


A black and white portrait of an elderly woman with short, curly hair, wearing glasses and a dark top. She is smiling and has her hands clasped in front of her. The background is a warm, reddish-brown color.

*In
Loving
Memory
of*

Hazel Werts

Sunrise: July 8, 1943

Sunset: November 26, 2021

A decorative border at the bottom of the page featuring white and yellow flowers on dark branches against a warm, orange-toned background.

Saturday, December 11, 2021 - 10AM

UNITY FUNERAL CHAPELS, INC.

2352 8th Avenue • New York, NY 10027

Rev. Nelson C. Dukes, Jr., Officiating

Kellie Turner, Organist

Obituary

Hazel Werts was born on July 8, 1943 in Cleveland, Ohio to the late Haster Werts and Margarite Cozart. She departed this life on November 26, 2021. After her mother's passing she came to live with her aunt, Mable Haywood Wilson in New York. She received and completed her education at Jane Addams High School.

Hazel was the type of person who would not hesitate to help anyone in distress.

Hazel joined Fountain Spring Baptist Church under the pastorate of the late Rev. Nelson C. Dukes, Sr. She remained a member until her passing. Hazel served in several ministries such as the Culinary Committee and Anniversary Committee. She was also a member of the Trustee Board and the Finance Committee.

Hazel leaves to celebrate her life of special memories: her loving daughter, Aleisa Stewart; nephew, Arnold Green (Felicia); niece, Antoinette Hill (Derek); godbrother, Michael Bertty (Liz); sister-in-law, Ernestine Williams; many godchildren; special friends whom I cherish; many nieces and nephews; and my Fountain Spring Church Family.

Order of Service

Processional

Selection

Scripture Reading:

Isaiah 26:3, 4.....Rev. Henry Jennings

Prayer..... Rev. Henry Jennings

Selection.....“I Won’t Complain”

Acknowledgements

Remarks

Obituary

Selection.....“I’m Safe in the Arms of Jesus”

Eulogy.....Rev. Nelson C. Dukes, Sr.

Committal

Viewing

Recessional

INTERMENT:
Kensico Cemetery
Valhalla, New York

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 Him call

I turned my back and left it all.

I could not stay another day.

To laugh, to love, to work or play.

Tasks left undone must stay that way,

I found that peace at the close of day.

If my parting has left a void,

Then fill it up with remembered joy.

A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,

Oh, 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 savored 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!

-author unknown

Acknowledgement

The family would like to express their deep appreciation and sincere thanks for all acts of kindness shown to them during this time of bereavement.

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