Broken Chain

We little knew that day, God was going to call your name. In life we loved you dearly, In death, we do the same.

It broke our hearts to lose you. You did not go alone. For part of us went with you, The day God called you home.

You left us beautiful memories, Your love is still our guide. And although we cannot see you, You are always at our side.

Our family chain is broken, And nothing seems the same, But as God calls us one by one, The chain will link again.

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The family acknowledges with deep appreciation all acts of kindness extended to them during this bereavement hour. God bless you for all your thoughtfulness and concern.

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Joan Patricia Wallace Redwood September 13, 1957 - October 8, 2021

Monday, October 25, 2021 - 10: 00 A.M

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Welcome & Prayer	Pastor Carlus Hamilton
Amazing GraceFull	l Gospel Tabernacle Worship Team
Great Is Thy Faithfulness Full Gospel Tabernacle Worship Team	
Visual Tributes Pre-recordings by Lorna Grey, Patricia Reid, and Rosemary Harris & Gary Laing	
Words of Encouragement #I	Battalion Pentecostal Assembly
Scripture: Psalm 23	Marcia Smith
Eulogy	Czarina Harris
Musical Tribute: Dreamland	Marcia Griffith
Scripture: John 14:1-6	Davian Cooper
Musical Tribute	
Words of Encouragement #2	
Tributes: Friend/Co-Worker Husband	
Scripture: Ecclesiastes 3:1-7	Carlene Hamilton
Song	Aretha Wallace & Family
Words of Encouragement #3 & ClosingPastor Carlus Hamilton	

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Pallbearers:
Darnell Phillips, Cameron Phillips, O'Neil Wallace, Kyle Forrester,
Migale White, Adornie Greenlees, Davian Cooper, and Steven Garvey

Repast:
Wild-Onion Restaurant
119-08 Merrick Boulevard, Jamaica, New York 11434

Joan Patricia Wallace Redwood presented herself in this world to the late Alice, better known as Lorna, and Albert Augustus Wallace on September 13, 1957 in Kingston, Jamaica. She was called Joy by her father after she captured his heart.

Joy's journey began with her mother Lorna but, by the age of eight years old, Joy went to live in Constant Spring, Jamaica, West Indies with her late Grandmother, Delores Wright (Mommy) and sisters, Rosemary, Patricia (also known as Mitzy), and Ina Wright. Only three years apart, Joy and Rosey were Batman and Robin-- mischievous and always together. She learned early that she wouldn't get in trouble if she made sure Rosey was caught in the act.

Joy was a lovable, quiet soul, and an accomplished peacemaker in this family. She loved to dance and was blessed with a voice of an angel. Joy was competitive (as most siblings are) and always the best. Joy's childhood was full of laughter, love and security and in comical contrast to her later years, featured a fight or two. Joy had a sweet smile with a kind word for people and her departure has created a void in her father's and siblings' lives to walk in this world without her.

Joy migrated to Brooklyn, New York to live with her father, step-mother and siblings, and then they all re-located to Far Rockaway, New York.

Joan (lovingly known as Auntie Joy) attended Maxwell Career Technical High School, Brooklyn, New York. She graduated in June 1976. She decided then that she wanted to work and save money before going to college. She landed her first administrative job working part time at Depository Trust Company (DTC). Soon the manager noticed her keen, systematic attention to details, which resulted in an offer of a permanent position. Joan retired from DTC after approximately 40 years of dedicated service.

In 1995, Joan pursued and earned a Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN) Degree from "School of Practical Nursing of Nassau", Long Island, New York. She put her license to work providing nurturing, diligent care for the elderly patients.

Joan began dating Trevor Redwood in 1997, they later got married on November 17, 2006. This union lasted until her passing on October 8, 2021.

Joan always strived to make someone else live better, always making herself available to help others. It was not difficult for her to go shopping for a stranger, or take someone to an appointment. She was one of the most generous, and gentle persons you would ever know. Joan loved her family near and far, and that loving, generous spirit extended to children and families around her neighborhood.

Joan faithfully served as a board member on the "Call to Action Committee" for many years until her passing.

It was Joan's nature to share, and she did that well. She will be greatly missed. It would appear as if her life was cut short, but it was not, God called her home! Her work here was finished!

Joan Patricia Wallace Redwood (Auntie Joy) is survived by Spouse: Trevor Redwood; Dad: Albert Augustus Wallace, Sr; Siblings: Rosemary, Gary, Audrey, Steve (Albert Jr), Mitzy, Laverne, Michael, Marcia, Marlon; Niece & Nephews.

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