



GOING TO HEAVEN

*When I get through crying down here
When I get through moaning down here
I'm going to a place where I won't have to
Cry no more.*

*When I get through singing down here
When I get through shouting down here
I'm going to a place where I can shout
Forever more.*

*I'm going to Heaven,
The streets are paved with gold
Up in Heaven, never ever grow old.*

*Hallelujah, hallelujah, I'm going where I
Won't have to cry no more, ooo ooo.*

*Won't have to cry no more
There'll be nothing but joy
I'm going where I won't have to cry (3x)
No more, ooo ooo.*

-Written by Shelah Tucker

Acknowledgements

The Tucker family acknowledges with grateful appreciation all acts of kindness, prayers and words of comfort during the illness of our loved one. You have been a source of comfort and strength. May the blessings of God overtake you.

Special thanks:

- Rubby Agbali (Home health aide)
Auntie loved you and we do too.
- Living Water Christian Center
- Prayer partners
- Mini Prayer Partners
- Great nephews & niece:*
Aiden (Tiger)
Kaleb (Chunky)
Kalli (Mama)
- Martine Center staff

A HOMEGOING CELEBRATION *Shelah Ann Tucker*



Sunrise | March 17, 1952

Sunset | June 20, 2021

Funeral Arrangements provided by:
Lee's Funeral Home
160 Fisher Avenue
White Plains, NY 10606

Interment:
Kensico Cemetery
273 Lakeview Avenue
Valhalla, NY 10595
Minnewaska Slant - Row P-23

We will be adhering to CDC Guidelines
& Regulations for COVID-19:

- Masks are required
- Social distancing required
- Wash your hands
- Temperature check
- Please do not enter if you have a cough or cold

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Saturday, July 3, 2021

Wake: 10 a.m. • Service: 11 a.m.

Christ Temple

25 Oak Street, White Plains, NY 10603

Officiant: Pastor Daryl Young
Tabernacle of Prayer Revival Center



Order of Service

Wake / Family Hour

Invocation
Pastor Percy Hughes

Scriptures
Old Testament & New Testament:
Pastor Kimberly Jones

Praise and Worship
Lady Quawana
Goddard-Nelson

Reflections
Pastor Kimberly Jones
Minister Kellen Brown
Lady Eileen Tucker

Selection
Lady Tamitra Scott
Acknowledgements/Obituary
Lady Jacqueline Tucker

Selection
"Going to Heaven"
Written by Shelah Tucker

Eulogy
Rev. Dr. Tresmaine Grimes
Living Water Christian Center

Recessional



Obituary

Shelah Ann Tucker was born on March 17, 1952, the fourth of five children under the parentage of Stephney McCoy Tucker, Sr. and Ethel Hughes Tucker, in White Plains, NY (Greenburgh) where she resided until her demise.

Her education was in the Greenburgh District 7 Schools and furthered her education at Saints Junior College in Lexington, MS and Mercy College, White Plains, NY. She was the recipient of the Who's Who Among Junior College Students Award.

Shelah's work history consisted of owning Temple Church Supplies, a Christian book store which was located at Christ's Temple, where she added a candy/snack store to service the neighborhood children. She was employed by the Greenburgh Parking District and retired from the Greenburgh Town Court as a court clerk, where she befriended and serviced her community.

As a child, she attended Greenburgh Community Methodist Church (Christ's Temple) pastored by her father the late Bishop S.M. Tucker, Sr. She played a large role in assembling the stained glass windows that adorn the church today.

Shelah's passion was writing poetry, songs and plays. She had a God-given ability to influence and magnetize, luring youth, young adults and seniors. She would load her car, a large rental or contract a bus for a road trip introducing others to a greater move of God.

Shelah later birthed Halehs Ministry. Resources where she created and published Christian and inspirational cards, books, booklets and other graphic works. She was such a talented mastermind. Her creativity never stopped. In her last days even while afflicted by a stroke, using one hand, she started writing books for each of her great nephews and niece, inclusive of their favorite things and their family history.

Shelah leaves to cherish her memory two brothers, Edward D. Tucker (Francis), Danville, VA, and Julius F. Tucker (Alberta), Jacksonville, FL; one sister, Eileen Tucker-Slaughter (David), White Plains, NY; one sister-in-law, Jacqueline Tucker, Sutherlin, VA; one brother and sister-in-love, George and Laurie Garrett, Elizabeth City, NC; seven nephews, Edward, Stephney III (Jane), Richard (Lauren) Todd, Kellen (Diamond), Aaron and Malcolm; three nieces, Shanon, Stephney, Debresha; and a host of great-nephews and nieces, great-great nephews and nieces, cousins, godchildren, adopted family and friends.

She was preceded in death by her father and mother, Bishop S.M. Tucker, Sr. and Ethel Hughes Tucker, and eldest brother, Stephney M. Tucker, Jr.

Shelah leaves an indelible legacy of love for her family, friends and the many other lives she touched. ●