## Special Times

Special times..... special moments

Taking place right before our eyes

Yet we don't take the time to realize that all

things change.

Even the things we treasure most

Only a memory will remain

So let's take the opportunity to share while we can...

Love and live each moment to the fullest

Over and over again

For time waits for no one

Not even me or you

But love lasts forever

Especially when its true

~ Gerard Drinkard

Acknowledgements

The family wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation the many expressions of love, concern and kindness shown to their family during this hour of bereavement.

May God Bless and Keep You!

## Ephesians 4:4-7

There is one body, and one Spirit,
even as ye are called
in one hope of your calling;
One Lord, one faith, one baptism,
One God and Father of all,
who is above all, and through all,
and in you all. But unto every one of
us is given grace according to the
measure of the gift of Christ.



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## IN LOVING MEMORY OF

Felicia Moss-Eaton
Sunrise
January 30, 1963

February 2, 2022



<u>Service</u>

Friday, February 18, 2022
Viewing (Wake) Start Time: 10:00 a.m.
Funeral Service Start Time: 11:00 a.m.

METROPOLITAN BAPTIST CHURCH

149 Springfield Avenue • Newark, New Jersey

Rev. Dr. David Jefferson, Sr. Esq., Senior Pastor

Obituary

Our dear **Felicia Moss-Eaton** of Newark, NJ made her departure into heaven on February 2, 2022. Felicia is survived by her loving and devoted husband Joseph E. Eaton. Dear brothers Gregory K. Moss (Loretta) and the late Kenneth C. Moss (Pat). Loving daughter of the late Anne and Felix Moss. Felicia leaves a legacy through her beloved children Austin (Khyla), Jahlil, Shannon, Nikita and the late Joseph Jr. Her precious grandchildren DeJean, JaDion, Nadia, Zen, Seven, Narayla and August. Her dear aunt Cissy Houston and Dionne Warwick as well as a host of other relatives and friends.

Felicia Ann Moss-Eaton was born into a family of gospel pioneers known as the legendary Drinkard singers. Under the direction of her mother Anne and her Aunt Cissy, Felicia grew up singing in the New Hope Baptist church in Newark. In her adolescence she enjoyed running track and field, singing, dance and modeling. She went on to win the Miss Teenage New Jersey beauty pageant. After graduating from East Orange Catholic High School, she earned her degree in business administration. Post secondary school, Felicia's passion for music fueled a singing career that would span decades as she went on to perform and record gospel, R&B and Pop with numerous iconic artists of her time. She cherished her time traveling around the world with legendary acts such as Tremaine Hawkins, Stevie Wonder, Kool and the Gang, Aretha Franklin, her aunt Cissy Houston, cousins Dionne Warwick and Whitney Houston, just to name a few.

After years of performance and travel, Felicia returned home to New Jersey where wedded her husband of 26 years Joseph. The couple, along with loving cousin Gerald and fellow choir mate Pamela, formed the gospel singing group known as "One Spirit" where they went on to travel the tri-state metropolitan area fellowshiping through praise and worship.

Felicia was well known in her community for welcoming presence, angelic voice, warm smile and keen sense of humor. She will be greeted with open arms into the Lord's choir, joining her mother Anne, father Felix, brother Kenneth, cousins Michelle, Dee Dee, Whitney and an ensemble of other family and friends.



## 23<sup>rd</sup> Dsalm

The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake. Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me. Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the LORD for ever.

Order Of Service

Ministry of Music

Choir

**Hymn of Comfort** *Choir* 

Scripture Reading
Old Testament
New Testament

**Prayer of Comfort** *Rev. Porter* 

Hymn

Resolutions, Acknowledgments and Tributes

**Obituary Reading** 

Gene James

Hymn

Gary Houston

**Eulogist** *Lula Baker* 

Recessional