

Pallbearers

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23rd Psalm

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 paths 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.

God Took Her To His Loving Home

God saw her getting tired, a cure was not to be. He wrapped her in His loving arms and whispered, "Come with Me". She suffered much in silence, her spirit did not bend. She faced her pain with courage, until the very end. She tried so hard to stay with us, but her fight was not in vain, God took her to His loving home and freed her from the pain.

Acknowledgement

We would like to acknowledge all acts of kindness during this period of bereavement. We are assured that God sent you into our lives for moments such as these. Words alone cannot express how your visits, telephone calls, food, flowers, cards and most of all your prayers and inspirational messages have comforted us. May God continue to bless each of you.

-The Family of the late Joyce Ann Holmes

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CELEBRATING
The Life

of



Joyce Ann Holmes

November 26, 1944 - August 9, 2015

Service

11:00 AM, Saturday, August 15, 2015

Philippian Community Church

7578 New Kings Road
Jacksonville, FL 32219

Bishop Virgil C. Jones, Sr., Pastor
Pastor Anthony Mincey, Officiating

Obituary

Joyce Ann Holmes journey began on November 26, 1944, born to the late Richard J. Culp and Rosa Bell Culp in Jacksonville, Florida. Joyce parents had ten children, one son and nine daughters of which Joyce was the ninth girl. Joyce graduated from Stanton High School and soon after high school Joyce met and married Robert Lee Burke and was a stay at home mom. To this union their son Romallice Robert Burke was born. Joyce later married a second time, to Leonard B. Holmes and had another son, Rodriguez Holmes and daughter, Adrian Holmes.

Joyce worked for Revlon for 15 years and was known for her ease in frequent conversation with even total strangers, some may be surprised to learn that she was extremely shy. Even as a child, she possessed a contagious smile and an entertaining sense of humor. Throughout her life she maintained a sweet and simple demeanor that won the trust and hearts of many who even now are being changed by her witness of constant nurturing love and faith. Her signature gift of joy, shown through her constant smile, laughter, and joking around, will never be forgotten.

Joyce learned to be happy, and wouldn't tolerate being around people who made her feel anything less. She believed her job was to reach out to the difficult people because; it's about caring for and helping the broken hearted. When you do this then you will know true happiness and peace. Until then, you will never know who God really is.

Joyce departed this life to eternity on Sunday, August 9, 2015 and was preceded in death by her parents, Richard J. Culp and Rosa Bell Culp; sisters, Doris Cuyler of Brooklyn, NY, Mercedes Carter and brother, John Porter.

Joyce leaves to cherish her memories her children, Romallice Burke, Rodriquez Holmes (Rashema), and Adrian Reeves (Terrence); grandchildren, Chistian Burke, Kieria Anderson, Rodriquez Holmes, Jr., Tationna Holmes, Brianna Holmes, Terrence Reeves, Jr., Tyrion Reeves, Taveon Reeves and Romallice Burke; sisters, Aretha Johnson, Rosa Porter, Alberta Mincey, Verdie Mae Gamble, Betty Irvin (Joe) of Scott Plains, NJ, Deloris Daniels (George) and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, godchildren, other relatives and friends.

“Farewell My Love”.

Order of Service

Processional

Musician Lonnie Samuels

Prayer Pastor Anthony Mincey

Scripture Pastor Anthony Mincey

Selection Loretta Herrera

Reflections (2 Minutes Please)

Selection

Words of Comfort Pastor Anthony Mincey

Recessional

Interment

Restlawn Cemeteries
2600 Ribault Scenic Drive
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