

*Celebrating The Life of
Rosebud "Rose" Darden*



Sunrise: February 6, 1943

Sunset: April 28, 2021

Friday May 7, 2021

Viewing: 11:00-12:00 am. - Home going Service: 12:00 noon

*Calvary Baptist Church
188 Orawaupum Street
White Plains, New York 10606*

Reverend Erwin Lee Trollinger, Pastor

Legacy of Life

Rosebud Williams Darden was born in Orangeburg, South Carolina on February 6, 1943 to the late Minnie Caine Williams and Reverend Lawrence Williams, Jr. She transitioned from this earthly life to her eternal home on April 28, 2021 at White Plains Hospital.

Rose's family migrated to New York when she was a young child. She began and completed her education in White Plains Public Schools. Rose accepted Christ at an early age and was baptized at Calvary Baptist Church.

Rose began her career at the United States Post Office in the early 1970's. She continued working in her position in the Registry until her recent illness. Rose enjoyed her job and created lasting friendships with many of the people she came into contact with at work.

Rose loved to travel. Some of her best times were spent cruising and vacationing with her family in Florida.

Rosebud had a beautiful smile. Her laughter came from her soul. She had so much joy and it touched everyone around her. She brought out the best in people and they loved her. Rose was a special lady whose shoes will never be filled. We will miss her.

Rose was predeceased by her parents, one brother, Larry E. Williams, three sisters, Gloria Alston, Barbara Williams and Shirley Osborne, and her grandson Matthieu Saintil.

She leaves to cherish her memory two daughters, Denise Saintil and Sonya Darden, one grandson, Stephen Barker, two granddaughters Cheyenne Prashad and Aiyana Saintil two sisters, Phyllis Mack and Kathy Williams, three Aunts, Annie Rogers (Alvin), Estelle Holt, Rose Robinson and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Order of Service

Organ Prelude

Prayer of Comfort.....Rev. Tyrone Robinson

Hymn.....Oh How I Love Jesus

Scripture Reading

Old and New Testament.....Rev. Everett Rogers

Music Selection.....Sis. Janice Lester

Legacy of Life.....Aiyana Saintil

Reflections (2 Minutes)

Music Selection.....Sis. Brenda Perry

Eulogy.....Rev. Erwin Trollinger

Benediction.....Rev. Erwin Trollinger

Internment

White Plains Rural Cemetery

167 North Broadway

White Plains, New York 10603

God's Garden

*God looked around his garden and found an empty place
He then looked down upon the Earth and saw your tired face
He put his arms around you and lifted you to rest
Gods garden must be beautiful, he always takes the best
He knew you were suffering, he knew you were in pain
He knew that you would never get well on Earth again
He saw the road was getting rough and the hills too hard to climb
He closed your weary eyelids and whispered "Peace be Thine"
It broke our hearts to lose you but you didn't go alone
For part of us went with you the day God called you home*

Message of Gratitude

We, the family of Rose Darden wish to acknowledge with deep appreciation and gratitude the many expressions of love, concern and kindness shown during this time of bereavement. Thank you and continue to keep us in prayer.

The family

**Arrangements Entrusted To:
Lee's Funeral Home
160 Fisher Avenue
White Plains, New York 10606**