







<u>Pallbearer</u>

William Farrington
Cedric Simms
Kendrick Farrington
Gary Medlin
Raython Dawkins
Wallace Dawkins



Floral Bearers

Amanda Farrington Lakema Barnes Sherie Medlin Marcy Fisher Kyra Townsend Apryl Kelley



Acknowledgements

The Kelly Family express their heartfelt appreciation for your sympathy in our time of grief. Thank you for your love and support. Your thoughts and prayers after Kathy's passing was felt by us all. Thank you for your sympathy during this time. May God continue bless you.

The Family



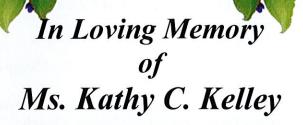
Services Entrusted To:

Albright Funeral Home Inc. 500 S. Salem Street Apex, NC 27502 919-362-8329



Program Design

Memorable Moments by Helen Benson, North Carolina 919-300-1413



Sunrise July 13, 1953 Sunset July 19. 2021



Saturday, July 31, 2021 Service 1:00 PM

Hatcher Grove Christian Community 3404 Davis Drive Cary, NC 27519

Pastor Clifton Scott
New Life Ministries, Fuquay Varina, NC
Eulogist

ORDER OF SERVICE

Final Viewing

Recessional



Internment

Holly Springs City Cemetery 451 Earp Street Holly Springs, NC



THE OBITUARY

Kathy Farrington Kelley, daughter of the late George Grimsley and Mattie Mae Lyons, was born July 13, 1953 in Wake County North Carolina. She gained her wings on July 19, 2021 at Duke Raleigh Hospital.

Kathy was baptized at Hatcher Grove Baptist Church, where she also served as Directress for the Young Ushers of Hatcher Grove.

Kathy was educated in the Wake County Public School System and studied at Wake Technical Community College. She was employed at Kellogg's since 1973, though it went through many name changes.

Kathy was a blessing to many and a phenomenal woman. She was a loving mother, a doting grandmother, sister, aunt, cousin, and caring friend. She was your counselor; always willing to lend her ear and offered caring advice as well as brutally honest advice whether you were capable of handling it or not. Those who knew her know she was always on the move and enjoying her many interests.

Kathy is preceded in death by five sisters, Mary Louise Medlin, Mary Perkins, Geraldine Hedgepeth, Margeline Austin, and Belinda Lyons; five brothers, Thomas Farrington, Otis Farrington, Curtis Farrington, Kenny Farrington and John Grimsley.

Kathy leaves to cherish her loving memories one daughter, Stephanie Kelley of Apex, NC, grandson De'Vonta Watkins of Apex, NC. Four sisters, Willie Mae Farrington of Durham, NC, Hattie (Shelia) Farrington of Holly Springs, NC, Angela Lyons of Apex, NC and Sherry Grimsley of Durham, NC; three brothers, Wallace L. Farrington and George Farrington of Apex, NC, and Barry Grimsley of Durham, NC, as well as a host of very special nieces, nephews, and other relatives and friends.



God Saw Her Getting Tired

God saw that Kathy was getting tired

And a cure was not to be

So, he put His arms around her

And whispered, "Come to me."

With tearful eyes we watched her

As she slowly slipped away

And though we loved her dearly

We couldn't make her stay.

A golden heart stopped beating

Her tired hands were laid to rest

God broke our hearts to prove to us

He only takes the best.

