



If Roses Grow in Heaven

If roses grow in heaven,
Lord please pick a bunch for me,
Place them in my Mother's arms
and tell her they're from me.
Tell her I love her and miss her,
and when she turns to smile,
place a kiss upon her cheek
and hold her for a while.
Because remembering her is easy,
I do it every day,
but there's an ache within my heart
that will never go away.

Mama, we love you more than life itself.

*You gave us every part of you,
and we will go forth in your honor.*

*Thank you for your guidance, your heart, and for
visibly showing us what it looked like to love Christ.*

You are one in a billion, mama.

Love Forever and a Day,

Your Girls

Words to remember while cooking from Diane:

(From her homemade recipe book)

Don't cook until you have time to spend - You can't
go get in the tub and all that - You have to stay close
to the stove, or water in the pot will dry out or skillet
may be too high or something - Then you have a fire!

Water and oil DO NOT MIX - It just pops,
splatters, and BURNS!

DO NOT COOK WHEN YOU ARE SLEEPY OR
IN A HURRY - Better to wait.

Acknowledgements:

*With sincerest thanks, the family of Diane Triggs wishes to
acknowledge the many comforting messages, flowers, prayers,
condolences, and other expressions of kindness during this
extremely difficult time. Special thanks to our family at Truelight
Missionary Baptist Church for extending such pleasantries to
us during our grief, Goss'Up Pasta Restaurant and Space for
accommodating us to gather, and Baucom's Life Celebration
Center for a job so well done. Diane will truly be missed.
She made a vast and powerful impression on so many.
Please continue to pray for our family.*

Pallbearers

Donald Bailey, Jr.

Norman Boyd III

Brian Jones

Isiah Rouser

Johnny Rouser

Demont Triggs

Repast:

Goss'Up Pasta Restaurant and Space

6746 Page Avenue (Enter on Ferguson)

St. Louis, Missouri 63133

Interment

Monday, April 25, 2022

Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery

2900 Sheridan Road ~ St. Louis, Missouri 63125

Processional Meeting at 8:15 AM at:

Baucom's Life Celebration Center

9480 Lewis & Clark Road ~ St. Louis, Missouri 63136



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IN Remembrance OF OUR BELOVED



MRS.
Diane
TRIGGS

Sunrise
December 2, 1952

Sunset
April 10, 2022

Celebration of Life: 11:00 AM

Saturday, April 23, 2022

True Light Missionary Baptist Church

2838 James "Cool Papa Bell" Avenue

St. Louis, Missouri 63106

Reverend Keith B. Pendilton,

Senior Pastor/Servant and Officiant

Reverend Linden Bowie, Eulogist

Zion Travelers Missionary Baptist Church

REFLECTIONS OF
Diane's Journey Home

Our beloved *Diane* was born in St. Louis, Missouri on December 2, 1952, to the union of Lemmie and Lillie Mae Bailey. She was the fourth of seven children, and she loved each of her siblings incredibly. Her parents, brothers, Lemmie Bailey, Jr., and Donnie Bailey, and sister, Billie Ruth Jones, preceded her in death.

Diane could go on for days with stories of growing up as a kid on Ridge Avenue with her family. The countless memories they shared and neighborhood friendships they made were highlights of her childhood. Diane was a 1971 graduate of Soldan High School and furthered her education at Vanderschmidt Business School, Washington University, and St. Louis Community College. If you knew Diane, it was evident she was business savvy, a trait she got from her daddy.

Diane accepted Christ as her Lord and Savior at a very young age and made it a life mission to lead others to salvation. She joined True Light Missionary Baptist Church in 1978, where she met her late husband, Johnny Triggs, whom she married in 1981. The two went on to have two daughters, Jonnesse and Dynisha. Diane also developed special relationships with Johnny's older children, whom she loved dearly.

At True Light, Diane sang in the church choir, leaving her signature on "Grace and Mercy," "Silver and Gold," and of course, "Golden Bells." She was also a committed leader of Children's Church and completed various evangelism and behavioral excellence trainings under the leadership of Reverend E. Stanley Howlett, and Howlett and Associates. Diane went on to follow the move of God and was planted at Friendly Temple Missionary Baptist Church, where she also sang in the choir over the years and thoroughly enjoyed attending the church's Parking Lot Praise services brought about during the Covid-19 pandemic.

In 1975 Diane began her career with Southwestern Bell (AT&T) and retired in 2008 after more than 30 years of service. Her love for organization and attention to detail made her role in administration and clerical work satisfying, not to mention she could type 70 words per minute, WITH ACCURACY. She would always say, "You don't get paid to do the things you like to do; you're paid to show up and do the things you don't." Upon retirement, Diane worked for a number of years at Deer Valley Home Health as support staff, through 2015.

Diane's greatest love was for her girls, and anyone she crossed paths with knew their names, and probably also saw pictures and videos of her grandchildren. That is what life was about for Diane, family and legacy. There was safety in her eyes and direction in her voice, and comfort in her presence. She was exquisite and elegant in nature, honest, and nurturing. Whether she was cooking for you and praying for you, you always knew where she stood. Once she was in your corner, she was there to stay.

Diane was always clear about one thing: she wanted her homegoing services to be held at her home church, True Light.

Diane departed this life and answered God's call on April 10, 2022, at 10:58 AM. She leaves to cherish her memory: her two daughters, Jonnesse and Dynisha; three grandchildren, Destiny, Caleb, and Ace; special loving bonus son, Scoota; three sisters, Lillie Ree Thigpen (Bensid), Doris Thornton, and Renae Bailey; nieces and nephews, Kevin and Sumari Thigpen, LaDonna Malone, Lisa Townsel (Andre), Brian Jones (Charron), Benjamin Jones (Vernisha), Asia Wright, Norman Boyd III (Tonya), Donald Bailey, Jr. (Tamm), Dominique Holmes (Greg), and Eriyon Bailey; and a host of special friends, great-nieces, great-nephews, cousins, and loved ones.

Precious Memories



Order of Service
Reverend Keith Bernard Pendilton,
Senior Pastor/Servant and Officiant
Musical Accompaniment, Dr. Timothy Price III

ProcessionalMinisters & Family

Prayer.....Minister Robert Lloyd
Park Baptist Church

Old & New Testament Scriptures Minister Reko Guyton
Friendly Temple Missionary Baptist Church

Solo..... Songstress Pamela Cole

Special Tributes
Alynn McManus "The Delicate Woman"
Ruthie Clark..... "The Praying Woman"
Nicole McBee "The Powerhouse"

Special Selection Truelight Missionary
Baptist Church Choir

Prayer of Comfort for the FamilyReverend Arbie Peterson
The Christian Life Center

Our Aunt The Nieces

Condolences & AcknowledgementsMaggie McFadden
Church Clerk

Please Limit All Condolences to Two Minutes

Life Reflections *Read Silently with Soft Music*

Walk Around HeavenMrs. Rita Caffey

Eulogy Reverend Linden Bowie
Zion Travelers Missionary Baptist Church

Parting View

Benediction

Recessional