

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 his call, I turned my back and left it all.

I could not stay another day, To laugh, to love, to work, to play. Tasks left undone must stay that way, I've found that peace at the close of the day.

If my parting has left a void, Then fill it with remembered joy. A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss, Ah 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 savoured 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.

Acknowledgement

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



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Kathy J. Dobson

Sunrise November 2, 1966 Sunset July 28, 2022

Celebrating The Life

Service: Thursday, August 4, 2022 at 6:00pm

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Order of Service

Organ Prelude

Prayer of Comfort

Solo

Scripture

Family Tribute

Acknowledgment and Resolutions

Obituary

Solo

Eulogy

Benediction

Recessional

In memory of The Harlem Firecracker And God-Fearing woman

Kathy Felice Dobson

We are here today to pay tribute to our loved family member **Kathy Felice Dobson** and want to thank all in attendance both physical and in spirit for celebrating her acceptance into heaven and sharing her best moments on earth. Kathleen and Laurie Dobson gave birth to Kathy in Harlem, NY. She had three sisters -the eldest Faith Marie Dobson, Laura Khori Dobson and guardian angel Linda Diane Dobson. Kathy gave birth to three sons- the eldest Lakeem Dobson Williams, Khori Lakeem Dobson, and Malik Byron Alexander Dobson. Preceding Kathys' death was her parents, Khori and Maliks father Michael Mackie, and beloved sister Linda. Kathy also had extended family who took care of her including Patty and Kirby Ricks, Tynesha Starling (mother of Kathys' God-daughter, Imahni Carpenter), Alicia Pringle, Maurice, Margie Deal, and many others.

In Kathy's early years in high school, she excelled in subjects like literature and English and enjoyed activities such as basketball, dancing, rollercoaster rides and other thrilling engagements. She graduated Walterboro high school and attended Denmark Technical School, and Kean University. In her mid-life, she worked at the YMCA as a coordinator and full-time at Fedex in Elizabeth, all while taking care of her sons with the help from her sisters and the Ricks family. Kathy was honored by the Mayor of Elizabeth for her contributions and her advocacy for homeless families. Kathy Felice Dobson was also a trustee at Memorial Baptist Church in Harlem.

She was known for being spontaneous. Kathy always took people out, took the family on their first vacation, and she'd get gifts just to say, "I love you". In Kathy's later years, she still maintained a steady income, but her health condition got progressively worse and impaired her ability to continue at her job.

She passed away on Thursday, July 28, 2022, at 3:45pm. But right before she died, Kathy made sure to let her family know that she was not in pain. Kathy lived a happy life filled with exciting moments of inspiration for all of us. She did favors without expectations. She blessed people because they needed it. She raised her children in the church to ensure they knew their worth as children of God. And she left behind a proud legacy for her family to learn from and continue.

