

*Celebrating the Life
of*



Stella Zolkos

Sunrise
June 3, 1954

Sunset
October 3, 2021

*Celebration of Life
Friday, October 8th 2021 - 6:00 p.m.*

T. Carrillo Funeral Service LLC

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Bronx, New York 10466

Obituary

Stella was born June 3rd 1954 in the Bronx, New York. She is the daughter of Napoleon and Elsie Zolkos. Stella had one younger Sister Eileen. She graduated from Tappan Zee High School. Her first job out of high school was at Oasis Hotel as a housekeeper. After that she worked in Fordham Hospital where she began to study nursing. Stella gave up aspirations of being a nurse once she had her children. Later in life Stella worked for First Quality Maintenance and her last job she worked as a school aide at Public School C.E.S 230.

Stella gave birth to three children Germaine in 1976, Darlene in 1988 and Jattik in 1990. She was a devoted mother, and her children were her world.

Stella enjoyed Jazz music, old school r&b, arts and crafts, and swimming. She was a handy woman that wasn't afraid to get her hands dirty. She had a deep faith in the catholic religion and was an active church member.

Stella can be described as a person that was tough but sweet. She had a strong fighting spirit with a heart full of compassion. She was a kind, gentle, loving caring soul that would give her last to anyone that's in need.

In 2012 she fell ill which was later diagnosed in 2013 as Multiple Myeloma a rare blood cancer that affects the bones and causes terrible pain. Despite her illness Stella always maintains a positive pleasant attitude. She always managed to keep a smile on her face even though she was going through a great deal of suffering. After a 9 year battle with Multiple Myeloma Stella passed away on 10/3/21.

Stella will go on to join her mother and father Napoleon and Elsie. She leaves behind her sister, 3 children and 5 grandchildren; Cojuan, Jaquan, Daequan, Jalory and Jahzeel.

Stella's giggly, smiley playful warm embrace will be terribly missed by her loved ones and all her friends.

Order of Service

Opening Prayer

Scripture Reading:
Old Testament
New Testament

Selection

Obituary

Reflections

Selection

Eulogy

Committal

Benediction

Final Viewing
As Directed By T. Carrillo Funeral Service

Recessional

Eternal Resting Place

Saturday, October 9th, 2021
White Plains Rural Cemetery
White Plains, New York

A Mother's Love

A Mother's love is something
that no one can explain,
It is made of deep devotion
and of sacrifice and pain,
It is endless and unselfish
and enduring come what may
For nothing can destroy it
or take that love away . . .
It is patient and forgiving
when all others are forsaking,
And it never fails or falters
even though the heart is breaking . . .
It believes beyond believing
when the world around condemns,
And it glows with all the beauty
of the rarest, brightest gems . . .
It is far beyond defining,
it defies all explanation,
And it still remains a secret
like the mysteries of creation . . .
A many splendored miracle
man cannot understand
And another wondrous evidence
of God's tender guiding hand.

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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