

Celebrating the Life of
Evelyn Alice Johnson

June 27, 1945 - August 19, 2021



Monday, September 13, 2021 - 5PM

Bethany Baptist Church

303 W. 153rd Street, New York, NY 10039

Obituary

Evelyn was born on June 27, 1945, in New York City, to the late Gwendolyn and Samuel Willis.

Evelyn attended schools in New York City. She worked for Graham Windham Agency as a daycare provider for many years.

During this time she met Arthur Lee who she dated for seven years and later married on February 24, 1962. Out of this marriage they had two children, Robin and Arthur Jr. Arthur Lee, Sr. passed on May 2, 1999.

Evelyn, better known to everyone as “Memoe” was well loved by all. She was very lovable and friendly. She will be greatly missed.

Evelyn leaves to mourn: her children, Robin and Arthur Jr. (Rovanna); twelve grandchildren, Monica (DiJon), Kelly (Johnny), Jason (Tyese), Breanna, Christopher (Antinique), Diamond (DaQuan), Michael (Amber), Kayla, Dontae, LeYanna, Jalen and Ramell (Shunill); twenty-one great grandchildren, Taivon, Jayson, Arkel, Tiara, J’Sean, Laella, Chase, Victoria, Jayce, Sky’Lah, Dae’Lynn, Miyah, Secret, Cashmere, Owen, Mariah, Cartier, Khloe, Sa’Rye, Saint and Nova; one great great grandson, Prince; four sisters-in-law, Deloris, Idella, Josephine and Pauline; three brothers-in-law, Ernest, Cedric and Leroy; one goddaughter, Tandii; and a host of nieces, nephews and cousins.

Great appreciation for all the love and support from everyone.

Order of Service

Prelude

Processional
Family

Ministry of Music
“His Eye Is On The Sparrow”

Scripture Readings
Old Testament - Psalm 23
New Testament - John 14

Prayer of Comfort
Reverend Leroy Thomas

Ministry of Music
“Amazing Grace”

Obituary
Sherri Brown

Eulogy
Reverend Leroy Thomas

Viewing

Recessional

INTERMENT:
The Evergreens Cemetery
Brooklyn, New York

REPAST
The Family invites everyone to fellowship with them at
159-38 H.R. Dr.

Park in front of building

I'm Free

Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free,
I'm following the path God laid for me.
I took his hand when I heard his call,
I turned my back and left it all.

I could not stay another day,
To laugh, to love, to work, to play.
Tasks left undone must stay that way,
I've found that peace at the close of the day.

If my parting has left a void,
Then fill it with remembered joy.
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,
Ah yes, these things I too will miss.

Be not burdened with times of sorrow,
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.
My Life's been full, I savoured much,
Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch,

Perhaps my time seemed all too brief,
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.
Lift up your heart and share with me,
God wanted me now, He set me free.

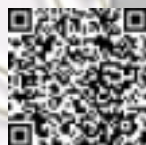
Acknowledgement

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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