2021



SATURDAY, AUGUST 7, 2021 - 9:00 A.M.

Mount Olive Church of God

24 Cleveland Street • Orange, New Jersey

Pastor Joseph Monel Fleurimond and Pastor Allrich Rejouis, Officiating

Pastor Allrich Rejouis, Worship Leader

Obituary

On the behalf of my family I would like to begin by thanking everyone that is here today and for those who have sent their condolences. I have received text, flowers, cards, phone calls, visits, thoughts and prayers. The sentiments have been comforting during this difficult time and I have been reminded of the true impact my mother had on so many people. My name is Marie Joanne Muller I am Marie Andre Muller's second child. Today we honor, respect, and remember my mother A true faith believer in God and superhero mom. Let me begin to put everyone including myself at easier. She did not want this to be a sad day in our lives. My mother would say to me "don't cry God got me". So I am going try my best today to get through this the best way I can and stay strong .

Marie Andree Gouin was born on July 13, 1950 in Aquin, Haiti to Anatile Bohomme Gouin and Joseais Gouin. She was the youngest of five children Monique, Micheline , Bertha, Yvanne and Raphael. Marie left Haiti in her early 30s to came to America. She settled in East Orange, New Jersey with her sister and mother.

Marie worked for several years then met her husband Jacques Manfred Muller and they were married on September 25, 1981 in East Orange, New Jersey. The couple started a family soon and welcomed their son Jean Daniel Muller on October 28, 1981. Then eight years later Marie Joanne Muller came into the world on October 6, 1989. During those years my mother worked as a certified nursing assistant in several nursing homes in New Jersey. She worked hard to acquire a home in North Miami in hopes to retire there with her husband and children. The dream came true and she was able to purchase her home. Her husband Jacques left New Jersey for Florida to start setting up the new home in North Miami, Florida. In the summer of 1992 her husband Jacques died from a tragic accident. My mother was dead left a little having to care and provide for two young children. My mother did not complain at this time instead she worked two jobs to care for my brother and I. My mother held tightly to her trust and faith in God. She knew without a doubt that God is always in control. My mother continue to work as a certified nursing assistant at hilltop classic care center in at Saint Catherine of Siena Nursing Center.

She worked hard with determination despite the pain and sorrow of losing her husband. She remained faithful and trusted in God to make her get through any situation. My mother loved the Lord she was a member of Mount Oliver a Church of God in Orange, New Jersey. She attended church faithfully and would pray daily with her sisters. In the summer 2003 my mother made a decision to move from New Jersey to Florida. My mother and I left the north to head down south to Florida. My brother who is 20 years old at the time stayed in New Jersey. My mother and I settled into life in North Miami. Unbeknownst of her in the summer of 2007 my mother would endure another horrific loss. My brother Jean at the age of 25 was killed in an altercation in New York City. My mother was devastated the pain was overwhelming for her to be there. But again she held onto her unwavering faith in God. She would say "even when the dark clouds appear in your life it will not be dark forever eventually the sun will shine again".

I was always amazed at the amount of faith that my mother held onto despite the trials that she was put through. She truly followed the verse in Matthew 17:20 " Because you have so little faith. Truly I tell you, if you have faith like a grain of mustard seed, you can say to this mountain, 'Move from here to there,' and it will move. Nothing will be impossible for you." After several years of living in Florida my mother and I made the decision to return to New Jersey in the fall of 2019. My mother wanted to retire there and longed to return to where she began her life when she first came to the United States.

However it is during this time my mother would face the greatest obstacle in her life. As many of you may know Marie Muller was diagnosed with B cell Lymphoma in November 2020. She fought long battle with rounds of chemotherapy and radiation for well over a year and again her faith in God reigned and never faltered.

During that time I was by her side each and every day I saw what she went through it was difficult but still her faith in God remained steadfast and strong. Since her passing I reflect a lot about the day of her death I distinctly remember her being very calm and at peace as if she knew. I remember calling a list of people at her request to pray for her as if she was preparing herself to be with the Lord. I prayed with her that day and just before she passed away in my arms on July 20, 2021 at 4:07 at Robert Wood Johnson Hospital. As her daughter I feel like I grew up with the most incredible role model who taught me to always be myself. I will miss my Mom her smile, her laugh, her advice , and her love for God. If I have one thing to leave you with is to always hold to God even during the hard times because mustard seed faith can and will move mountains.

I thank you again for being here today to honor her memory. She loved you all and her memory will live in all of our lives.

Order of Service

Lecture Liturgique.....Past. Joseph M. Fleurimond
Chant / Hymn: Voir Mon Sauveur Face a Face (102 C.E.)...Past. Allrich Rejouis
Priere D'invocation/Invocation.....Diacre Dantes Dejean
Lecture/Scripture Reading: Psaume 90 v1-12
French: Pasteur Donald Luxama
English: Pasteur Wanny Manasse
Remarque.....Francoise Gouin & Yanick Hyppolite
Chant /SongBonhomme Family
Remarque.....David Jean & Nadine Jean
Eulogie / Eulogy.....Marie-Joanne Muller
Chant / SongBonhomme Family
Sermon de Circonstance.....Pastor Joseph Monel Fleurimond
Chant / Hymn: 46 Kreol Chan Desperans (An nou chante amou Jezu)
Priere Finale/Final Prayer.....Pasteur Wanny Manasse
Benediction:.....Pasteur Donald Luxama

Interment

Fairmount Cemetery
Newark, New Jersey



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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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