

*Celebrating the Life of*



*Yvonne Bailey*

Sunrise  
February 27, 1946

Sunset  
September 2, 2021

Wednesday, September 15, 2021 - 12:00 Noon

Christ The King Catholic Church  
768 Ocean Avenue • Jersey City, New Jersey

# Obituary

**Yvonne C. Bailey**, was born in Newark, New Jersey on February 27th 1946 to Constance and Jerome Schneider. Yvonne was the older sister to her one brother Jerome Schneider Jr.

Yvonne shared her childhood memories with her friends who will remain close throughout the many years to come. Karen Jessie, “Dinky” Francine Lewis, Jeanette “Netty” Scott.

Yvonne attended Barnett Elementary School. She later graduated from Central High located in Newark, New Jersey.

Yvonne worshiped at Queen of Angels Church in Newark, New Jersey. She served as a faithful member up until the church was demolished. She then began her new journey at Christ the King Church in Jersey City, New Jersey. New bonds were forged and new memories were created. She was involved in numerous ministries such as the Women of Faith, Food Pantries and Christ the Kings Hospitality Ministry. Yvonne was also a Eucharistic Minister. This gave her great pleasure as she filled her duties as a faithful servant of the Lord.

During Yvonne’s early years, her work history started at Hart Insurance Company which then followed by a part time job at White Castle. She then began working alongside her aunt Anne at Hartwick West Nursing home in Cedar Grove. Yvonne ended her career as a biologist/scientist, retiring from ITC.

As a young adult Yvonne’s first marriage was to a Mr. Walter Davis. Later, in life her beautiful soul was to come across a Mr. John Wimberley where she would become a devoted loving mom to her only child Jerome Scott Davis. Yvonne then became a grandmother to her 5 grandchildren as well as the grandmother to Tyfee Ali, Fajr Bilal and Myesha Bilal. Not only was she their grandmother, she became everyone’s grandmother at first introduction. Anyone that has met her would forever know her “Grandma.” Yvonne married Mr. Kenneth Bailey in 1995. They shared their love for one another until her death in 2021 their union was a fruitful one. Sharing lots of laughs and great memories in Atlantic City, and “Kenny” would capture it all on film.

Yvonne loved sharing family moments. Whether it was trips to Wildwoods every summer, saving to go to Disney World with her grandkids, or getting together at 267 Hickory St., for those lavish Christmas dinners at Aunt Anne’s house. Serving others at the Christ the King food pantry gave Yvonne great joy, as she instilled the service of giving back to others into her youngest granddaughter Zaniyah.

On September 2nd 2021, Yvonne heard the Lord calling her name “JOB WELL DONE MY CHILD.” Yvonne passed away with family surrounding her bedside at Newark Beth Israel Hospital in Newark, New Jersey.

Yvonne leaves behind to mourn her death, her faithful, devoted husband Kenneth Bailey. Her Grandchildren Jerome Davis Jr., Mecca Davis, Tanasia Davis, Ibnwadu Davis, and Zaniyah Davis. Her Great Grandkids Nevaeh Davis, Kyle Davis, Zoe Davis, Tatiana Davis, Kaiden Thomas, PrinceJa’sia Brown, Ja’king Brown and Royal Jabari Hyman. As well as a host of cousin’s and friends she also leaves her loving cousin Wanda Thompson and Aunt Esther. Through us Yvonne’s legacy will forever live on.

Preceding her death, her parents; Constance and Jerome Schneider. Brother; Jerome Scott Schneider. Son; Jerome Scott Davis “Wadu” Aunt Anne, Aunt Glady, Aunt France and Uncle Richard.

# Order of Worship

Reception and Blessing and Viewing of the Body  
Introduction to the Celebration

Penitential Rite.....Confiteor  
“Lord Have Mercy”

Opening Prayer  
First Reading.....Job 19:1-23-27

Responsorial.....2nd Psalm

2nd Reading.....Romans 14: 7-12

Acclamation and Verse..... Alleluia

Holy Gospel.....Matthew 5: 1-12

Choral Reflection.....Blessed Assurance

Homily..... Deacon Charles

Intercession.....Prayer of People

Offertory.....The Family

Communion.....Shine on me

Meditation

Selection

Remarks

Final Absolution of the Body

Final Farewell

Music Efression.....I’ll Fly Away



## *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.

## *Acknowledgment*

The family wishes to thank all of you for your prayers,  
messages of comfort and the many other acts of kindness  
shown during our hour of bereavement May God continue  
to bless you in a very special way.



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