

Dear Grandma

Author: Unknown

*You're not that far away.
We can still envision your smile.
God brought you to be with Him,
But we'll see you in a while.*

*Those days when we are feeling down,
And we feel we're apart,
We promise to never overlook you
But to look inside our hearts.*

*The memories we have of you,
They're filled with love and care,
And even though you've gone away,
I know that you're still there.*

*I wish that we could sit and laugh
Like we used to do,
But heaven needed another angel,
And yes, we get that too.*

~The Grandchildren~



THE HEAVENLY JOURNEY



Floral Bearers

Nieces & Friends

Pall Bearers

Nephews & LCHS Varsity Football Team

Broken Chain

By: Ron Tranmer

We little knew that morning
God was to call your name.
In life we loved you dearly,
In death we do the same.
It broke our hearts to lose you,
You did not go alone.
For part of us went with you
The day God called you home.
You left us beautiful memories,
Your love is still our guide,
And though we cannot see you,
You are always at our side.
Our family chain is broken,
and nothing seems the same,
But as God calls us one by one,
The chain will link again.

~ Your loving Husband & Children

Acknowledgements

The family wishes to express their sincere appreciation for the many prayers, kind deeds and comforting expressions during Patricia's illness.

~The Family

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Tempting Congregational Church
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Sanford, NC 27330

Professional Services Entrusted To:

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Homegoing Celebration Of

Patricia Anne McKinney Roberts



Sunrise
July 8, 1956



Sunset
November 16, 2018

*Who can find a virtuous woman?
for her price is far above rubies.
Proverbs 31:10*

Saturday, November 24, 2018
1:00 pm

Tempting Congregational Church

398 Tempting Church Rd.
Sanford, North Carolina
Reverend Barry Palmer
Pastor



Order of Service

Prelude

Processional.....Clergy & Family

Hymn
“Blessed Assurance”.....New Hope AME Zion Church Choir

Scripture Reading:

Old Testament
Proverbs 31:10-31.....Sis. Charlotte McMillian

New Testament
II Timothy 4:7-8..... Rev. Joseph Marsh
Pastor, Green Grove AME Zion Church, Sanford, NC

Prayer of Comfort.....Rev. Maximiliano McMillian
Pastor, New Hope AME Zion Church, Sanford, NC

Selection.....Elder Nathane Hooker
Pastor, Recovery Room Ministries, Carthage, NC

Acknowledgements.....Sis. Marva Jeffries (Sister-In-Law)

Obituary (Read Silently)

Selection.....Bro. Freddie Murchison

Reflections (2 minutes please)

Janet Brown
Co-Worker – Central Carolina Hospital

Linda Stokes
Kids Peace Foster Care Agency

Family
Robert Malloy (Grandson) & Nakiaah Thompson (Granddaughter)
Minister Cassandra Fuller (Sister)

Musical Tribute.....Grandchildren & Family

Words of Comfort.....Rev. Michael A. Miller Jr. (Nephew)
Pastor, Salem Missionary Baptist Church, Anderson, SC

Recessional.....New Hope AME Zion Church Choir

Interment

Lee Memory Garden
2600 Hawkins Avenue
Sanford, NC 27330



Obituary



Patricia Anne Miller McKinney- Roberts was born July 8, 1956 in Stamford, CT to the late George and Bernice Miller. She attended Norwalk High School in Norwalk, CT where she participated in many activities such as track and field, band, and tennis. She enjoyed ice skating, singing and fashion. Growing up she was a member of Calvary Baptist Church, in Norwalk, CT where she attended Sunday School and served on the Jr. Usher Board and the choir. She later received her Associates degree in Medical Office Technology from Central Carolina Community College.

In 1974 she married the late Steven E. McKinney Sr. and to this union two children were born: Stephanie Monique McKinney and Shaki Lamar McKinney. She later married Glen Roberts in 1998 and relocated to Sanford, NC where she became a member of New Hope AME Zion Church and served on the Usher Board, Voices in Praise choir, and the Stewardess Board.

She was employed at Pathmark Supermarket, Norwalk, CT; Sanford Medical Group, Sanford, NC; and Central Carolina Hospital, Sanford, NC. You could always count on her to greet you in the halls with a warm smile and a friendly good morning.

Patricia loved her family and loved to cook especially her world-famous potato salad. She enjoyed shopping, particularly at Belk, Cato, Walmart and yard sales. She loved quartet gospel music and would travel all over with her husband to attend musical programs. One of her favorite past times was to participate in the local Zumba classes with her daughter-in-law, Devona. Her favorite vacation place was the beach or anywhere with water. Many Thanksgiving holidays were spent at the beach with her family.

Patricia loved people and always made them feel welcomed and special. She provided love, wisdom and honesty to all she came in contact with. She became a foster parent and opened her home to many children, adopted them into her family and regarded them as her own children stayed in contact with them until the time of her illness.

She leaves to cherish fond memories, her husband, Glen Roberts of the home; three daughters, Stephanie McKinney (Rodney) of Sanford, NC; Dena Roberts (Ed) of St. Albans, NY; and Shauna Parker of Montgomery, AL; two sons, Shaki McKinney (Devona) of Sanford, NC, and Doran Roberts of St. Albans, NY; four brothers: Kevin (Delia) Miller of Surprise, AZ, George (Judi) Miller of Stratford, CT, David Miller of Stratford, CT and Michael (Cheryl) Miller of Orangeburg, SC; three sisters: Davida Miller of Bridgeport, CT, Rometa Miller of Stratford, CT and Cassandra Fuller of Orangeburg, eleven grandchildren: Nakiaah, Steven, Brendon, Aniyah, Shaleah, Rah’Shaun, and Jah’Marion all of Sanford, NC; Robert (Jessica) and Emani’ of St. Albans, NY; Shauntest (TaWanda), and Javan all of Montgomery, AL; five great- grandchildren; two sisters-in-law: Ruth Kelly of St. Albans, NY, and Marva (James) Jeffries of Whiteville, NC; three special friends who were like her sisters; Linda Denkins, Roenia Cox, and Linda Sydnor. She also leaves a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins, foster children, other relatives and friends.