



Delores Allen

November 10, 2020

Delores Jaye Allen, went to Receive her Crown on November 10, 2020 at Seashore nursing home. Delores was born in Mays Landing (Laureldale) to Elder Dennis and Alona A. Austin Allen. Was called Lowey by her many nieces and nephews. Attended Mays Landing Schools, my home courses, and NY undergraduate school. Delores received the Lord very early in life. She was taught b her teacher that she was very successful because she “found the Lord early in life and stay with Him the rest of her life.” Delores has great faith in God and she often repeated this to others. She knew God was able to do all things and her faith never wavered. She was a member of her father’s church, Church of God on New York Ave, most of her life where she was a musician. Later on, she enjoyed teaching Sunday School. She became good friends with Dr. Sanders of the Mt. Zion Baptist Church, which is on currently the Lighthouse Community Church.

Delores worked in New York Hilton Hotel as a host and became their concert style piano player. After being heard by owner, Mr. Hilton became a part of her writing ministry. This ministry, she wrote to local, county and state to help her community. Doing this she became Christie T. Whitman’s prayer partner and friend. She also wrote to First Lady Laura Bush when she was ill, praying for her. They became friends and First Lady Laura Bush wrote to Delores to invite her to her son’s inauguration.

Delores was an accomplished artist, writer and poet. Multitalented yet very humble and a heart full of love.

She is predeceased by her parents and her siblings, Albert, Joseph, Zackery, Lucille Whitaker, Leonhard, Elizabeth and Katherine.

Cherishing her memories her sister and caregiver, Grace J. Allen; nieces and nephews, Tyrone Whitaker, Grace Elliott, Reo Ronald, Darnell Moody, Linda Canfield, and Richard Mangano Children; and a host of great nieces and nephews, cousins, friends and church families.

A visitation will be held on Saturday, November 21st from 9:00 to 11:00 AM at Wimberg Funeral Home, 211 E. Great Creek Rd, Galloway 609-641-0001. A graveside service will follow at the Egg Harbor City Cemetery. For condolences and/or directions, please visit wimbergfuneralhome.com.

Comments



“ Our beloved Delores Allen who blessed us on so many occasions with her presence, gift of music and poetry will be missed but forever remembered. Our condolences and prayers for the Allen family. The Key Family, Trenton, NJ

Lois Alexander - November 19, 2020 at 03:27 PM



“ To Gracie Joyce, Gracie Lee and all of the family, Ernestine and I express our sincere condolences. We have lost a treasure in Delores. She was self-taught in playing the piano, art, fashion design, literary prose and poetry. She acknowledged these talents as gifts from God and she used them to proclaim her love of the Lord; which she did with adroitness.

I remember her fashion designs at an early age that were astonishingly good. And of course, her piano playing was amazing. If she heard a piece of music, she could play it from memory She was knowledgeable about Greek Philosophers, Aristotle, Socrates, Plato as well as the great composers, Beethoven, Bach, Schubert to name a few. Delores was life-long learner. She gave all the Glory to God and the Fullness there-of.

To Gracie Joyce, we thank you for your long time care giving to Delores, we know it was not easy, but Thanks be to God, you were there!

cousin, Bobby (Robert L S Williams)

ROBERT L S WILLIAMS - November 18, 2020 at 12:08 PM



“ And memory of my aunt Delores better known to most of us as DJ . My auntie was such a lovely kind sweet person a definite gift from God she always make you laugh with her beautiful smile she could make you cry. My auntie was a gifted artist as well as a musician she didn't read music but she can play by air and play any type of music that you thought of her favorite was gospel as well as classical she can sit down and draw a picture of things that you couldn't even imagine I remember as a little girl she drew a picture of a airplane that she called at 7:47 and it was so beautiful I still can see that picture in my mind then she would draw pictures of people and you would think it was a real person she was so well gifted on so many things a artist Carpenter a gardener as well as my auntie I will miss you so much my husband and I remember the last time we spent time with you guys on my birthday in 2006 when we came to New Jersey you guys had made a special dinner for my birthday and we got to celebrate with my mom and my auntie Cochise and with my aunt Gracie it was so much fun to be with you all on that day it makes me sad to say now three of those people are gone my heart cries out I love you all and I miss you too my aunt Gracie I just want you to know that I will always love you as well they all have a special place in my heart and so be you but my aunt knowing I take a lot after her I love to draw I don't like music I don't play music but I love music and I remember when we were there on my birthday my husband and my auntie DJ was singing songs that we used to sing when I was a little girl and it was so joyful to hear that and to be with you on that day it only made it extra special thank you so much for being in my life and helping me to grow up to be the person that I am today I love and miss you and say hi to everyone that is already there Mama , Papa , Uncle Joe , Uncle Jackie , Uncle Albert , Aunt Katie , and better known Cochise and of course my mom Lucille.



Margot L Carter and Bob Delores's niece - November 18, 2020 at 10:15 AM