



Mrs. Florene L. Rodney

March 2, 1947 - September 11, 2017

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Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **19**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Grace Funeral Chapels
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Funeral Service

SEP **20**. 9:30 AM (ET)

Christian Cultural Center
12020 Flatlands Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11207

Burial

SEP **20**. 12:30 PM (ET)

Canarsie Cemetery
1370 Remsen Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11236

Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Florene L. Rodney*

November 11, 2022 at 12:38 PM



“ *Sister Rodney has been a spiritual mother to me. Over the years, even as she dealt with her own health issues, she encouraged me. The strength of her faith helped to strengthen my faith when I was in my "dry places". I'll miss her.*

Rest in peace until we meet again

L. Gray

L. Gray - September 20, 2017 at 06:09 AM

PE

“ Dear Buddy & Friend,

We have known each other for over 60 plus years. You fought a good fight, but your journey is complete. Jesus wanted a rose to complete the circle and he decided to choose you.

I still remember the good old days when you use to come to Alness to my mother's shop to buy cloth to make your dresses and our school days together.

Going peace, rest in peace and raise in glory my dear friend.

God bless and good bye, I will always miss you, it breaks my heart to see you go but Jesus loves you best.

Jean Edwards (Austin) and sons.



Paul Edwards - September 19, 2017 at 04:00 PM

DS

“ Our prayers go out to Keith and family.

I met Florene while working at AIG. I was over-come with problems which seemed like there was no end. She sense this and one day asked me to follow her into the ladies room. In there, she prayed intensely for me and led me to the Lord. At that point, I knew that God heard my prays and brought an angel in my life.

Flo inspired and encouraged me through all my hard and difficult times. Never focusing on herself but instead showed me how the Lord has worked and strengthen her. She taught me courage and how to trust in our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Always using the scritures of God's "unconditional love" and that the Lord would blessed me a with "peace that goes beyond all understanding". I did not understand nor could I imagine this type of peace, until I experienced it myself. IT'S BEAUTIFUL!

Flo, I am blessed and will never forget the memories we shared and how fortunate I am to have had you in my life.

Doris, Gerald and family.

Doris Showers - September 18, 2017 at 08:16 PM

YB

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



yvonne Benn - September 17, 2017 at 10:29 PM

YB

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yvonne Benn - September 17, 2017 at 10:18 PM

PB

“ *" Fond Remembrance Of Times Passed"*

Recently, before this last bout of illness and hospitalization, Florene and I were laughing over an incident that sounded like "Deja vu". I answered my doorbell to find two handsome young police officers. They insisted that I open the door so that they could see that I was well. Someone concerned about my well being had sent them.

Why the joke? More than twenty years previously, I had asked the only person I knew who lived in New York for help. At that time I lived in Puerto Rico. While speaking to Florene, the phone had gone dead and being aware of her heart transplant, I was in a panic. I called my friend Carole who sent an ambulance to Florene's home. Carole is here today and is married to Florene's older brother. Back then, they were all strangers.

Florene and I were best buddies at Corentyne High School. Over the years, we never lost touch even when separated by thousands of miles. Florene was there to see me after my son was born, even though I was not there when she had hers. Florene, in good Guyanese practice, "came to band my belly" and insisted that I drink that awful concoction of stout, raw egg and ... to ensure proper maternal health and sufficient milk. She was friend and nurse.

Never, ever throughout the years, in or out of hospital did Florene ever complain. When I could no longer visit, we called each other weekly. "Buddy, how are you?" we would ask each other. How could I complain about my aches and pains when Florene had no complains? We shared much laughter: we talked politics: we expressed our concerns for the country.

My buddy, with your optimism and good cheer, you were a lesson in how to live.

Rest In Peace

Pat Benn

CC

“ Our Tribute to Florene Rodney:

"It is written: A butterfly lights beside us like a sunbeam, and for a brief moment its glory and its beauty belong to the world; But then it flies on again, and though we wish it could have stayed we feel so lucky to have seen it."anonymous.

Florene was well loved by all who came into contact with her and will be long remembered by many. We know that Flo has gone not only to the mountain top, but to the other side of the mountain where she is enjoying the green pastures and still waters. To those of us left behind, all of her family and friends, the following bible verse exemplifies Flo and is one to remember her by:

2Timothy 4:7-8: "I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. Now there is in store for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous Judge, will award to me on that day—and not only to me, but also to all who have longed for his appearing."

Florene fought the good fight and finished the race; She kept the faith, and because of that faith we mark not only a life well lived, we mark her death, knowing, that by the love of God in Christ Jesus - by faith Florene knew that love- death has lost its sting. After Flo's long illness comes her morning of joy.

Brother Desmond & Carole



Carole Coates - September 16, 2017 at 12:25 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Mrs. Florene L. Rodney.



September 16, 2017 at 10:29 AM

CT

“ *May the love and fond memories of Sister Florence comfort you during this difficult time. God is with you. Blessings always, The Tappins.* ❤️

Constance Keenia and Grace Tappin - September 15, 2017 at 09:04 AM

RC

“ *My sincere and heartfelt condolences to the Family. Aunt Flo was a woman of great faith. She is my "Sister Job". Her testimony would always end with a praise to the Lord. Her daily word is, I am living in the NOW, and I thank my God" She fought a good fight, and she lived well. Undoubtedly, her soul is resting in peace. My family, be strong, my prays are with you.*
Pastor Chin and Family

Rev Opal Fletcher Chin - September 14, 2017 at 09:07 PM