

Don't Cry For Me

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I married the man of my dreams

Don't cry for me

We made a great team

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I have five sisters and one brother

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They were my gift and so were many others

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I was blessed to have a great mom and dad

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They made me so glad

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I had one grandson

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His name is bear and I spent 2 and a half years with him

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He was my world

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I got to live my life

Don't cry for me

Some say I lived twice

Don't cry for me

When you look above just remember all my love



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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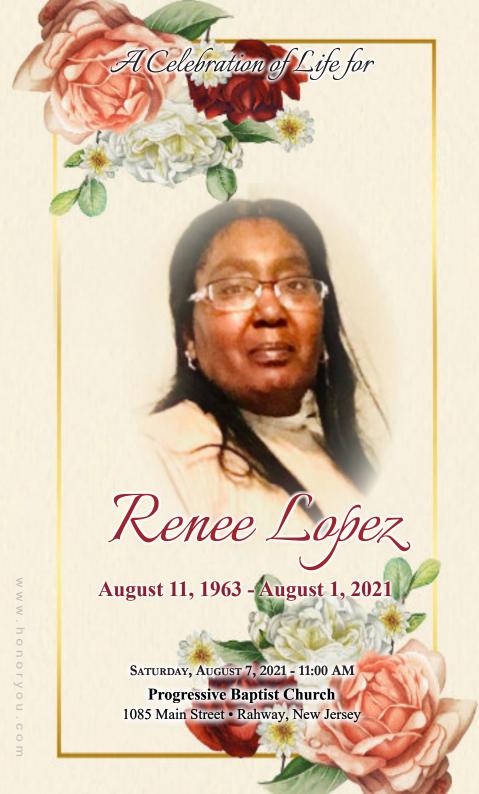
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<u>Obituary</u>

Renee Deborah Swint-Lopez was born on August 11, 1963, at Margaret Hague Hospital to Ruby Swint and William Swint Jr. She was raised by her loving mother along with three sisters and one brother. Renee is the oldest of Ruby and William's children and was second oldest of all seven of her fathers children.

Growing up Renee was a part of Weequahic Highschool Marching Band, stealing the show as part of the Pep Squad. She graduated from Weequahic High school and then moved on to join the National Guard which became one of her greatest accomplishments. She used her beautiful voice to sing for First Hopewell Baptist Church in Newark, NJ and took those talents farther by joining the choir at Progressive Baptist Church in Rahway, NJ where she called "home" and coordinated the church youth choir. She was a jack of all trades and held many interesting jobs that allowed her to see the world. While working one of those jobs she met and fell in love with her husband Jose Lopez. They were married August 27, 1992, in Rahway, NJ and became a blended family. In 1999 they bought their first home in Plainfield, NJ and continued to build a life for themselves and their two children.

Renee was a fun, compassionate, and goofy person. She always found a reason to sing and danced like no one was watching. She was the self-proclaimed "Zena" and everyone who met her thought she was wonder woman. She loved her family more than life and could make a mean Oreo pie.

Renee leaves to cherish her loving memory a husband Jose Lopez, daughter Marjorie Hill-Saint Louis, son Joseph Lopez, son in law Edwin Saint Louis, grandson Gianni Saint Louis aka Bear, mother Ruby White, four sisters Michele Goodson-Johnson (Mack Johnson), Carissa Swint, Martha Linette Awkward (George Awkward), and Ivy Felix (Timothy Felix), and one brother Abdul-Hakim Ali (Tracy Swint)

She is proceeded in death by her father William Hill Swint Jr, sister April Swint Burks, nephews Jameel Swint and Jahquil Fordham.

Order of Service

Processional-Family

Opening Selection

Scripture Reading - Minister Michaia Brown

Poem Don't Cry for me – Desiree Wallace

Obituary Reading- Trina Broadnax

Acknowledgements- Chanel Womack

Reflections- Dominique Chapman

Eulogy and Recessional – Rev. Mario Brown

<u> Pallbearers</u>

Andrew Wallace Cleveland Drakeford I

Cleveland Drakeford II Almeen Swint

Clarence Cooper Hakeem Parker

<u>Interment</u>

Rosehill Cemetery Linden, New Jersey