# Celebrating the Life of Elizabeth C. Bragg Sunrise: December 9, 1944

Sunset: October 29, 2022



## <u>Obituary</u>

**Elizabeth Carry Bragg**, was born on December 9, 1944, to proud parents, Gary and Thelma Robinson in Brooklyn, New York. Out of her five siblings, she was the third and the only one born in their family's Brooklyn apartment. From that day on her parents knew that she was going to be very different.

"La Liz" as her siblings would call her, gained her education in public schools in Brooklyn where she excelled in her grades. At the age of 15 she became a young mother to her first born Robin Robinson.

At the age of 22, she began her career in managing well known nightclubs and bars throughout Brooklyn. She was known as "Libby" by then. All of the owners of the establishments and the community respected her hard work. They knew that if "Libby" didn't like you, it showed in her demeanor and her choice words.

On any given night, you could see her stepping out in one of her many minks or fur coats and draped in diamond jewelry. She traveled around the world and attended boxing and basketball events. She was a socialite, before the word became popular.

It was not long after William Bragg caught her eyes and captured her heart. In 1966, soon after they met, they married. Their union produced three children, Sharon Bragg, Jamel Bragg and last born Demetrius Bragg.

Later on, Elizabeth gave her life to Christ and has dedicated the past 20+ years to her new love. She enjoyed going to church services and hearing praise and worship. Her favorite saying was "God willing", meaning her faith was in him. She would always have gospel music on repeat while relaxing in the comforts of her home. Elizabeth always promoted family and how checking for one another was important. She later became known as "Queen Elizabeth" by her children.

After a long battle with illnesses, on October 29<sup>th</sup>, Elizabeth was called home to be with her Heavenly Father. She has joined her late husband, her parents, her two sisters, Cookie and Lilly Robinson and her granddaughter, Maisha "Sabine" Bragg. Elizabeth lived her life to the fullest and wanted her love ones to as well.

Elizabeth Bragg is survived by: three brothers, Gary Robinson, Jr., Arthur Robinson and David Robinson; her four children, Robin Bragg, Sharon Bragg, Jamel Bragg and Demetrius Bragg; her seven grandchildren, Jeanette Green-Lesperance, Eric Green, Rodney Sydnor, Jasmine Sydnor, Borneisha Bragg, Demetrius Bragg, Jr., Princess Allahna Bragg; her nine great grandchildren, Alanna Henderson, Gregory Lesperance, Jr., Nya Hudgins, Erica Green, Josiah Green, Hope Green, Aaliyah Sydnor, Aameah Sydnor, and Raishaun White, Jr.

The real Queen Elizabeth is now resting with her Lord and Savior.

#### Antioch Baptist Church 515 W. 125th Street, New York, NY 10027

#### ORDER OF SERVICE

Pastor Michele Evans, Officiating Jonathan Harrell, Organist

#### Processional

**Solo**Justin Cromwell

Scripture Readings
New Testament - Kim Wilkerson
Old Testament - Leandria Walker

**Prayer** Elder designate Dabe Jones

**Solo** Kyetah Bryan

**Acknowledgements**Sarai Smith

Remarks

**Obituary** Sarai Smith

**Solo**Justin Cromwell

Eulogy Pastor Leon

Committal

Viewing

Recessional

#### **INTERMENT:**

Frederick Douglass Memorial Park Staten Island, New York

#### **REPAST:**

3480 Broadway, New York, NY 10031 3PM - 9PM

## Psalm 4:8

"In peace I will lie down and sleep, for you alone, Lord, make me dwell in safety."

### 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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