

*Celebrating the Life
of
Duquana Rockeema Miles*

**Sunrise
February 15, 1983**

**Sunset
January 13, 2022**

Friday, January 21, 2021 - 11:00 a.m.

Israel Memorial AME Church

54 Lincoln St., Newark, NJ

Rev. Ralph Terrell, Officiating

Obituary

Duquana Rockeema Miles was born on February 15, 1983 in Newark, NJ. She was the daughter of Antoinette Miles and William Godfrey, Jr.

After a lengthy illness, Duquana departed this life early Wednesday morning January 13, 2022.

Duquana was educated in Irvington and Roselle. She also attended Drake Business School.

Duquana was a loving, kind person. She liked doing hair; she even made wigs. She loved her daughter and her grandchildren Honesty and Elijah, and her niece Ioia. Duquana and her friend Tonia went to shows and Atlantic City. She was a member of Metropolitan Baptist Church.

For many years, Duquana was manager of Ashley Stewart and a card distributor, holding these positions until her health failed.

Preceded in death by her mother Antoinette Miles, sister Diora Miles and paternal grandparents Lillie Mae and William Godfrey, Sr.

Duquana leaves to cherish her memory her daughter Kajaya Miles, her father William Godfrey, Jr, her sister Dorye Braswell, her brothers Al-Duquan Miles and Paul Sanders, her grandmother Edna Miles, two grandchildren Honesty and Elijah, her aunts Paulette Hill and Karen Cunningham, her great aunt Deloris Amos, and her nieces and nephews, many cousins, and her two devoted friends Nancy Wilson and Tonia Fordes.

Order of Service

Opening Prayer Rev. Ralph Terrell

Selection

Prayer of Comfort Rev. Ralph Terrell

Scripture readings:

Old Testament Mona Barker

New Testament Helene Tucker

Solo Shaderea

Acknowledgement of cards..... Kajaya Miles

Remarks (2 minutes please)

Reading of the Obituary Edna Miles

Selection

Eulogy Rev. Ralph Terrell



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!

Acknowledgment

The family expresses their thanks for your prayers, your attendance today and all you have done to bless us. May God continue to bless you

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