



Celebrating the Life of

Debra G. Daniels Johnson

Sunrise: September 20, 1950 – Sunset: October 22, 2022

Saturday, November 5, 2022 - 5pm

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Obituary

Debra Daniels Johnson was born on September 20, 1950 in Harlem, New York to the late Ruth Washington and Nova Daniels.

Debra received her education in the New York City Public School system.

Debra attended Hostos Community College and received an Associate's Degree in 1991. She furthered her education at Fordham University where she received her Master's Degree in Social Work in 2004.

Debra was employed at Rose House as a supervisor for The Horizon Program. She was also employed at Volunteers of America as a Clinical Social Worker and Program Director.

Debra met a strange person by the name of Leonard Johnson in 1988 and they started a journey together which led them to getting married on May 6, 1995. Together they enjoyed bowling, fishing, music, traveling and attending Mount Nebo Baptist Church.

Debra is preceded in death by her sister, Kim Poe; daughter, Sheena Daniels; and son, Lamont King.

She leaves to cherish her memory: her sister, Linda Poe; devoted husband, Leonard; son, Josef Daniels; bonus daughters, Karen, Tyeaesis and Khyrra; grandchildren, Natalia, Christian, Laquan, Natasha and Trayvin; sisters-in-law, Debra James and Laura Tyler; brothers-in-law, JC Tyler and Dwight Johnson; and a host of nieces, nephews, great nieces, great nephews, great-great nieces, great-great nephews, family and friends.

Although Debra was a very private person, everyone knew she had a very big heart and loved the children. Debra will be truly missed.

Order of Service

Processional

Selection

“Open My Heart” (Yolanda Adams)

Scripture Readings

Prayer

Selection

“Going Up Yonder”

Acknowledgements

Remarks

Obituary

Selection

“I’ll Fly Away”

Eulogy

Committal

Viewing

Recessional

FINAL DISPOSITION:
Oxford Hills Crematory
Chester, New York

GOD'S GARDEN

God looked around His garden
And He found an empty place.
He then looked down upon this Earth,
and saw your tired face.
He put His arms around you and
Lifted you to rest.
God's garden must be beautiful,
He always takes the best.
He knew that you were suffering,
He knew you were in pain.
He knew that you would never
Get well on earth again.
He saw the road was getting rough,
And the hills were hard to climb,
So He closed your weary eyelids,
And whispered "Peace be thine."
It broke our hearts to lose you
But you didn't go alone,
For part of us went with you,
The day God called you home.

Written in love embraced in sorrow here today gone
Tomorrow you've picked up your wings on your way
To see the King Heaven awaits Sister dear I will miss
You and remember you daily until we meet again love you
~ With Love, Linda Poe

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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