

A close-up portrait of a woman with short, dark hair, smiling warmly. She is wearing a bright yellow blazer over a white top and a pearl necklace. The background is softly blurred, showing what appears to be a wooden chair back.

Celebrating The Life of
Grace Ann Greenwich

March 7, 1968 - May 22, 2022

Service Information

THURSDAY, JUNE 23, 2022

Wake Service: 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM

ETERNITY FUNERAL SERVICES, LLC

725 East Gun Hill Road • Bronx, NY 10467

FRIDAY, JUNE 24, 2022

Viewing: 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

Service 11:00 AM

GRACE BAPTIST CHURCH

52 S 6th Ave. • Mt. Vernon, NY 10550

Dr. W. Franklyn Richardson, Senior Pastor

Rev. William M. Mizell, Eulogist

Min Derrick James, Organist

Interment

Mount Hope Cemetery
Hastings-On-Hudson, NY

Order of Service

Prelude Min. Derrick James

Processional..... Pastor & Family

Opening Hymn “Blessed Assurance”

Scripture Readings

Old Testament – Psalm 46Sheldon Francis

New Testament – Romans 8: 28–39Sheldon Francis

Hymn “Sweet Hour of Prayer”

Prayer of Consolation

Acknowledgments.....Joyce Kelly (Church Clerk)

Obituary Stephen Greenwich Blue (Son)

Sacred Music

Hymn Of Comfort..... Amazing Grace

Eulogy..... Rev. William M. Mizell

Final Instructions.....Eternity Funeral Service Directors

Recessional



Obituary

Grace Greenwich was born March 7, 1968, to Varlo & Nathaniel Greenwich. Grace was the middle child of three children. Grace had one son Stephen Greenwich Blue who was the love of her life who she would have done anything for.

There was nothing Grace could not do. Growing up Grace was always in her books and always made the Honor Roll. In High school she played in the band, ran track and was a cheerleader. Grace was always involved in something to enhance her growth. Grace enjoyed music, reading and dancing.

Grace was ambitious, loving, caring, strong, intelligent, and educated woman. Grace chose a career devoted to helping students in college pursuing their love and dreams. Grace has a Bachelor of Arts degree from New York University and completed her graduate work at Harvard University. Grace had over 25 years of comprehensive leadership, development and external relations experience within higher education and non-profit organizations. Grace has held positions in eight educational and cultural institutions, including New York University, Teachers College Columbia University, Pratt Institute Seattle University School of Law, and Temple University. Grace received many awards for her service in the community including the National Bar Association's Presidents Award, Cambridge City Council Award for Volunteerism, New York University President's Service Award, the Seattle University School of Law Black Law Student Association Faculty/Staff, and the Loren Miller Bar Association Appreciation Award and was inducted into Kappa Delta Pi, one of the most prestigious international educational honor societies. Grace accomplished a lot, but she always wanted to continue going further in life. Grace's last job which she was excited about getting was in Seattle as a Chief Development Officer.

Grace's greatest source of pride is her son Stephen and former United States Marine. Grace's proudest moment was being able to attend her son Stephen's graduation on May 14, 2022 and see him cross the stage of Kansas Wesleyan University with his master's degree of Business Administration: Sports Management. She also loved her furry baby Sir Simon Ian, and you could not refer to him as dog because she would correct you on the spot.

Grace loved the Lord and loved singing in the choir growing up. She had a beautiful voice and loved singing for the Lord.

A Few Words from Grace's Family & Friends

I've had the pleasure of knowing Grace for over 30 years when we met in college in Chicago and her passion for higher learning was infectious. It is evident in her son Stephen with his impressive educational achievements; as well as how she helped my own daughter achieve her recent educational goals. She has been such a valuable friend and has made such a positive impact in my life and my family and she will be deeply missed - Alisa Charles.

On May 22, 2022, Grace Greenwich went home to be with the Lord. She is survived by her parents, Varlo and Nathaniel, Siblings, Paul and Arlene, and her son Stephen and furry baby Simon.

“Blessed Assurance”

Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine;
Oh, what a foretaste of glory divine!
Heir of salvation, purchase of God,
Born of His Spirit, washed in His blood.

Refrain.

This is my story, this is my song,
Praising my Savior all the day long.
This is my story, this is my song,
Praising my Savior all the day long.

Perfect submission, perfect delight,
Visions of rapture now burst on my sight;
Angels descending, bring from above
Echoes of mercy, whispers of love. [Refrain]

Perfect submission, all is at rest,
I in my Savior am happy and blest;
Watching and waiting, looking above,
Filled with His goodness, lost in His love. [Refrain]



“Amazing Grace”

Amazing grace! how sweet the sound,
That saved a wretch; like me!
I once was lost, but now am found,
Was blind, but now I see.

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,
And grace my fears relieved;
How precious did that grace appear
The hour I first believed!

Through many dangers, toils and snares
I have already come
'Twas Grace that brought me safe thus far
And Grace will lead me home
And Grace will lead me home.

When we've been there ten thousand years,
Bright shining as the sun,
We've no less days to sing God's praise
Than when we first begun.



Precious Memories





Acknowledgement

The family of **Grace Ann Greenwich** acknowledges with great appreciation all acts of kindness, sympathy and love extended to us during this time of bereavement.



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