



Bertena L. Porter

April 4, 1917 - May 28, 2018

BERTENA LOUISE PORTER, (affectionately known by some family and friends as “Sister or Sis”) passed peacefully at home, surrounded by family, on the morning of May 28th at the age of 101 years old. Louise was the eldest of four children born to the late Alice Johnson and William Porter on April 4, 1917 in Westmoreland, Jamaica, W.I., and migrated to the United States in 1971, where she lived amongst family until her passing. She was preceded in death by siblings Enos and Mavis.

Louise is survived by sibling Evelyn James; five loving children: Beverly, Hermine, Hansel, Roy and Walter; seventeen grandchildren: Alison, Satydra, Reesha, Moses Jr., Paul, Ingrid, Henry Jr., Monique, Trevell, Mark, Justin, Velvia, Dwight, Elvis, Mickey, Mark, Kimberly; twenty great grandchildren and seven great-great grandchildren, all of whom loved and cherished her immensely.

She was a sweet, loving and devoted woman to family and friends alike.

A key element in her life was her faith, which stemmed from a strong religious upbringing. Mark 12:31 “Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself,” describes her caring and kind nature. She was a strong believer in the power of God and would often make time to read her Bible and recite scriptures, while going about her daily activities. Above all, she made sure that this belief system was

instilled in her future generations growing up.

Our dear matriarch enjoyed talking and laughing with family and friends while reminiscing of the good old days. She loved sports, especially wrestling, gospel music, radio sermons and LIFE itself. She was dearly loved and will be surely missed but not forgotten. May the memories we made with such an amazing woman stay with us and may her teachings continue to be passed on throughout future generations.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 3. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Grace Funeral Chapels
607 North Conduit Blvd.
Brooklyn, NY 11208
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Funeral Service

JUN 3. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Burial

JUN 4 (ET)

Pinelawn Memorial Park and Garden Mausoleums
2030 Wellwood Avenue
Farmingdale, NY 11735
(631) 249-6100

Tribute Wall



“ *Bertena L. Porter*

November 11, 2022 at 12:38 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Bertena L. Porter.*



June 03, 2018 at 11:59 AM



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June 02, 2018 at 06:14 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Bertena L. Porter.*



June 02, 2018 at 02:14 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Bertena L. Porter.*



May 31, 2018 at 02:59 PM



“ *Rose Garden Heart was purchased for the family of Bertena L. Porter.*



May 30, 2018 at 09:47 PM