

A CELEBRATION OF LIFE FOR

*Florence H. Bishop*

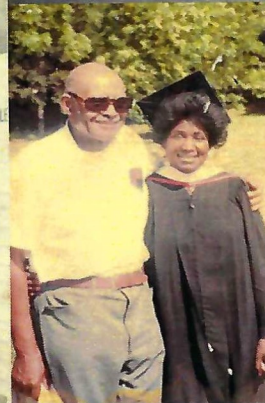
*Sunrise*  
NOVEMBER 16, 1929



*Sunset*  
JULY 22, 2021







**SERVICE OF TRIUMPH**  
Thursday, July 29, 2021 at 10:00 am  
**HUGHES FUNERAL HOME**

324 Bellevue Avenue | Trenton, NJ 08618 | Elder David A. Cox

Musical Prelude	Elder Felton D. Rowe, Jr.
Processional	Clergy and The Family
Call to Worship	Elder David A. Cox
Selection	Myesha Price
Scripture Readings	Clergy
Old Testament	
New Testament	
Prayer of Comfort	Clergy

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS OF CARDS  
RESOLUTIONS/OBITUARY**

Robert G. Bishop, Jr.

**MOMENTS OF REFLECTIONS**

*(two minutes each please)*

Family and Friends

Selection	Myesha Price
Eulogy	Elder David A. Cox
	<i>Pastor, The SafeHaven - Trenton, NJ</i>

**- RECESSIONAL -**

Interment	Ewing Cemetery
	<i>Ewing, NJ</i>

*For safety reasons, while traveling in funeral procession to the cemetery please keep your headlights and flashers on.*

**ORDER  
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SERVICE**





***Florence Holiday Bishop***, affectionately known as “Flo Jo”, was the only child born to the late Hosea Holliday and the late Ella Watts on November 16, 1929. At the glorious age of 91, our dear Flo Jo, departed this life for eternal rest at Capital Health at Hopewell in Pennington, NJ.

Born in Trenton, NJ, Florence remained a lifelong resident of the area. In 1946, as a student at Trenton High School, Florence became the First African American Cheerleader. Florence received her Associate's degree from (former) Trenton College, now known as Mercer County Community College. She received her Bachelor's degree from Ramapo College.

At an early age, Florence became a member of St. Paul A.M.E. Zion Church in Trenton, NJ (now Ewing, NJ). Her family was a part of the foundation of the church and she remained a lifelong member.

In 1950, Florence married Robert G. Bishop, Sr. and from this union six children were born: Brent Loring Bishop, Robert G. Bishop, Jr., Steven Oliver Bishop, Sandra E. Bishop, Ramona Bishop, and Curtis Bishop.

After Florence raised her six children as a single mom, she went back to college and earned her Master's degree. Florence started her career as an entry level secretary for the State of New Jersey. She was promoted numerous times throughout her career, concluding with the Department of Public Advocate, Division of Citizen Complaints and Dispute Resolution Department. In the Fall of 1989, Florence retired after serving 32 years of dedicated service with the State of New Jersey.

Doing nothing was not in Florence nature. She started her own clothing boutique called “Flo Jo Boutique”. It was a home base business that she took pride in. She would bring people in her home and styling.

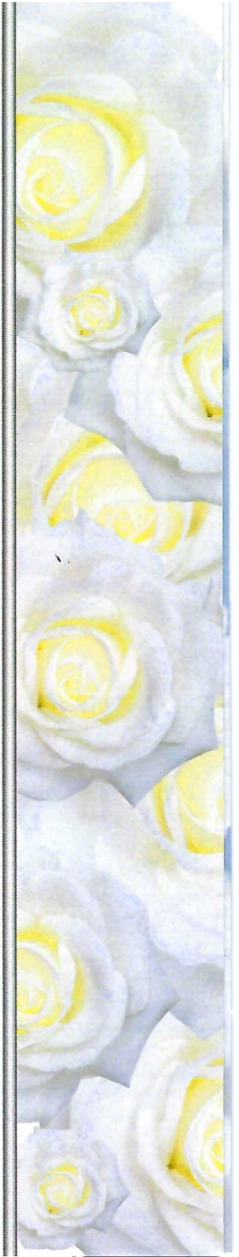
Florence was very active within her community throughout her life. She held many positions and was a part of various organizations such as: Member of Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc., Board Member for Ramapo, Past-President for Metro Civic League, Board Commissioner of New Jersey Equal Rights, Who's Who-1988, Member of Ewing Zoning Board, President of Hollowbrook Senior Citizen Organization, and President of New Jersey Women of Color Association.

When she was not serving her community at large, Florence enjoyed traveling the world, going shopping, and going to a variety of stage plays. Her family was important to her and she cherished every moment she had with them.

Florence had an amazing will power. She made friends from all walks of life. She played an important role in the lives of her children and was very inspirational. Florence was a joy to know. It was a privilege to be in her presence. She will be missed, always loved, cherish and live on in the hearts of all who knew her.

Florence was predeceased by her parents, Hosea Holliday and Ella Watts; and one daughter, Sandra E. Bishop.

She leaves behind to forever cherish her life and legacy: six children, Brent Loring Bishop, Robert G. Bishop, Jr., Steven Oliver Bishop, Ramona Bishop, and Curtis Bishop; her grandchildren, Rachel L. Livingston-Bland (Robert), Brent T. William (Candace), Robert G. Bishop III, and De Eron Bishop; her great-grandchildren, Laylah Livingston- Bland, Kimberly Williams, Jasmine Williams, and Camryn Williams; a host of other relatives and friends.









# Notice of Address Change

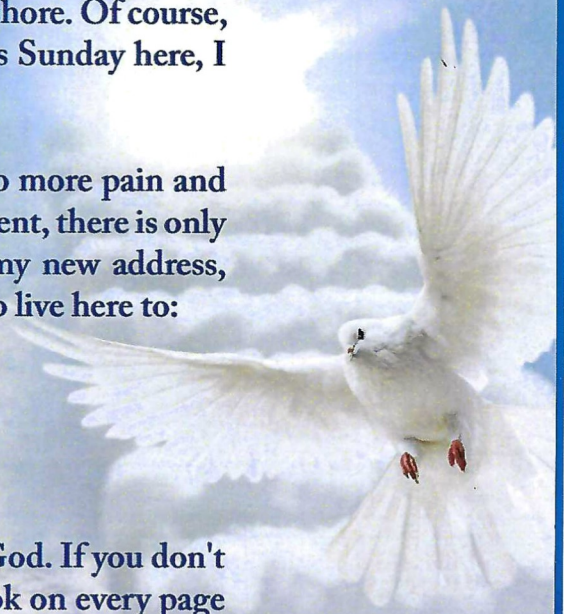
I want you to know that I have moved! I received a call from God, the Chief Architect, who informed me that my new house is ready and that I could move in immediately. I just didn't have time to give you notice.

My new home is finished and it's such a beautiful sight to behold. It is located in an exclusive estate area and sits behind a beautiful pearly gate, just off a serene celestial shore. Of course, the streets are paved with gold and everyday is Sunday here, I have been told.

There is peace, joy, and happiness here with no more pain and cares of the world to bear. No strife nor discontent, there is only sweet serenity everywhere. Let me give you my new address, because I highly recommend you make plans to live here to:

Florence Holiday Bishop  
1 Gate to the City Avenue  
Godstone, Heaven 72221

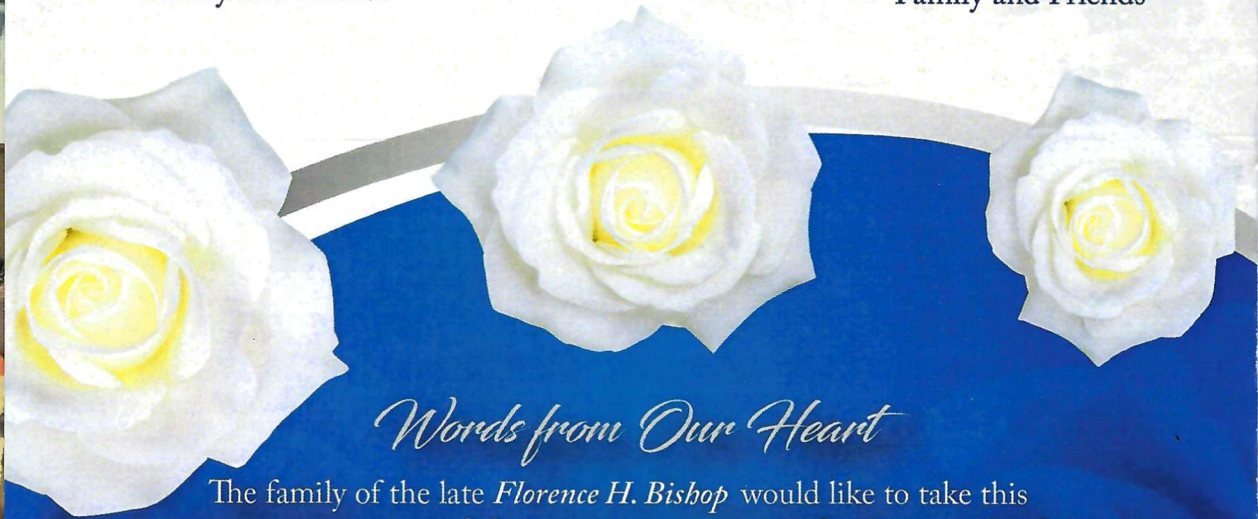
P.S. I don't have a telephone yet, but just call God. If you don't have His number, He's listed in the Good Book on every page contact Him.





*Pallbearers*  
Family and Friends

*Flower Bearers*  
Family and Friends



*Words from Our Heart*

The family of the late *Florence H. Bishop* would like to take this opportunity to extend their sincere appreciation for the many kind expressions of sympathy extended to them during their hour of bereavement.

Special thanks to Tawana McClain, Ola Fowler, Rachel Bland, Brent Williams and Candice Williams for everything you do to make the load a little lighter. May God forever keep each one of you in His tender loving care.

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Friends are invited to join the family immediately following the interment at: VFW Post # 3525  
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Hamilton, New Jersey 08619