Celebrating The Life of Joyce Dovis Malloy

Sunrise August 24, 1934 Sunset June 4, 2023



Thursday, June 15, 2023 • 10:00 a.m.

The Greater Allen A.M.E. Cathedral of New York

110-31 Floyd H. Flake Boulevard • Jamaica, New York, 11433

The Reverend Elaine. M. Flake, D. Min., Pastor

The Reverend Rasheed Baird, Officiating

Order of Service

Prelude
Final Viewing
Opening Song" "I Can Only Imagine" - Tamika Smith-Frederick
Prayer of Comfort
Scripture Readings: Old Testament: Psalm 150 New Testament: John 14:1-7
Selection "If It Had Not Been for the Lord on My Side" - Tamika Smith-Frederick
Acknowledgment of Condolences
Resolution
Obituary
Selection
Eulogy
Moments of Meditation
Closing Prayer
Benediction
Recessional "Every Praise"

Pinelawn Cemetery Farmingdale, New York

Interment

Obituary

Joyce Doris Malloy, was affectionately known as Mommy Joyce to her grandchildren, and Dippie to the rest of her family. She was born in Harlem, NY, on August 24, 1934, to Annie Mae Kollock and Daniel Malachai Malloy, and raised in Fort Greene, Brooklyn.

Living across the street from Cumberland Hospital inspired her to become a nurse. Joyce was exceptionally bright and graduated from Freedmen's Hospital School of Nursing (Howard University), where she received her Registered Nurse (RN) license. Continuing her education was very important to Joyce, obtaining both a bachelor's and master's degree in nursing from Adelphi University and New York University.

Joyce was very devoted to her nursing career. After spending several years as head clinician at Queens General Hospital, she was inspired to teach and mentor future nurses. She began teaching senior nursing students at Clara Barton High School. At Clara Barton Joyce was inspired to motivate the student to pursue higher education. Joyce was so inspirational that she inspired her niece Penni Malloy, great niece Cheriese Williams and granddaughter Chioma Brown to become Registered Nurses.

She was such an excellent motivator, that Joyce was recruited as a guidance counselor at The School for Pregnant Teens in Jamaica, Queens, where she stayed until retirement. After retirement, she never slowed down, she worked at Thomas Edison High School doing high school placements and transfers for the New York City Board of Education. She also did substitute nursing in the school system and worked at the voting polls in Baldwin, Long Island during the elections.

Joyce was a very active member of Chi Eta Phi nursing sorority and, along with several members of her Chapter, traveled to Senegal, West Africa, in the early 1990's to adopt a village and provide them with medical supplies and nursing advice to improve the healthcare in that region. Joyce was an active member of The Greater Allen A.M.E Cathedral of New York in Queens.

After showing advanced signs of dementia, benevolence, caring, and selfsacrifice were exhibited by her oldest daughter Wendi, who took on the responsibility of caring for her and Lori's three children.

Joyce loved art, music, travel, and the simplicities of life. Joyce will be missed by many, but she will be known in the presence of God that she did her share in showing her family, students, and friends that anything is possible if you believe.

As part of her lasting legacy of love, she leaves to cherish two daughters, Wendi Joy Toomer and Carla Khadijah Aniagoh; her son Charles Toomer; twelve grandchildren, nine great-grandchildren; a sister, Honorable Judge Rosalind Malloy and, Dr. Tyrone Malloy. She has a host of grandchildren, great children, nieces, nephews, great grandnieces and grand nephews and cousins who will cherish the memories they shared. She was predeceased by her daughter Lori, her oldest sister Anne Malloy Thomas, and brothers Daniel and Marcus Malloy.

Dsalm 23

The Lord is My Shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures; He leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul. He leadeth me in the path of righteousness for His name's sake. Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil; for Thou art with me; Thy rod and Thy staff they comfort me. Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies. Thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life; and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.

Heknowledgements

The family wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation the many expressions of love, concern and kindness shown to their family during this hour of bereavement.

May God Bless and Keep You!

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