

Celebrating The Life of

Curdis Victoria Lewis

November 17, 1964 - January 16, 2023



Service Information

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 2023
Viewing: 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM
Service: 10:00 AM

GRACE NEW LIFE CENTER
19 The Boulevard • New Rochelle, NY 10801
Bishop Dr. Orville Beckford, Sr., Senior Pastor

Officiating Minister
Bishop Dr. Roger Ball, Executive Pastor
(Family Worship Center, Bronx, NY)

Interment
Kensico Cemetery
Valhalla, NY

Repast
Grace New Life Center - Fellowship Hall
19 The Boulevard, New Rochelle, NY 10801

Pallbearers
Leon Bussue (Brother)
Frank Paris (Close Friend)
Dave Condell (Brother)
Dexter Bussue (Brother)
Mikey Condell (Cousin)
Aleks Condell (Brother)
Elroy Barry (Cousin)
Yoga Peters (Cousin)

Order of Service

Viewing

Invocation and Welcome Bishop Dr. Roger Ball

Hymn..... “When We All Get To Heaven”

Scripture Reading:

Old Testament Reading - Psalm 23..... Patricia Griffith (Close Friend)

Tribute:

Tribute in Poem..... Leon Bussue (Brother)

Scripture Reading:

Old Testament Reading

Ecclesiastes 3:1-11 Fay Lewis (Sister-In-Law)

Tribute:

Tribute in Dance Verona Forde (Cousin)

Scripture Reading:

New Testament Reading

1 Thessalonians 4:13-18 Dexter Bussue (Brother)

Open Reflection

Eulogy Shurmella Condell Aslan (sister) /Diana Baker (Close Friend)

Tribute:

Tribute in Music..... Aleks Condell (Brother)

Hymn..... By and By when the Morning Comes

Sermon Bishop Dr. Roger Ball

Acknowledgments / Thank you Chantel Lewis (Daughter)

Prayer of Comfort for the Family Pastor Judith Esdaille,
Mt. Carmel Pentecostal Church

Hymn “I’ll Fly Away”

Final Viewing & Instructions Eternity Funeral Services Directors

Recessional

Obituary

Curdis Williams (Condell) Lewis

November 15, 1964


January 16, 2023

Curdis Victoria Williams Lewis was born November 15, 1964 on the charming island of Nevis, in the West Indies. She was born to Gloria Williams and (Wilson) Wyclide Condell. Curdis was the ninth of thirteen children; the first of seven children to her mother and the fifth of her father's eight children. Curdis was raised with her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Williams and moved back and forth from Nevis to St Maarten with her grandmother. Finally, Curdis settled down and stayed in St. Maarten where she attended, competed in sports, and completed her schooling. Curdis possessed a quiet demeanor, never wanting to be burdensome nor bothersome to anyone.

Although from large families, she grew up for a period of her life as an only child. These moments shaped her individuality, her love for family, her sociable personality, and her ability to show kindness in every aspect of her life.

Upon graduating from High school, St. Maarten Academy, she moved back to Nevis in September 1983. She stayed with her grandmother Mabel (Mammy RIP) until 1988. Mammy instilled love and kindness into Curdis. She learned many great St. Kitts-Nevis recipes, developed the love for cooking, baking, and cleaning. Many times, Curdis was very easy going, smiled often and had a fun-loving spirit. Curdis' journey was not one of roses; however, she has always exemplified a strength like no other. She loved adventure and to






explore, and in September of 1988, she left for New York and stayed with her dad's brother (uncle Franklyn Condell (RIP)). Some of the places she traveled to were St. Kitts, Montserrat, Antigua, St. Maarten, Anguilla, Saba, St. Eustatia, St. Thomas and St. Croix US VI, Puerto Rico, Morocco, Canada, and (UK) England.

Curdis loved "love," and in April 1989, she met Samuel L. Lewis and married him in 1993. They shared great memories and traveled to Canada, Ohio, Michigan, Virginia, and Georgia. She gave birth to Michael Andrew Lewis (RIP) February 18, 1995, however, he died within a few days. On May 5, 1998, they were again blessed to birth a healthy, bouncing baby girl named Chantel Fayiona Lewis. She exemplified the meaning of motherhood even while she worked as a Diagnostic Technician in Mid-Town Manhattan at a Medical Facility. She demonstrated strong family support to her daughter, who meant the world to her, her mother, husband, siblings as well as members of her family including her in-laws. Even though Curdis seemed reserved to many, those who knew her knew she loved to tell jokes wherever she went. Curdis was vibrant! She made friends very easily but kept little. She was spontaneous, very giving and always sharing. She was even able to re-energize her love for baking and that passion was felt by others with the velvety taste of her craft. She made it her business to call and connect with family members, who most may not remember, and be a listening ear and a comforting shoulder. Most of all she was a family storyteller and connector and will truly be missed by all!

Curdis is survived by: Samuel Lewis (Husband), Chantel Lewis (Daughter), Gloria Williams (Mother), Wyclide Condell (Father), Iris Bussue (Sister), Patterson Bussue (Brother), Leon Bussue (Brother), Laverne Bussue (Sister), Dexter Bussue (Brother), Sonia Bussue (Sister), Elvis Bowry (Brother), Carmen Condell (Sister), Valdine Henry (Sister), Dave Condell (Brother), Aleks Condell (Brother), Shurmella Condell-Aslan (Sister), Sherry Condell-Jackson (Sister). The Lewis Family, Williams Family, Condell Family Bowry Family, Mills Family, Peters Family, Walters Family & Baker Family. A host of nieces, nephews, cousins, neighbors, and friends.



Sing the wondrous love of Jesus,
Sing His mercy and His grace;
In the mansions bright and blessed
He'll prepare for us a place.

Refrain:

When we all get to heaven,
what a day of rejoicing that will be!
When we all see Jesus,
we'll sing and shout the victory!

While we walk the pilgrim pathway
Clouds will overspread the sky;
But when trav'ling days are over
Not a shadow, not a sigh. [Refrain]

Let us then be true and faithful,
Trusting, serving ev'ry day;
Just one glimpse of Him in glory
Will the toils of life repay. [Refrain]

Onward to the prize before us!
Soon His beauty we'll behold;
Soon the pearly gates will open—
We shall tread the streets of gold. [Refrain]

When We Shall Get to Heaven

Now I'll Fly Away

Some glad morning when this life is o'er,
I'll fly away;
To a home on God's celestial shore,
I'll fly away (I'll fly away).

Chorus

I'll fly away, Oh Glory
I'll fly away; (in the morning)
When I die, Hallelujah, by and by,
I'll fly away (I'll fly away).

When the shadows of this life have gone,
I'll fly away;
Like a bird from prison bars has flown,
I'll fly away (I'll fly away)

Chorus

Just a few more weary days and then,
I'll fly away;
To a land where joy shall never end,
I'll fly away (I'll fly away)





Acknowledgement

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